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Dr. Griffith edits collection of letters

Back around 1819 when Alabama gained statehood, an outspoken and observant woman was visiting the frontier state. She was Anne Newport Royall, and she was to give future generations a first hand account of the people, places and practices that were a part of Alabama from 1817 – 1822.

Her impressions, put down in letters to a lawyer friend in Virginia, are preserved in her book, "Letters From Alabama, 1817-1822."

Published in 1830 but now out of print, a new edition, edited and annotated by Dr. Lucille Griffith, is being published by the University of Alabama Press this month.

Dr. Griffith, chairman of the Department of History at Alabama College, Montevallo, stated in her preface to the new edition that the University of Alabama has one of the few first editions of the book that are still in existence. She used this copy as the source for the new edition of "Letters From Alabama".

Anne Royall "has the distinction of being the only woman in our national history," states Dr. Griffith, "who was tried (and convicted) for being a 'common scold'. She was, in short, an aggressive, intolerant, outspoken, suspicious, meddlesome, nonconforming, but patriotic, and fascinating woman."

A prominent woman journalist, Mrs. Royall often sponsored unpopular causes in the manner of later day "muckrakers." She was well known in Congress where she sought out irregularities in government.

In her book on Alabama that same keen perception is evident as she describes early Alabama towns, inns, prisons, asylums and hospitals.

She shows no mercy in her comments on religious revivalists, slavery and the temperance movement.

Mrs. Royall's character sketches of the remarkable people she met in her six year wanderings in Alabama are an important part of her book helping to give a picture of the early southern way of life.

Dr. Griffith's edition of "Letters from Alabama" preserves the author's rather "Original" punctuation, spelling, and grammar, thus reproducing the letters just an Anne Royall wrote them.

Dr. Griffith supplements the letters with explanatory notes, bibliographical references, and index, and an introductory essay.

IN THE SWIM....ALMOST - - A young swimmer swishes down the slide headed for the big splash in the Alabaster Recreation Club's pool. She will be joined by thousands of Shelby Countians this weekend as they head for water over the Fourth of July holiday. Remember - this is Water Safety Week. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Four-lane bridge proposed for Coosa

A four-lane bridge over the Coosa is in the projected plans of the State Highway Department.

The bridge would connect Shelby and Talladega counties on state route 38 or, as it is better known, U. S. 280.

B. E. Higgins, Bridge Engineer for the state told the Reporter Tuesday that the present bridge is adequately strong for the weight of the load that it carries, but by modern standards is not of a safe width, nor is it adequate for the total volume of traffic it handles.

The Coosa bridge is one of 15 bridges listed for which replacement is "urgently needed".

Governor Albert Brewer included the bridge in a $25 million bond issue he proposed to the state legislature on June 25.

Higgins stressed to the Reporter that there is no time schedule set up for the work. "It is a long range program and it will require an awful lot of engineering work and design before work can begin", he said.

The news release from the Governor's office anticipated 18 months to two years of lead time would be required after tha passage of the legislation.

Higgins said that the present bridge could be kept open while work is in progress. Only after extensive engineering he indicated, would he be able to say whether some of the present substructure could or could not be used.

Another factor being considered is whether navigation will be a certainty on the Coosa. With proposals to make the Coosa navigable to Rome, Ga., the engineers must know whether to expect that big ships will be using the river in order to design a bridge to fit all needs.

The cost of construction is estimated to be $3,523,600, including engineering.

Weekend rowdyism ends with arrests

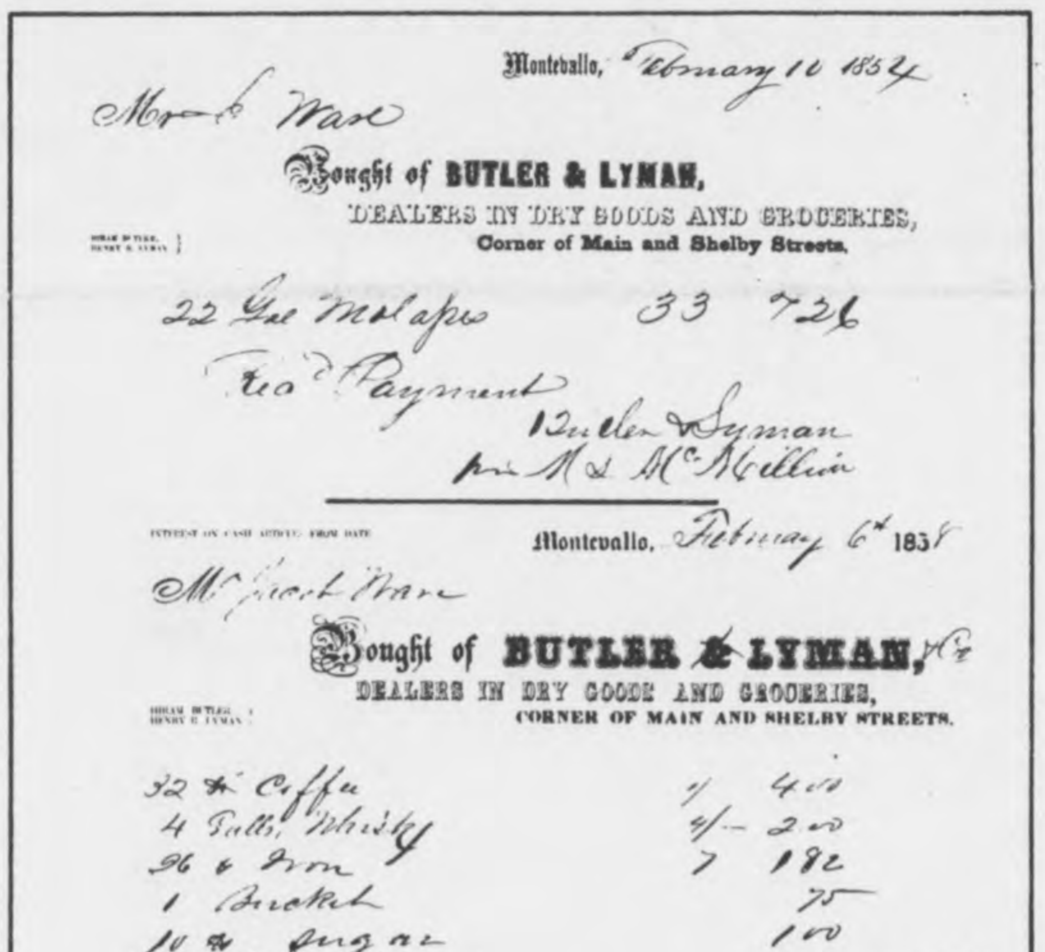
Weekend rowdyism in Shelby was curbed last Sunday night with the arrest of five persons on charges of violating the prohibition law.

Acting on a complaint by Ivey Hyche, a Birmingham state trooper who has a house trailer on Waxahatchee Creek, Lt. Kyle Lansford of the Sheriff's department and state trooper Burks arrested Sammy Benson, Freeman Jones, Jr. William G. Smith, all of Shelby, Charlie Johnson of Quitman, Miss., and Lorraine Ferguson, 26, of McCalla. Later Bobby Hope and Troy Connell were charged.

Benson was also charged with provocation and resisting arrest.

Drinking and high speed driving have been the cause of numerous complaints to the sheriff's department in the last few weeks in the Shelby area.

All offices in the courthouse will be closed on Saturday, July 5.



Montevallo, February 10 1854
Mr. J. Ware
Bought of BUTLER & LYMAN,
DEALERS IN DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES,
Corner of Main and Shelby Streets.
22 Gal Molasses 33 7.26
Rec'd Payment
Butler & Lyman
per M & McMillin

Montevallo, February 6th 1858
Mr Jacob Ware
Bought of BUTLER & LYMAN, & Co
DEALERS IN DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES,
CORNER OF MAIN AND SHELBY STREETS.
32 lb Coffee 4.00
4 Galls. Whisky 2.00
26 lb Iron 1.82
1 Bucket 75
10 lb Sugar 1.00
1 Plug Tobacco 20 $9.77
Rec'd Payment
Butler Lyman & Co
per A. W. Hardy

HISTORICAL NOTES - - These two receipts from the family papers of Mrs. Myrtie Ware of Montevallo show 22 gallons of molasses cost $7.26 on Febr. 10, 1854. On Febr. 6, 1858, Mr. Jacob Ware paid $4.00 for 32 pounds of coffee, $2.00 for 4 gallons of whiskey, $1.82 for 26 pounds of iron, .75 for a bucket, $1.00 for 10 pounds of sugar and .20 for a plug of tobacco. The items were purchased at Butler & Lyman in Montevallo.

New lending law creates additional paper work

How does the new truth-in-lending law affect Shelby County lending agencies and retailers?

All the local lenders and the retailer that the Reporter contacted in a telephone poll reacted with calm to the new law, saying that they had always stated the interest rate on their loans anyway. Most of them deplored the additional paper work and time it will require.

Banks have to fill out two forms now for each loan: one in triplicate, the other in duplicate. The actual true interest rate must be explained to each borrower, in addition to its being printed on the forms.

"It will take one-third more time to make a loan", said Don Lathem, of the First Bank of Alabaster. "Time is expense and in the end if it costs more to make loans, something's going to have to give."

Agee Kelly at Montevallo's Merchants and Planters Bank estimated that filling out the new forms would add 15 minutes to the time each person will have to wait for a loan. Kelly stated that the new law can be "helpful to the average consumer who really wants to know the interest rate (on his loan) but doesn't have the ability to figure it."

He added that in the long run if people do use the law for the purpose for which it is intended, they will shop around to get the best rates.

Ross Bob Mullins at the First National Bank of Columbiana pointed up the need for the State Legislature to pass the Uniform Code, and Lathem agreed that the Code needs to be passed "in a desperate way".

Bobby Cardwell of Cardwell Furniture in Alabaster took newspapers to task for "acting like the purchaser is right and the lenders and retailers are wrong". He said, "We get 10% a year on a straight 36 month contract. On a revolving account, we get 1½% per month on the unpaid balance. Therefore the finance charge is based on the unpaid balance. The purchaser must pay a certain minimum each month, but there is no maximum so he can pay early if he wants to and interest is based only on the unpaid balance per month."

He said, "I don't think we're going to get this over to the public. They're going to sign contracts and not understand them, but they'll say they do."

John Hines, President of the Shelby County Savings & Loan stated that the "biggest thing as far as we're concerned is that the new law relaxes regulations on houses. We still have to show everybody the true interest.

"All we loan on is homes, so the law doesn't affect us as much as some of the others."

Mullins mentioned that the customer will have to take a copy of the contract with him under the new law.

Lathem pointed out that a rescinding agreement on real estate loans requires the lender to allow three days before the loan is final. This is to give the borrower time to think over whether or not he really wants to put up his real estate as collateral for a loan.

Lathem said that in the past it hasn't taken the bank "15 minutes to make a real estate loan to people we know", but now people will have to wait days for their loan.

Roy Downs of the Central State Bank in Calera perhaps summed up the situation best by saying, "It's something Congress passed and we've all got to do it. After awhile it'll be just natural for us and it won't be too bad."

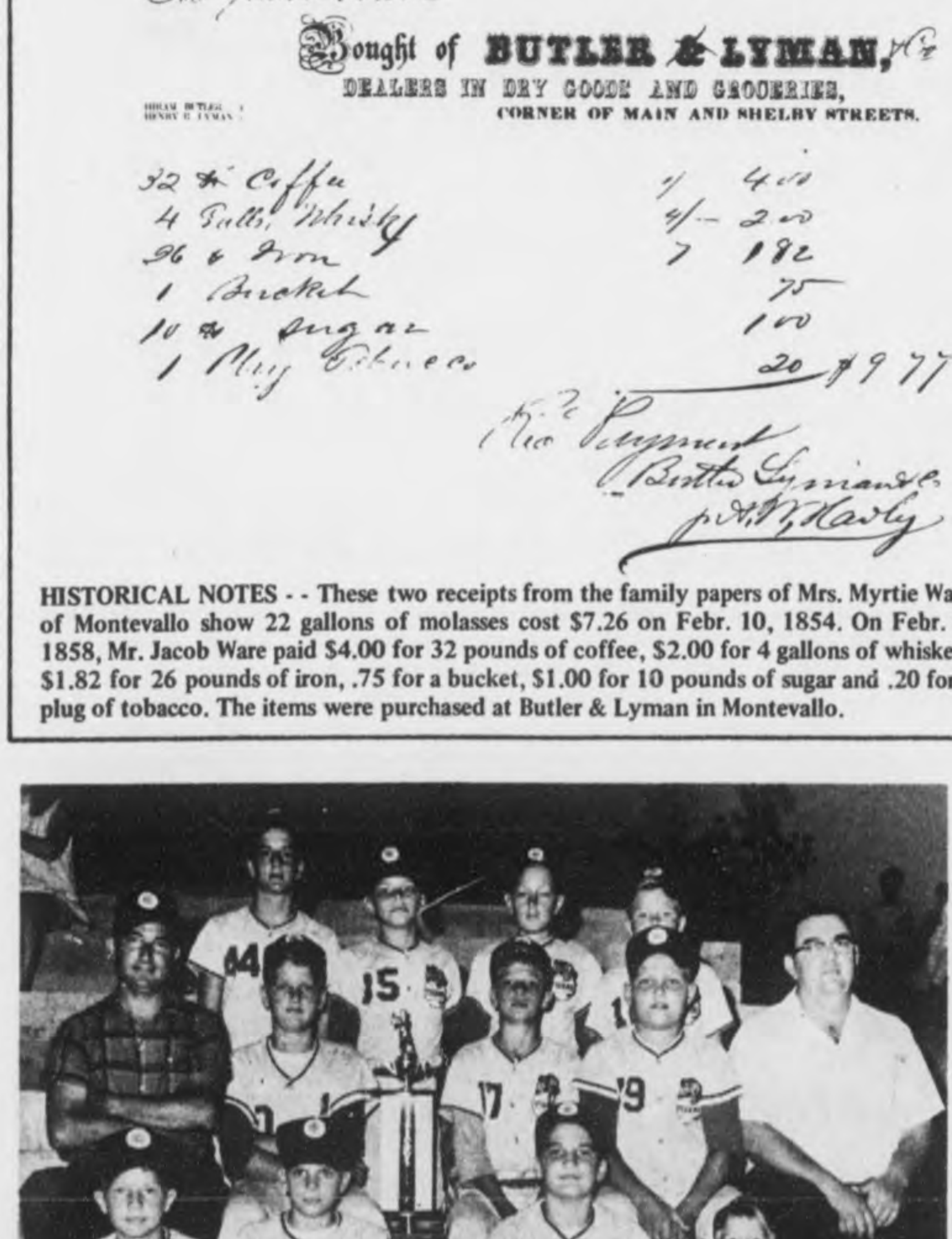
SESQUI CHAIRMAN AND PERFORMER - - Dr. Kermit Johson, AC President and Honorary Chairman of the County Sesquicentennial celebration goes over notes with Bill Bailey of Westover who performs in several sequences of the historical drama being presented this week at the Fair Grounds.

Sparkman: 'Up interest'

Senator John Sparkman today called on the nation's bankers to raise the interest rates on savings accounts, if bankers cannot be persuaded to lower loan interest rates.

In a weekend broadcast interview, the Chairman of the Senate banking and Currency Committee, said the current interest rate on ordinary savings accounts is about 4½% while the loan interest rate to the best customers of many banks is 8½%.

"If the banks are going to set their rate at this much higher level, then it seems to me, that in all fairness the depsoitors who leave their funds with the bank ought to be given higher rates of interest on their deposits," said Sparkman, whose Committee has legislative jurisdiction over banking matters.



COUNTY WINNERS - - Members of the Chelsea Tigers, winners of the county-wide Dixie Youth Tournament held last week in Columbiana are (top row from left) Marc Brasher, Tony Niven, Larry Niven and Randy Brasher; (middle row from left) Coy Brasher, manager; Don Gardner, Rex Gaut, Greg Moore and Ed Rich, assistant manager; (bottom row from left) Randy Rich, Vernon Brown, Barry Osborn and David Brasher.

Court orders refund on drug purchases

If you purchased any of the antibiotics aureomycin, terramycin or tetracycline during the period 1954 to 1966, you will be able to file a claim for a refund of part of the purchase price of those drugs.

McDonald Gallion, Attorney General of Alabama has advised this week that Alabama's hospitals and claiming individuals will be able to recover approximately $1,750,000 from five major drug companies as a result of a court settlement.

Any individual wanting to make a claim must file with the clerk of the U. S. District Court, P. O. Box 701, New York 10451 by August 16, 1969 either a verified statement or a statement certified by a local pharmacist or supplier showing by year the total dollar amount of the aureomycin, terramycin and tetracycline purchased.

If individuals do not make claims, the Attorney General has the authority to utilize whatever money he may recover as the state representative for the benefit of all citizens of the state in such manner as the court may direct.

Individuals who prefer to be represented by their own attorneys must have an appearance made by August 1.

The pharmaceutical companies named in the settlement are Pfizer, American Cyanimid, Bristol-Myers, Olin Mathieson (Squibb) and Upjohn.

LEAGUE WINNERS - - Alabaster Cubs displaying their trophies after winning the tournament Saturday night in Dixie Youth play are (top row from left) John Davenport, Manager James Dunnaway, Sr., Danny Gillis, Kenny White and Manager Ray White; (middle row from left) Mike Posey, Mike Lawley, Mickey Ellison and David McCurry; (bottom row from left) Ray Chance, Eddie Harris, Richard Hamrick, James Dunnaway and Phillip Martin. (Photos by Wayne Rasco)

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

Two Sheriff's deputies have resigned to accept positions with municipalities in the county.

Bill Davenport will assume duties as Chief of Police in Siluria on July 7.

Carl T. Davenport, Jr. has accepted a position on the police force of the Town of Alabaster.

Sheriff C. P. "Red" Walker lamented the "system" Monday, claiming there is a need for a complete overhaul of pay scales of law enforcement officers.

He pointed out that state troopers make more money than deputies and towns can offer eight-hour shifts. At present sheriff's deputies are working six 10 to 12 hour shifts in the county. Walker noted that whenever deputies get a pay increase the other agencies offer an increase, leaving deputies' pay in the same relative position.

He made it clear, "I'm not knocking us here in Shelby County, it's just the system."

Radar in use

Colonel Floyd H. Mann, Director of Department of Public Safety announces the following Radar Schedule for the Birmingham District from July 3, 1969 through July 6, 1969:

July 3, A.M. Bessemer Cut-off P.M. Western Jefferson County.

July 4, A.M. North Shelby County P.M. North St. Clair County.

July 5, A.M. Eastern Jefferson County P.M. South Shelby County.

July 6, A.M. Western Jefferson County P.M. Eastern and Western Walker County.

Letter to Editor

Letter To The Editor
June 20, 1969

I am doing geneology work on the Stamps families in Shelby County, Alabama.

In a graveyard in Helena, standing alone is a grave marker reading:
Mary Ada Stamps
Born: July 30, 1876
Died: February 16, 1939
"A Wonderful Mother"

I cannot find any information on her other than she was born in Mandeville, Georgia.

If you should know of her or anything of her children or grand children would you please contact me.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Mr. Bobby Joe Seales
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Siluria, Alabama 35144
Phone: 663-7835

Falcons sign Good

Bill Good, a 17-year-old 6'8" pointmaker from Oregon, Ill., has signed a basketball grant-in-aid to the University of Montevallo.

Good is the latest player added to Falcon Coach Bill Jones' 1969-70 hardcourt roster.

Good averaged 20 points and 15 rebounds per game during the past season and was named to the Black Hawk Conference All-Star team. He was chosen by teammates for Most Valuable Player honors this year.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Good, 100 - Second Ave. So., Oregon, Ill.

BILL GOOD

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NUMBER ONE - - Employees of South Central Bell Telephone Company are celebrating the first birthday of their company. Their president, W. Cecil Bauer, samples a piece of birthday cake celebrating the July 1 company landmark. Miss Jean Hudson serves Mr. Bauer.

Men's Christian Fellowship schedules crusade, July 21-25

For several years a group of men working in a large manufacturing industry gathered to discuss and pray about their personal problems or community problems. Their meetings were so fruitful and rich that they wanted to share with others and felt a need and a desire to form an inter-denominational fellowship group.

In December of 1968 a group of these men met and organized a men's fellowship group which came to be known as Coosa Valley Men's Christian Fellowship. Officers were elected and By-Laws adopted. The purpose of the Fellowship is: "To come together as Christian men to commune with God through Christ so that His Spirit shall be made manifest in our lives for the building of His Kingdom in the present world." The motto is "The Whole Wide World for Jusus." The membership is open to men who profess Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour. Meetings are held every three weeks with guest speakers of various faiths. The meetings have inspired the membership of the "Fellowship" to share with the communities from which they come, an opportunity to witness and worship in a great Christian fellowship crusade.

The crusade is scheduled for July 21 thru 25 at the Childersburg High School Football Stadium at 7:30 p.m. The Evangelist is Rev. Wallace Henley, Religious Editor for the Birmingham News and a Baptist Minister. Music Director for the crusade is Jimmy Gill, Choir Director of Arkwright Baptist Church.

Churches in Talladega, Shelby, and St. Clair counties are invited to participate in the Crusade. The choirs of all these churches who will sing are asked to come to Harpersville Methodist Church for rehearsal at 2:30 p.m. on July 13th and July 20th.

The public is invited to attend.

Edgar M. Finn, Secretary

Honor roll announced

Nine hundred and fifty-four students enrolled in the Spring semester at the University of Alabama made records of between 2.5 (B plus) and 3 point (A), Dean of Admissions Hubert E. Mate announced today. Of these, 225 made all A's.

Those from Shelby County are: Alabaster: Melva Jane Hardwick - All A's; Columbiana: Randolph Mott Fowler; Carol Horn Shurbet; Helena: Susan Collins Thompson.

Presiding officer's power felt by state legislature

In each branch of the Alabama Legislature, the single most powerful position is that of presiding officer.

Usually, he is an administration man, and may have been handpicked by the governor. His power derives in part from this association, in part from the duties of the office, and in part from a skillful handling of the legislative process that goes beyond any written rules.

Two legislative veterans now hold these offices. Presiding in the Senate is President pro tem Joe Goodwyn of Montgomery County, and in the House, Speaker Rankin Fite of Marion County.

Both men are alike in their mastery of legislative skills. Both have boundless energy and drive. Neither stands in awe of the office he holds, but understands it and uses its powers to their maximum extent. Each one is as effective in the technical duties of his office as it seems possible to be, and each one goes far beyond technical competence alone.

The differences in how the two men work, and in the degree to which they are able to exert their individual wills in the Legislature, lie in their different personalities, and in the different structure of the two branches.

The thirty-five men in the Senate usually can be relied on to exert a high degree of individuality on almost any issue which arises. This fact, together with Senate rules and traditions which encourage more deliberation on issues than is possible in the House, require a lighter touch from the presiding officer. President pro tem Goodwyn presides in just such a fashion. This style also fits Goodwyn's personality, since he is a jovial, outgoing type, with an outwardly easy-going attitude that masks his intense drive.

With 106 members in the House, a higher degree of discipline is required to provide the unity needed to keep it moving in a purposeful direction. This chamber can be swayed easier as a group, either responsibly or irresponsibly, than can the Senate. Such a job fits the telents and personality of Speaker Fite to perfection. when the Speaker sets a goal in the House, he moves toward it firmly and relentlessly. His control of the House is such that he rarely fails to meet that goal.

After the Governor, these two men personally influence the course of state government more than any other person.

Hole found

Another sink hole was discovered in Columbiana last weekend near the Dairy Queen, the site of many such natural cave-ins in the past. A. E. "Codger" Etress reports that an automobile was parked on the area which sank. The car dropped some eight to ten feet and was removed within a few hours.

Etress filled in the hole with chert.

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FLOODED STREAM - - This peaceful little stream on the Wyatt farm overflows crop land after havey rains as a result of beaver dams. Similar situations exist on many farms in Shelby county, according to County Agent Buck Clark. Wyatt is shown in picture.

Beavers cause heavy damage to county timber, farm land

By Lee Stevens

An animal that enticed large numbers of trappers and fur traders into the territory of North America in colonial times for its pelt - helping to open up the area to the pioneers - is costing many Shelby County farmers money.

Beavers have been living up to their reputation and in going about their business of providing shelter and food are damming up creeks and other small streams causing overflow water. This water damages highly fertile crop and timberlands.

According to Shelby County Agent Buck Clark, beavers have increased in numbers in the county over the past five to six years to where they have become a nuisance to farmers.

"Prices of beaver pelts have gone down and trappers have been in a position of finding higher paying jobs they prefer to do over going to the creeks and bringing out beavers in croaker sacks," Clark said.

"Beaver damage is due to colonies of beavers cutting timber and using it to dam up streams. We have seen them make dams over 300 feet in length. The beavers make their homes in these dams," explained Extension Farm Agent Joel Thompson.

The solution to the problem is not that simple according to the extension agents. The sure way is to rid the area of beavers. Several farmers have tried dynamiting the beaver dams but with little success as the animals will rebuild the dams in only a few days.

The best method of eradicating the beaver is by trapping, County Agent Clark said. He recommended use of a Conibear trap that is listed in trappers' catalogues at $850 retail as the most effective and humane trap to use.

"Other traps are less expensive but we believe less effective," Clark said. Information on the trap and its use can be obtained in the county agent's office.

Doug Wyatt - owner and operator of the 400 acre Tarrow Hill cotton, peanut and beef cattle farm near Harpersville - agrees with the county agents that a county or area wide eradication program will possibly be necessary to eliminate beaver damage.

Wyatt has several acres of land along creeks where standing water backed up by beaver dams has killed timber or caused overflow water to damage crops. "We have dynamited the beaver dams but they build right back," he said.

He also stated that his father L. N. Wyatt senior, a brother L. N. Wyatt junior, Dorothy Parker and the Dickinsons and the Robinsons also have beaver damage to farm and timberlands on Tanyard and Little Morgan creeks along the route to where they empty into Yellow Leaf creek.

He also noted that beavers are beginning to populate Yellow Leaf creek near the backwaters of Lay Lake.

J. T. Lovett, a veteran farmer in the Kingdom neighborhood has, according to Farm Agent Thompson, a small stream running through his farms on which a beaver population is building up. The beavers have enough dams on the stream to cause overflow on cultivated land.

Lovett is one of the older farmers of the county. He reportedly will be 95 years old in October of this year, according to Thompson.

County Agent Clark explains that these farmers are not isolated instances of beaver damage. The busy little animals are increasing in numbers along many of the creeks in Shelby County.

BEAVER SWAMP - - Doug Wyatt and Extension Farm Agent Joel Thompson look over a swamp area on the Wyatt farm. Trees and vegetation have been killed by water backed up by beaver dams. Wyatt also experiences crop damage due to overflow caused by beaver dams.

Chelsea OES chapter installs new officers

The Installation of officers for Hixie Anna Chapter No. 490, O.E.S., Chelsea, was held Saturday evening, June 28, at the Chelsea Masonic Lodge. The following were installed for the ensuing year:

Worthy Matron - Allie Daniel; Worthy Patron Leroy Hendrix;

Associate Matron - Virginia Belew; Associate Patron Clarence Alcock.

Secretary - Gladys Isbell; Treasurer - Joan Elliott; Conductress - Laverne Slimp; Associate Conductress - Hazel Williamson; Chaplain - Mae Belle Alcock; Marshal - Mildred Johnson.

Adah - Laura White; Ruth - Leta Elliott; Ester - Virgil Wyatt; Martha - Ruby Lott; Electa - Janie Ansley; Warder - Ruth Salser; Sentinel - Kelly Coleman.

Mrs. Merle Chapman, Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron was Installing Officer with her husband, Tom Chapman, Past Grand Patron, giving the obligation. The others assisting were: Ruth Allison - Installing Grand Marshal; Fredella Carter - Organist; and Elizabeth Belter - Installing Grand Chaplain.

Regular meeting nights are the second and fourth Tuesday's at 8 P.M. in the Masonic Lodge Building. We urge all members to attend and support these officers and your chapter.

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MRS. WILLIAM DAVID CONN

Hinds-Conn wed at Helena church

Miss Linda Kay Hinds of Helena, and William David Conn of Columbiana, were married Saturday, June 21, at 8:00 p.m. in the Helena United Methodist Church. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. William Fred Holmes. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd Hinds of Helena, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conn of Columbiana.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an organza and peau de soie gown designed with an empire bodice and long sleeves accented with lace flower appliques. Her veil of illusion fell from a cluster of organza daisies. She carried an orchid, roses, and stephanoitis on a Bible. Timmy Willis carried the bride's chapel train.

Miss Jean Flowers was honor attendant and bridesmaids were Mrs. Marilyn Coggins and Miss Grace Kendrick. Miss Susan Scott was flower girl and Keith Scott was ringbearer.

Mr. Frank Conn served his son as best man. Groomsmen were Don Carter and Bill Horton. Candles were lighted by Steve Cox and Buster Hinds.

Mrs. June Scott, soloist, was accompanied by Miss Hilda Whitfield, organist.

Following a reception, the couple left for Norfolk, Va. where they will make their home.

New Arrival

Columbiana's newest cisizen has arrived in our town and found a welcome mat waiting for him to step on - - He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Long and was born in Shelby Memorial June 23, 1969. They have named the little "king O' hearts" - - Allen Glover Long.

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Mr. and Mrs. Max Whitson of Shelby, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peoples are enjoying a congenial motor trip through South Carolina and other southern states. They plan to be away for two weeks. Mrs. Whitson is an experienced beautician associated with the B-Love's Shop in Columbiana.

Society Page And Personal Mention

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Priceless heritage

"Oh, say can you see by the dawn's early light
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming?
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thru the perilous fight,
O'er the ramparts we watched were so gallantly streaming?"

On the Fourth of July, in countless communities, the above words of our National Anthem will be resounding.

The "broad stripes and bright stars" depicted by Francis Scott Key above the ramparts of Fort McHenry at Baltimore in the early dawning of Sept. 14, 1814, were on a flag quite different from the one that we will unfurl on July 4, 1969.

The "rocket's red glare and bombs bursting in air" on that historic occasion revealed a flag with 15 stars and 15 stripes. That flag, early in the parade of those which have flown over our land, evolved from others which were created even before we declared ourselves to be a free and independent nation on July 4, 1776.

On, July 4, 1960, a new banner of red, white and blue unfurled on the flag poles throughout our land, when we honored Hawaii by adding the 50th "bright star".

One historian tells us that our American flag is unique among the world's in that it has changed and grown even as the country it represents has grown. The field of stars has been revised many times and may possibly be again. But the familiar 13 red and white stripes are enduring and will always serve to remind us of our humble beginning as a nation.

According to legend, George Washington described the flag in these words: We take the star from heaven, the red from our mother country, separating it by the white stripes, thus showing that we have separated from her, and the white stripes shall go down to posterity representing liberty".

Whether or not it is merely a legend, it speaks volumes about our heritage. For we, today, represent that posterity, and it is we, today, who will determine what our posterity will inherit from us.

Our flag, it is true, has been a changing flag, yet it has always been the same it symbolized to each generation. It represents our indomitable belief in such things as the superiority of the individual, freedom of speech, freedom of religion, freedom of the press and freedom to own property. These are our most cherished inalienable rights and furnish us the reason for observing this annual celebration of Independence Day. Our flag is a proud flag - - and will remain such, as long as those who salute it are worthy of it.

M. W. W.

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Mrs. Faye Roberts is a surgery patient in Baptist Medical Center and convalescing from recent surgery.

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Mrs. Lida Wood is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Roger Poole and Dr. Poole in New Jersey.

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Haynes formed a congenial foursome who have returned to Columbiana after enjoying a vacation in Calloway Gardens

MISS MELVA JANE HARDWICK

Miss Hardwick plans wedding for July 11

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hardwick of Saginaw announce the engagement of their daughter, Melva Jane, to Timothy Lawrence Riley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel M. Riley, Sr. of Saginaw.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Stewart of Leeds, and the late Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hardwick of Odenville. A senior at the University of Alabama, and she plans to teach.

Mr. Riley's grandparents are Mrs. Eva Robinson and the late Mr. Timothy Hattaway of Sylacauga; and the late Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Riley of Saginaw.

The wedding, to be observed by the immediate families, will take place July 11, 1969.

Mt. View Baptist Singing

The regular monthly Saturday night singing at Mt. View Baptist Church will be held July 5 at 7:30 P.M. The "Spiritualaires Quartet from Ragland will be guest singers.

Your presence is requested and will be appreciated.

Firemen fish

Volunteer contributions to Columbiana's alert Fire Department - - those altruistic citizens who stand on "ready" at all hours to answer a call for help when fire threatens your home or mine, made it possible for 12 fish-loving sportsmen to enjoy the past week end in Mexico Beach, about 25 miles south of Panama City, Fla., flirting with the finny tribe. Those who enjoyed this piscatorial expedition included: Fire Chief Harold McCord, W. W. Minor, Gerald Moore, Johnny Howard, John Farr Jr., Sonny Payne, Billy Billingsley, Gaines Farmer, Frank Owens, Norman Lefkovits, Carol Jones and James Palmer.

Columbiana scouts enter driving rally

Explorer Post 560, Boy Scouts of America, sponsored by Columbiana Civitan Club was chartered in March 1969 with ten members and four committeemen. Officers elected were: Benny Davis, Pres., Ray Joiner - First V. P., Richard Dean - Second V. P., Wayne Shiflett - Sec. and Doug Davis - Treas. Other members include: Jim Davis, William Dean, Joe Ogburn, David Pierce, Buzz Walker. Post Advisor - James Foshee. Committeemen - F. E. Leonard, J. W. Curtis, W. E. Billingsley, and Charles Tidmore.

To date the activities of the post consist of a Co-ed steak dinner, tour of Shelby County jail and Sheriff's office; the Birmingham City jail, Birmingham Police Academy, Birmingham Traffic and Misdemeanor court, a class on Juvenile Delinquency conducted by Judge Walden, and a trip to Kilby and Draper Prisons and Lee Youth Center.

On July 12, members of post 560 will compete with approximately 15 other posts in the Birmingham area in Safe Driving Road Rally. Winners will receive a trophy and/or the use of a Cougar automobile for one year - also the winners will go to Detroit this fall to compete nationally.

Scheduled activities this Summer will consist of a trip to Six Flags Over Georgia and a week-end trip to Panama City Florida. In the fall, meetings will continue with Law Enforcement and City Government.

The personnel of Post 560 would like to publicly express their appreciation to Sheriff Walker and his staff, Juc H. E. Walden, and Attorn Oliver Head, for the help th have given us with this progra on law enforcement.

Masons seek information

Oliver Head, promine attorney of Columbiana, h been engaged in a mo interesting research proje that concerns past Worshipf Masters of the Masonic Lod in Shelby County. Mr. He wants a picture and biographical sketch of Masons who have served in th position. If you know of o who has not been contacted - please get in touch with M Head.

At the present time M Head would like to procure picture and a sketch of the lat J. T. Leeper, long time la partner of the late Judge W. W Wallace. If anyone can put hin on the right track for thi information, he will be grateful.

Mr. Head has met with remarkable success in this venture. He has compiled some valuable information and pictures of these distinguished gentlemen - - but more is needed. When this project has been completed, the pictures will be framed and placed i the Masonic Hall i Columbiana as a tribute t their memory. This gesture als represents an expression o lasting appreciation for the contribution to the Masoni organization in our county.

More about this worthwhil undertaking when it has bee completed.

NOTICE

We will be closed on July 4th.

For your shopping convenience we will be open on July 5th.

Columbiana Leader

1776 INDEPENDENCE DAY 1969

the spirit of 1776 must continue to exist if we are to remain great!

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Charles Harrison to wed Miss Brooks

Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Brooks, of Route 1, Oneonta, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Dorothy Jane Brooks to Pvt. Charles Henry Harrison, Jr., of the Army National Guard, Fort Knox, Kentucky, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry Harrison Sr., Montevallo Route 1.

Grandparents of the bride-elect are: the late Mrs. Jennie Brooks, Oneonta, Mr. J. C. Brooks, Arab, and the late Mr. and Mrs. James Mace Alexander Murphree of Oneonta.

Grandparents of the bridegroom include: the late Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lucas, Marvel, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harrison, Montevallo.

Miss Brooks is a graduate of Locust Fork High School and Snead College and holds a degree from Jacksonville State University.

Mr. Harrison, a former graduate of Montevallo High School, also spent two years at Snead College in Boaz. He is currently a member of the 1969 senior class of Jacksonville State University and will return to Jacksonville to complete his education at the University in September 1969.

The marriage will be solemnized in the Shiloh Methodist Church, Allgood, Alabama on August 24, 1969.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam Farmer will leave next week for Indianapolis, Indiana, where Mr. Farmer will join the annual reunion with his World War II "buddies" from the 37th Engineers Battalion which has been held ever since they separated after the conclusion of the World War II fracas. This reunion and "time out" for reminiscing will continue for three days. All will be housed at the Howard Johnson assuring plenty of time for "togetherness".

MISS DOROTHY JANE BROOKS

Fowler awarded two trophies

Conrad Fowler Jr., son of Judge and Mrs. Conrad M. Fowler, of Columbiana, and a member of the graduating class of 1969 from the University of Alabama has been awarded the Jimmy Moore Memorial Trophy and the Dr. Joseph Hirsch Trophy at ceremonies recently held at the University. The awards are made in recognition of A-Club students who have maintained the highest scholastic average. Conrad was a member of the University's Football team for four years and will enter Law School at the University in September to begin work on his chosen profession.

Gaines Hyche family honored at reception

Following the Sunday evening union Service held in the First Baptist Church, June 29, the Rev. Ferman Ritchie, guest speaker, a reception, hosted by the Baptist Church was held at which time Mr. and Mrs. Gaines Hyche and their son, Jim Hyche, were extended a cordial welcome as future residents of Columbiana.

Delectable iced punch, cake, nuts and mints were served by members of the Choirs of the church and a musical program featuring the piano duo, Louise B. and Mildred White Wallace furnished a variety program featuring classical and semi-classical numbers. Before the evening closed, it was learned that this date also marked the 34th wedding anniversary of the widely beloved Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Scroggins, and the musicians then dedicated an appropriate wedding song to them and congratulations and best wishes were unanimously extended.

Approximately 200 people shared the festive occasion.

MISS LINDA AMELDA DORGAN

Miss Dorgan to wed Clifford Boothe

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ernest Dorgan announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Amelda to Clifford Fair Boothe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Boothe of Marvel.

Miss Dorgan is a graduate of Ben C. Rain High School and was a member of various clubs sponsored by the school. She attended Yancey State Junior College, the University of South Alabama and is working toward her B. S. degree in Elementary Education at the University of Montevallo. She is a member of the Azalea City Toastmistress Club and is a Girl Scout leader in Montevallo.

Mr. Boothe is a graduate of Montevallo High School. He has completed his service duty with the U. S. Air Force and is presently employed with U. S. Steel in Fairfield.

The couple will exchange vows August 9, 1969 at the Crichton Assembly of God Church in Mobile.

JOTS & TITTLES from the FALCON

Recently, while catching up on the latest book reviews, we came across the following by J. D. O'Hara:

Grow old along with me!
The best is yet to be.
The last of life, for which the first was made.

"Browning's verse has a nice rhythm to it, but it's a bit brisk for dancing if you're over sixty -- you might stop some Senior Citizen and recite these lines for his aged benefit. But from a cautious distance; some of those canes are heavy."

We laughed sympathetically. Getting out of bed daily at 6 A. M. to open the Falcon Book Store on Main Street in Montevallo by eight isn't always easy. Drop in occasionally and cheer us up. We aren't getting any younger.

Columbiana personal mention

Paul W. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Smith, was recently graduated from Livingston University with a BS degree in Business Administration.

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Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Benefield of Chelsea attended the graduation exercise of their son Dale from Anderson College, Anderson, Indiana. They remained over a few days for the International Convention of the Church of God.

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Friends of Mrs. Imogene Seale will be delighted to learn that she is recuperating satisfactorily following surgery, Tuesday, in Shelby Memorial.

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Pvt. John Duncan has completed U. S. Army basic training and is stationed in Ft. Devens, Mass., John states he is enjoying his work with Uncle Sam's boys, and that he is also keeping up with news of his friends and former classmates through the Reporter each week. This is the kind of "good news" we like to hear.

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We are glad to report to Mrs. Purser Miles friends that she is recuperating satisfactorily at South Highlands Infirmary following surgery last week.

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Brian Gordon and Steve Pierce are cruising along thru the Smokies this week enjoying the scenic attractions along the way.

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Home economists attend meet

Urban problems and social issues were the main topics studied at last week's national meeting of the American Home Economics Association in Boston.

Home economists from Shelby County who attended are: Dr. Rebecca Pate, Sara Nell Lightsey, Sue Dawson, Evelyn Cotney and Betty Coe, all of Montevallo; Marion Cotney, Columbiana and two Alabama College students, Jane Dowell and Linda Miller.

Keynote speaker, Mrs. Patricia R. Hitt, Assistant Secretary of HEW, urges home economists to step up their efforts to fight "consumer ignorance" and to help train volunteer assistants who would bring better home management to the inner city.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank everyone for the food, flowers, and the many acts of kindness shown during the illness, and death of Mr. A. C. McElroy. A special thanks goes to the nurses at Shelby Memorial Hospital and to Dr. Percy Nolan.

The Family of A. C. McElroy

Card of Thanks

We, the family of Mrs. Willie Cost, wish to thank our many friends and everyone concerned for the many acts of kindness and expressions of love and sympathy during the extended illness and death of our dear wife, mother and sister, Mrs. Grace Cost.

Legal Notice
Estate of T. F. Prestridge Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 10th day of June, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Alice S. Prestridge
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of T.F. Prestridge, deceased
6-26, 7-3, 10, '69 †44.

IN MEMORIAM

The day you went away it rained
The sun had lost its glow
It knew how lonely we would be
Since you left us here below.
When the golden bells shall ring for us
We'll gather around the throne
And be together again someday
With everlasting love.

Signed
Wife and children
Marilyn, Tina and Tracie

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank Shelby Memorial Nursing Home, and Hospital for the kindness shown during the illness and death of our Father and brother-in-law John Peeples. A special thanks goes to the Complete Staff of Shelby Memorial Hospital.

The children of John Peeples
and Aunt Geneva Johnson

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the terms of that mortgage executed on the 3rd day of October, 1961, by Willie Bush, a widower to Nationwide Homes Corporation which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, in Record of Mortgage, Book 274, Page 187—8 and default continuing, and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage; the following described property will be sold at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the Courthouse door of said County, during the legal hours of sale, on the 25th day of July, 1969.

All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section 27, Township 19, Range 2, East, of Shelby County, Alabama, and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the Easterly side of an unnamed dirt road running Northerly from State Highway 62, said unnamed dirt road beginning at a point located six-tenths (6/10) of a mile Northeasterly from the intersection formed by the Northerly side of said State Highway 62 and the Easterly side of U. S. Highway 231—280, the beginning point of the property conveyed hereunder being located Four Hundred Twenty Feet (420') Northerly, as measured along the Easterly side of said unnamed dirt road, from the Northwesterly side of said State Highway 62; running thence Northerly along the Easterly side of said unnamed dirt road One Hundred Five Feet (105'); thence Easterly Two Hundred Ten Feet (210'); thence Southerly One Hundred Five Feet (105'); thence Westerly Two Hundred Ten Feet (210') to the Easterly side of said unnamed dirt road and the point of beginning.

It is expressly stipulated and agreed by and between the parties hereto that the lien of this instrument shall be junior and subordinate to the lien of that certain Mortgage between the same parties, dated October 3, 1961, to secure a note in the amount of $4,200.00.

Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt and cost of foreclosure. And will be conducted by Assignee of said mortgage, Stylecraft, Inc.
6-26,7-3,10,'69. †42.

Legal Notice
Estate of Madge Ward Brown Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of July, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law of the same will be barred.

George W. Brown
Executor of the Estate of Madge Ward Brown
†46 7-3,10,17,1969.

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LEGAL NOTICE
Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Lawrence Glass and wife, Mildred Glass, to Merchants & Planters Bank, Montevallo, Alabama, a corporation, on, to-wit, June 13, 1967, said mortgage having been recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 306 at page 222, and said mortgage having been assigned and transferred to Nora Whatley, as shown by document recorded in Deed Book 258 at page 394 in said Probate Office, and default continuing, the undersigned, Nora Whatley, as assignee of said mortgage, under and by virtue of the Power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the entrance of the Shelby County Courthouse in Columbiana, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale, on the 28th day of July, 1969, the following described real estate situated in Shelby County, Alabama, viz.:

Lot 8 in Block 3 Map of 100 acres at Birmingham Junction on E.T.V. and G. Railroad, property of Joseph Hardie as surveyed by J. E. Bozeman, according to Map as recorded in Deed Book 14 on page 239 in Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses incident to said sale, in accordance with the terms and provisions of said mortgage.

NORA WHATLEY, ASSIGNEE
BY Oliver P. Head, Attorney for Assignee
7-3, 10, 17, '69 †45.

Legal Notice
Estate of R. W. Salster Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 23 day of June, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Johnnie Salster
Administrator of the Estate of R. W. Salster, Deceased
Conrad M. Fowler
6-26, 7-3, 10,'69.

LEGAL NOTICE
State of Alabama
Shelby County

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Heart of Dixie

BY ED BLAKE

If you are tired of shooing gnats and sitting in a boat under a parching sun waiting for the bobber to do its thing, relax a moment and dream about the reds and golds of autumn, those frosty mornings and the song of hounds just over the next hill.

We are talking about hunting - - the whistling of dove wings, the explosion of bob-white quail, the thundering hoof beats of a 10 point buck heading in your direction and the morning trumpet of a big old turkey gobbler.

Kind of makes the fuzz on the back of your neck stand up just thinking about what's in store beginning September 22.

Alabama's hunting season always gets off to a blazing start with nearly every gun barrel in the state leading doves across the sky.

The bag limit on doves has been boosted this year from 12 to 18. According to reports the bag limit was increased because the mortality rate of doves is from 80 to 90 per cent even if they are not hunted. Authorities claim that hunting pressure has little effect on the dove population.

Thinking back to the second Saturday of dove season last year, I was sitting in a field where hundreds of doves had been killed the Saturday before and could have counted the number of doves that came in the field on my fingers even though there was plenty of food still on the ground.

We also received reports from other sections of the county that there were few doves around after the first couple of weeks of the season.

Personally, I feel that the increase in the bag limit is an unwise move. What is your opinion?

The dove season this year runs from Sept. 22 to Nov. 10 and from Dec. 20 to Jan. 8.

Quail season is from Nov. 20 to Feb. 28; deer season, Nov. 7 to Jan. 12; fall turkey season, Nov. 7 to Jan 12; spring turkey season, March 20 to April 25; squirrel season, Oct. 15 to Jan. 1 statewide; and rabbit season, Oct. 15 to Feb. 28.

Conservation Director Joe W. Graham expressed concern Friday about the possible damage done to the State's fishery resources by the importation of the so-called "Walking catfish."

Graham urged every Alabamian to assist Conservation officials in keeping this particular fish out of Alabama until proper studies can be completed to determine the effects of the species on the native fish population.

He said the "walking catfish" has been a serious detriment to certain public waters in Florida and there is considerable alarm that this fish could have the same effect on the public lakes and streams of Alabama.

"Many people tend to treat this fish as a joke," Graham said, "but I assure you that this is a serious matter and corrected measures should be taken immediately."

The Conservation Director said studies are being implemented to determine the level of water temperature at which this fish can survive. "Until such studies are completed, we must not permit further importation of this species into Alabama," he said.

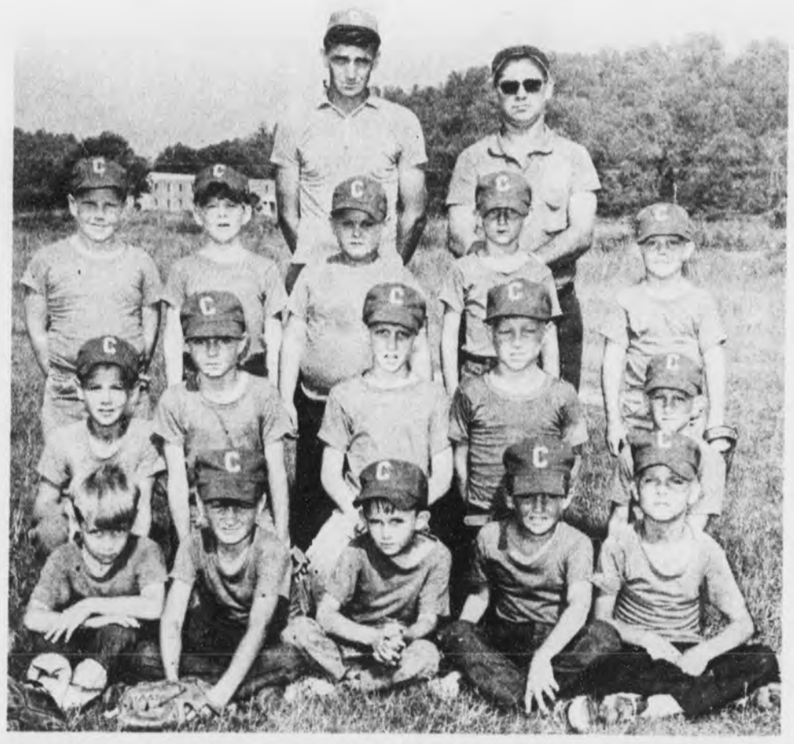
Tomorrow is the beginning of the long Fourth of July holiday. There will be a lot of traffic on the highways and many of these automobiles will be towing boats.

We are in the middle of Water Safety Week and the best way to observe this special week is by following the sound rules of boating safety.

If you are preparing for a boating outing this weekend make a final check before you pull out of the driveway to assure that your family and friends will be riding in a safe boat.

In spite of how well prepared we are, dangerous situations often develop and this prior preparation, knowledge and skill can save a life.

Have a happy Fourth. May the fish be biting, the barbecued ribs cooked to perfection, all the watermelons ripe and all are readers back next week.



WINNERS - - The Cardinals, winners of the Alabaster Cap and Shirt League are managers Cahrles Bird and James Smith (top row from left) Steven Lawley, Allen Hines, Joseph Snell, James Fulton and Eric Boshel (middle row from left) Gary White, Mark Hines, Jeff Davenport, Mike Byrd, Roger Davenport, bottom row from left) Kenny Smith, Jamie Smith, Jimmy Massey, Billy Massey and Stephen Whitfield.

Norris Hamer new coach at Vincent

Norris Hamer, former University of Alabama football star, has been appointed head football coach at Vincent High School.

Hamer will full the vacancy created by Coach Jimmy Jones, who resigned from the Yellow Jacket coaching staff to accept a position at Montevallo High School.

Coach Hamer comes to Vincent from Gardendale High School. While in high school he quarterbacked the Tarrant High football team to an undefeated season during his senior year. Hamer played in three major bowl games while at the University.

Jones coached the Yellow Jackets to a 6-3-1 season record this year for ties in the county and mid - state championships. He will serve as one of the South's coaches in the annual High School All-Star game to be played later this summer at Tuscaloosa.

Don't ever prophesy; for if you prophesy wrong, nobody will forget it; and if you prophesy right, nobody will remember it - - Josh Billings, 19th Century American humorist.

With our servicemen

Marine Staff Sergeant Robert W. Blankenship, son of Mr. C. T. Blankenship of Route 1, Helena and husband of Mrs. Bobbie S. Blankenship of Alabaster, was promoted to his present rank while serving at Camp Smedley D. Butler Okinawa.

A graduate of Thompson High School, Siluria, Staff Sergeant Blankenship entered the service in February 1957.

Airman George R. Davis, son of Mrs. Katye L. Davis, Rt. 1, Montevallo, has received his first U. S. Air Force duty assignment after completing basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. The airman has been assigned to a unit of the Air Training Command at Ft. Lee, Va., for training and duty as a food services specialist. Airman Davis, a graduate of Prentice High School, is married to the former Mary Williams.

U. S. Air Force Staff Sergeant James M. Compton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Compton of Siluria, is a member of the Aerospace Defense Command's 28th Air Division that has won the General Frederic H. Smith Trophy.

Boatswain's Mate 3/C James W. Sharbutt Jr., USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Sharbutt of Route 1, Sterrett, and husband of the former Miss Judy C. Vines of Birmingham, is serving at the Naval Supply Activity, Danang, Vietnam.

M/Sgt Horace L. Horton Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Horton, Rt. 2, Wilsonville, is a member of a unit that has earned the U. S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award.

The sergeant is a graduate of Shelby County High School, Columbiana.

M/Sgt. Raymond L. Fay, has graduated from a U. S. Air Force technical school at Sheppard AFB, Tex.

He was trained as a technical instructor and assigned to a unit of the Air Training command at Wurtsmith AFB, Mich.

His wife, Donnie, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hobson Lucas, Rt. 1, Montevallo.

Army Pvt. George T. Bentley is assigned to Company D, 11th Battalion, 4th Brigade, at Ft. Knox, Ky.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy B. Bently Rt. 1, Columbiana.

Legal Notice

"Pittsburg-Des Moines Steel Company of Birmingham, Alabama hereby serves notice that to all concerned it has completed furnishing, erecting, painting, and sterilizing one (1) 100,000 gallon elevated water tank for the Water Works Board, Town of Vincent, Shelby County, Alabama, otherwise referred to as Contract 18889.

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County team wins first in 4-H contest

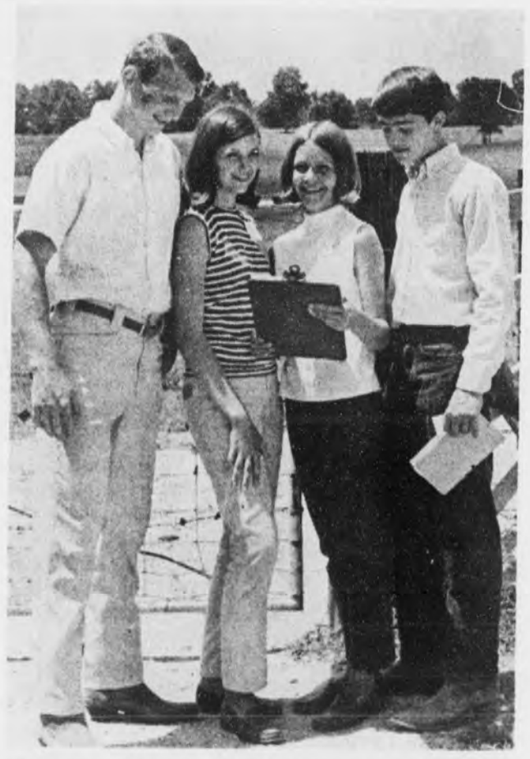
Shelby County 4-H Senior Livestock Judging Team won first place in District IV Livestock Judging Contest held in Shelby County Thursday June 26th.

Members of the team are Susan McEwen, Columbiana, Carolyn Hall, Wilsonville, Charles Wilder, Fourmile, and Randy White, Dunnavant. They will now go on to compete in the State Contest to be held in Auburn July 29th.

Ninety-five 4-H boys and girls from 15 counties competed in the Jr. and Sr. Contests.

Judging of hogs took place at Cosby-Hodges Research Farm at Harpersville and judging of beef cattle at Shoals Creek Angus Farm near Dunnavant.

Charles Wilder had the highest individual score in the hog judging and Randy White had the top score in beef judging.



JUDGING CHAMPS - - Best 4-H livestock judging team in the district is this group from Shelby County (l.to r.) Charles Wilder, Four Mile; Carolyn Hall, Wilsonville; Susan McEwen, Columbiana; Randy White, Dunnavant. They will compete for the state title later in the summer.

Basketball coaches clinic at Montevallo U., July 10-12

The "how's-and-why's" of winning basketball will be presented at Montevallo Thursday through Saturday, July 10-12, during the fifth annual University of Montevallo Basketball Coaches Clinic.

Five of the state's leading basketball coaches, from high school to university, will serve on the 1969 clinic staff.

Key speakers at lecture and demonstration sessions will be: C. B. Strickland Section High School, Section; Herman Williams, Parker High, Birmingham; Glen Clem, Walker Junior College, Jasper; Jock Sutherland, University of Alabama; and Rudy Davalos, Auburn University.

Clinic co-directors are Bill Jones, Falcon head basketball coach, and U of M athletic director Dr. Lone Davis.

Although many college and university coaches attend the clinic each year, the program is designed primarily for high school coaches, according to Jones. This, he noted, makes it unique among coaching clinics in the state.

He said all basketball coaches, junior high through university and college, are invited to attend the three-day session.

The Falcon mentor also noted that registration may be completed in advance or upon arrival at the clinic. Lecture sessions will be held in the Audio-Visual Room of the Student Center, with drill and demonstration programs to be held at the Myrick Hall gymnasium.

HOST COACHES DISPLAY PRIZES - - The first-place trophy and a "shag bag" are two of the awards to be presented for top golf play at the annual University of Montevallo Basketball Coaches Clinic. The golf tournament is a major side event of the three-day clinic. Showing the prizes are clinic co-directors (l–r) Bill Jones and Dr. Leon Davis.

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Columbiana personals

The Rev. Burl Oliver, pastor of the Columbiana Methodist Church, is attending a Seminar now in progress at Emory University.

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Miss Alice Morton of Helena Rt. 1, spent a few days last week in Columbiana as the guest of her room mate Miss Toni Minor. Both are students at Alabama College.

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Dr. Dick Fulton, a distinguished instructor in English at Pan American University, in Texas, is spending the summer in Columbiana with his father, Frank Fulton.

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There is a call for 728 men for military service in Alabama for the month of July. Eight will be called to serve from Shelby County.

No Lights - No Talkee

We did not realize how utterly dependent we were on the telephone and the Alabama Power Company's lights until a storm blew the age-old Elm tree down in front of the Methodist Church last week. Its down fall knocked out both utilities which we have - - for years - - been taking for granted. For many hours, on this above named occasion, it was back to days we have read about called "Pioneer years". We finally rambled around until we found one little candle which lighted our way to Dreamland - - and there we stayed until Old Sol came smiling up over Mt. Dixie to proclaim another day.

Never again shall we minimize the importance of lights and telephone service. These erstwhile luxuries are now absolutely essential!

The Rev. James Clyde Crim, a retired Methodist minister, who recently moved with his family to reside in Columbiana, was guest speaker at the Columbiana Methodist Church Sunday morning at the eleven o'clock worship hour. A Fellowship dinner was held immediately following the morning service.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Lasher (Marie Minor) and Jennifer of Wilmington, Delaware, are spending two weeks in Columbiana as the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Minor.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Billingsley and Tim have returned from a delightful vacation spent in Foley, Ala.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Windle left Saturday for a free wheeling trip through Alabama. "Just taking it easy" - - as Lady Windle remarked before taking off for their annual vacation a la gypsying along the way - - with no particular destination in view and no set routine.

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Buster Suttle of Yale University, is spending the summer months in Columbiana as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Suttle.

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Charles "Gramp" Hendricks, is a patient in Shelby Memorial. "Gramp" - - as he is affectionately called, is 85 years young and has a wide and warm circle of friends in Columbiana who will be glad to learn he is much improved from his recent illness.

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Ed Blake's article on the Jellyfish has caused a lot of comment among the followers of the hook-line and sinker brigade. We saw these Jellyfish specimens he referred to last week and they were swimming around in a jar of water brought in here by Bill Attaway. These members of the finny tribe-are almost invisible. The ones we saw were transparent and seemed to be waving a hoola-hoop around to propel him, her, or it, around the circumference of the glass jar. You will just have to get Bill to fish around for some more of these nervous looking nebulous creatures if you are interested in giving them the once over.

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Good Morning–

'You are Milton Bird,' she said

By Milton Bird

How many times, not knowing, had I put down the words she wanted to read?

You don't know, when you send a word out, how far it will go, or where it will stop. You write it down and away it goes, farther than you know, and to more places than you know, since that is the way it is with words.

Today it is in your heart. Tomorrow it is in other hearts. And others after that. And a man, writing a word down, or saying it, should know in his heart that it is good.

Like last week, on a Thursday, when I went into room 259 at Shelby Memorial Hospital at Alabaster. And there she was propped up on a clean white pillow, looking a little surprised that a stranger had come by to see her.

"The nurses say you can have a candy kiss," I said.

A little smile came out and ran along her lips. A little quivering smile that stirred hidden thoughts in her mind.

"You are Milton Bird," she said after a little. The smile was in her eyes now, making them sparkle.

Outside the wind came up, blowing the leaves in a small oak tree. She looked at the tree, and at the leaves fluttering, and back at me.

''I am Mrs. W. E. Kirkpatrick from Montevallo, " she said. "I guess you don't know me. But I know you. More times than you know, with those little pieces you put in the paper, you have put down just the words I wanted to read."

She had unwrapped the candy kiss and put it in her mouth. It made a little bump on the side of her cheek. Her words came out around it. Then the candy dissolved and the words came out the same as before.

''You know,'' I said, "maybe I should have met you sooner."

"I have wanted that too. But it would have been the same. There were always the words you wrote, and the way I looked for them"

She was quiet then and I though about what she had said. No, you don't know, when you send a word out, how far it will go, or where it will stop. You write it down and away it goes, farther than you know, and to more places than you know.

"I think you have taught me something," I said.

"What have I taught you?"

"That one should be very very careful that what he writes will be jsut the words someone wanted to read, deep down in her heart where all of us really live."

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Dr. Lucille Griffith appointed to committee

Dr. Lucille B. Griffith has been appointed to the American Association of University Womens Committee on Fellowships to American Women. She received word from the National Board of Directors of the AAUW Educations Foundation this past weekend. Miss Griffith will help in the selecting of fellowships for American women in history and social sciences. The Committee on Fellowships meets in February at the Association's Headquarters in Washington, D. C.

Miss Griffith has been a member of the Alabama College faculty since 1946 and is Chairman of the Department of the Social Sciences. She is divisional and local AAUW chairman of World Affairs, and has served as past state president, a member of the national Committee on Higher Education, and is the author of numerous publications in history.

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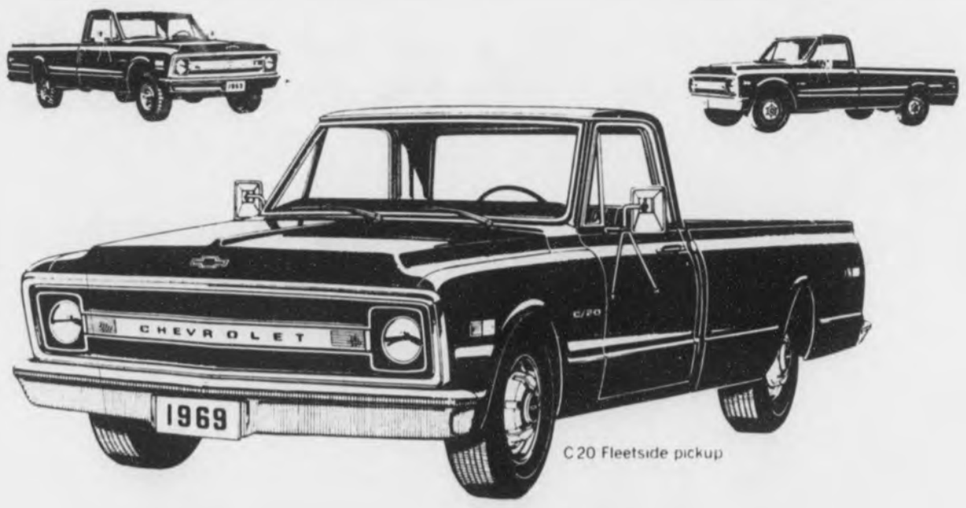

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County team wins first in 4-H contest

Shelby County 4-H Senior Livestock Judging Team won first place in District IV Livestock Judging Contest held in Shelby County Thursday June 26th.

Members of the team are Susan McEwen, Columbiana, Carolyn Hall, Wilsonville, Charles Wilder, Fourmile, and Randy White, Dunnavant. They will now go on to compete in the State Contest to be held in Auburn July 29th.

Ninety-five 4-H boys and girls from 15 counties competed in the Jr. and Sr. Contests.

Judging of hogs took place at Cosby-Hodges Research Farm at Harpersville and judging of beef cattle at Shoals Creek Angus Farm near Dunnavant.

Charles Wilder had the highest individual score in the hog judging and Randy White had the top score in beef judging.

JUDGING CHAMPS - - Best 4-H livestock judging team in the district is this group from Shelby County (l.to r.) Charles Wilder, Four Mile; Carolyn Hall, Wilsonville; Susan McEwen, Columbiana; Randy White, Dunnavant. They will compete for the state title later in the summer.

Basketball coaches clinic at Montevallo U., July 10-12

The "how's-and-why's" of winning basketball will be presented at Montevallo Thursday through Saturday, July 10-12, during the fifth annual University of Montevallo Basketball Coaches Clinic.

Five of the state's leading basketball coaches, from high school to university, will serve on the 1969 clinic staff.

Key speakers at lecture and demonstration sessions will be: C. B. Strickland Section High School, Section; Herman Williams, Parker High, Birmingham; Glen Clem, Walker Junior College, Jasper; Jock Sutherland, University of Alabama; and Rudy Davalos, Auburn University.

Clinic co-directors are Bill Jones, Falcon head basketball coach, and U of M athletic director Dr. Lone Davis.

Although many college and university coaches attend the clinic each year, the program is designed primarily for high school coaches, according to Jones. This, he noted, makes it unique among coaching clinics in the state.

He said all basketball coaches, junior high through university and college, are invited to attend the three-day session.

The Falcon mentor also noted that registration may be completed in advance or upon arrival at the clinic. Lecture sessions will be held in the Audio-Visual Room of the Student Center, with drill and demonstration programs to be held at the Myrick Hall gymnasium.

HOST COACHES DISPLAY PRIZES - - The first-place trophy and a "shag bag" are two of the awards to be presented for top golf play at the annual University of Montevallo Basketball Coaches Clinic. The golf tournament is a major side event of the three-day clinic. Showing the prizes are clinic co-directors (l–r) Bill Jones and Dr. Leon Davis.

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Columbiana personals

The Rev. Burl Oliver, pastor of the Columbiana Methodist Church, is attending a Seminar now in progress at Emory University.

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Miss Alice Morton of Helena Rt. 1, spent a few days last week in Columbiana as the guest of her room mate Miss Toni Minor. Both are students at Alabama College.

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Dr. Dick Fulton, a distinguished instructor in English at Pan American University, in Texas, is spending the summer in Columbiana with his father, Frank Fulton.

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There is a call for 728 men for military service in Alabama for the month of July. Eight will be called to serve from Shelby County.

No Lights - No Talkee

We did not realize how utterly dependent we were on the telephone and the Alabama Power Company's lights until a storm blew the age-old Elm tree down in front of the Methodist Church last week. Its down fall knocked out both utilities which we have - - for years - - been taking for granted. For many hours, on this above named occasion, it was back to days we have read about called "Pioneer years". We finally rambled around until we found one little candle which lighted our way to Dreamland - - and there we stayed until Old Sol came smiling up over Mt. Dixie to proclaim another day.

Never again shall we minimize the importance of lights and telephone service. These erstwhile luxuries are now absolutely essential!

The Rev. James Clyde Crim, a retired Methodist minister, who recently moved with his family to reside in Columbiana, was guest speaker at the Columbiana Methodist Church Sunday morning at the eleven o'clock worship hour. A Fellowship dinner was held immediately following the morning service.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Lasher (Marie Minor) and Jennifer of Wilmington, Delaware, are spending two weeks in Columbiana as the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Minor.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Billingsley and Tim have returned from a delightful vacation spent in Foley, Ala.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Windle left Saturday for a free wheeling trip through Alabama. "Just taking it easy" - - as Lady Windle remarked before taking off for their annual vacation a la gypsying along the way - - with no particular destination in view and no set routine.

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Buster Suttle of Yale University, is spending the summer months in Columbiana as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Suttle.

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Charles "Gramp" Hendricks, is a patient in Shelby Memorial. "Gramp" - - as he is affectionately called, is 85 years young and has a wide and warm circle of friends in Columbiana who will be glad to learn he is much improved from his recent illness.

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Ed Blake's article on the Jellyfish has caused a lot of comment among the followers of the hook-line and sinker brigade. We saw these Jellyfish specimens he referred to last week and they were swimming around in a jar of water brought in here by Bill Attaway. These members of the finny tribe are almost invisible. The ones we saw were transparent and seemed to be waving a hoola-hoop around to propel him, her, or it, around the circumference of the glass jar. You will just have to get Bill to fish around for some more of these nervous looking nebulous creatures if you are interested in giving them the once over.

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'You are Milton Bird,' she said

By Milton Bird

How many times, not knowing, had I put down the words she wanted to read?

You don't know, when you send a word out, how far it will go, or where it will stop. You write it down and away it goes, farther than you know, and to more places than you know, since that is the way it is with words.

Today it is in your heart. Tomorrow it is in other hearts. And others after that. And a man, writing a word down, or saying it, should know in his heart that it is good.

Like last week, on a Thursday, when I went into room 259 at Shelby Memorial Hospital at Alabaster. And there she was propped up on a clean white pillow, looking a little surprised that a stranger had come by to see her.

"The nurses say you can have a candy kiss," I said.

A little smile came out and ran along her lips. A little quivering smile that stirred hidden thoughts in her mind.

"You are Milton Bird," she said after a little. The smile was in her eyes now, making them sparkle.

Outside the wind came up, blowing the leaves in a small oak tree. She looked at the tree, and at the leaves fluttering, and back at me.

''I am Mrs. W. E. Kirkpatrick from Montevallo, " she said. "I guess you don't know me. But I know you. More times than you know, with those little pieces you put in the paper, you have put down just the words I wanted to read."

She had unwrapped the candy kiss and put it in her mouth. It made a little bump on the side of her cheek. Her words came out around it. Then the candy dissolved and the words came out the same as before.

''You know,'' I said, "maybe I should have met you sooner."

"I have wanted that too. But it would have been the same. There were always the words you wrote, and the way I looked for them"

She was quiet then and I though about what she had said. No, you don't know, when you send a word out, how far it will go, or where it will stop. You write it down and away it goes, farther than you know, and to more places than you know.

"I think you have taught me something," I said.

"What have I taught you?"

"That one should be very very careful that what he writes will be jsut the words someone wanted to read, deep down in her heart where all of us really live."

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Dr. Lucille Griffith appointed to committee

Dr. Lucille B. Griffith has been appointed to the American Association of University Womens Committee on Fellowships to American Women. She received word from the National Board of Directors of the AAUW Educations Foundation this past weekend. Miss Griffith will help in the selecting of fellowships for American women in history and social sciences. The Committee on Fellowships meets in February at the Association's Headquarters in Washington, D. C.

Miss Griffith has been a member of the Alabama College faculty since 1946 and is Chairman of the Department of the Social Sciences. She is divisional and local AAUW chairman of World Affairs, and has served as past state president, a member of the national Committee on Higher Education, and is the author of numerous publications in history.

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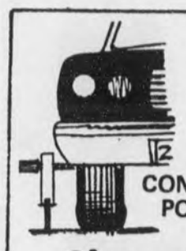
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SESQUI ANTIQUE CAR PARADE - - Driving a Model A Sesquicentennial antique car parade was Sunny Fay Moore of Sterrett, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Otis Moore, Jr. Others representing Shelby County were from left, Debbie Comer, Calera; Bill Bailey, Westover, Susan Lovelady, Shelby County Maid of Cotton; and Sally Sears, Montevallo. The parade was held Saturday in downtown Birmingham.

Tune up for holiday with safe driving quiz

Suppose during your 4th of July trip an oncoming car veers into your lane and hurtles toward you. Which two of the following four actions do you take?

1. Blow the horn. 2. Apply the brakes. 3. Steer as far right as you can. 4. Switch to the lane the other car should be in.

In all but the rarest circumstances, moves 1 and 3 are best. The horn may wake the other driver up, and a right steer is more likely to provide escape than braking or turning into the oncoming traffic lane.

If you're one of 400,000 American teenagers who learned to drive this year with the Aetna Drivotrainer system, you not only knew the answer, you practiced the maneuver in the safety of your classroom simulator car.

But if you haven't tested your safety sagacity lately, maybe you should tune up for holiday driving with these additional questions from Aetna Life & Casualty, developer of the Drivotrainer system:

True-False

1. In case of a blowout, take your foot off the accelerator immediately, then pump the brakes.

False. Ease up on the gas gradually, not abruptly. Wait until the car slows naturally before braking gently.

2. If your car, heavily loaded for a trip, seems easier to steer than usual, your tires need more air.

False. You should move some of the heavier items farther forward.

3. It is sometimes better to steer toward an object in the road instead of trying to miss it.

True. If your choice in an emergency is between hitting a moving vehicle or a minor obstruction in the road such as a rock or animal, choose the latter. If the object is small enough, straddle it rather than swerving to avoid it.

4. A light rain is often more dangerous to drivers than a heavy rain.

True. A light shower makes highways slicker than a heavy rain because road oil and grease "float" on the surface of the moisture. A downpour washes them away.

5. On turnpikes, rear-end collisions are the most frequent type of accident.

False. Most turnpike accidents involve only one car. The statement is true for two-car accidents, however.

6. When an oncoming car fails to dim its lights, you should slow down and watch the right side of the road.

True. If you look directly into the high beams of an oncoming car at night, your eyes won't recover completely from the glare for one full minute.

7. Most traffic accidents occur at night.

False. About three out of four accidents happen in daylight, on dry roads, in clear weather. Most fatalities occur at night, however.

8. For better control on curves, slow down as you begin the turn and accelerate half way through it.

False. You should slow down well before you begin the curve and gradually accelerate about two thirds of the way through it.

9. When passing, you should not cut back until you can see the car you passed in your mirror.

True. This is a handy way to guage a safe distance.

10. In terms of traffic fatalities, the 4th of July is the most dangerous of the three warm weather holidays.

True. So far.

Montevallo News

By Bert Seaman

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ballard recently returned from a 15 day trip to Europe where they visited Switzerland, Holland, Monacco and the French Riveria.

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Miss Lynn Lloyd of Grand Forks, N. Dak. is spending the summer with her uncle, Mr. Travis Killingsworth.

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Mr. and Mrs. Decell Owens with daughters Debbie and Connie spent last week visiting Mrs. Owens' brother and his family in Artesia, New Mexico.

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A farewell tea for Dr. and Mrs. H. Wynn Rickey was given by members of the McCoy Bible Class of the United Methodist Church June 22 at the home of Mrs. M. E. Lazenby. Rickey, who has retired as head of the foreign language department at Alabama College, was teacher of the class for the past five years. He and Mrs. Rickey have returned to their former home in Dallas, Texas.

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Miss Mary Johnston has as her guest this week, Miss Lynn Milstead from Sheffield.

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Fly your flag on the Fourth of July. That's the message being pushed in Montevallo by the Business and Professional Women's Club. Mrs. Laura Lou Roberts, civic participation chairman for the club, urges all homes and businesses to show their partiotism by flying the colors on July 4.

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New Homemakers Club organized at Dogwood

A new Extension Homemakers Club has been organized in the Dogwood Community under the supervision of Mrs. Jimmy D. Spain, President of Shelby County Extension Homemakers. The Club meets the second Thursday of each month at the Dogwood Community Center. At the organizational meeting, the club elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Carolyn Stevens; First Vice President, Mrs. Judy Ballard; Second Vice President, Mrs. Shirley Allen; Third Vice President, Mrs. Yvonne Davis; Secretary - Treasurer, Mrs. Dean Harrison; Devotional Chairman, Mrs. Mary Hall; and Reporter, Sarah Davis.

Center meets

The regular meeting of the Camp Branch - Saginaw Civic Center will be held Monday July 7 at 7:30 P.M. The meeting will be held at Camp Branch School.

Revival planned

The Rock Springs Baptist Church near Calera will hold a revival July 13–18. Evangelist will be Dr. Sigurd Bryan, professor of religion at Samford University. Music director will be Rev. M. G. Fields, pastor of the New Harmony Baptist Church.

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A TWIN TREATING - - When it comes to telling which is Paula and which is Pamela some people get confused, but there is no doubt how the twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Guthrie of Montevallo enjoy a big slice of ice cold watermelon. "Wow! It's great," Pamela yells out as her sister Paula buries her face on the other end of the melon. (Photo by Don Hughes)

Damage to county's corn, hay crops now half-million dollars

Soaring temperatures and a dry rain gauge are causing Shelby County farmers to sweat.

County Agent Buck Clark said Monday that "if we get a heavy rain today, we couldn't make over a 50 per cent corn crop."

Seventeen days with only an occasional shower in some areas of the county and no rain in others have already caused damage that will make it hard for the crops to recover, Clark said.

He estimated damage to the county's 7,000 acres of corn has already reached the $150,000 mark.

Cattle farmers are feeling the impact of the drought now, but will be faced with a greater problem this winter. Pastures are not producing grass for summer grazing and hay production has been severely curtailed. Clark estimated the damage at $300,00 to $400,000.

The amount of damage to the more than 3,000 acres of soybeans in the county is undetermined at this time, Clark explained. The soybean crop can recover if it receives a sufficient amount of rain during the next few days.

The growth of the soybean plants has been retarded by the hot and dry weather. Soybeans bloom in August and farmers are concerned that the plants may not be mature enough to support a normal crop of beans.

Cotton is beginning to suffer from the heat and lack of moisture; however, it is too early to determine what effects the weather will have on the yield, Clark said.

In some areas of southeast Alabama, Clark explained, the farmers' fields are already beginning to look like autumn. In some areas the corn appears to be normal, yet there is little grain on the cob.

Three assaults over weekend

Will Hall, 77, and James Hawkins, 25, both of Montevallo were arrested Sunday on charges of assault with intent to murder, according to Sheriff C. P. "Red" Walker.

Hall and Hawkins were engaged in a shoot out near Hall's home on the Dogwood Road and James Gilbert Brownfield, Hawkins' companion, was shot in the stomach, Walker said.

Brownfield was admitted to the Shelby Memorial Hospital and transferred Monday to a Birmingham hospital.

Albert Rinehart, 43, of Columbiana was charged with assault with intent to murder over the weekend. He assaulted Dan McGinnis of Columbiana with a knife, the sheriff said.

WATERMELON LOVERS - - Taking time out from baseball for a watermelon cutting and eating are (from left) Jerry McDermott, Kevin Hughes and Jeff Lucas. The Montevallo Dixie Youth sponsored the watermelon cutting for all players and their parents on the Fourth of July.

Fowler Veep's launch guest

Judge Conrad M. Fowler has received a personal invitation from Vice-president Spiro T. Agnew to be an official guest at the launching of the first manned lunar landing mission which is scheduled to take place July 16 at the John F. Kennedy Space Center, Florida.

The Apollo II flight, piloted by Astaonauts Neil A. Armstrong, Michael Collins and Edwin E. Aldrin, Jr., signals the beginning of an age as significant and epochal as the historic voyage of Columbus and Magellan. With the successful completion of this internationally heralded event, the United States will establish itself as a spacefaring nation, capable of operating in space for any national purpose that may be required.

Judge Fowler has accepted this coveted national recognition and will leave Columbiana Sunday in time to be present at the epic launching of Apollo II.

Destination - - the MOON!

Soap Box Derby reset July 26

Race date for the Shelby County Soap Box Derby has been changed, according to Derby Director Tommy Snowden.

The race was originally planned for this Saturday; however, it was necessary to delay the race two weeks until Saturday, July 26, Snowden said.

SHIRT AND CAP ALL-STARS - - Members of the Montevallo Shirt and Cap All-Star team are (front row from left) Jerry McDermott, Barry Kornegay, Rick Kirkland, Lee Turner, Steve Rocko, Jerry Stano and Churck Hayes; (back row from left) Joey Martin, Jim Harwell, Jeff Lucas, Jim Hall, Steve Treglia, Mike Winslett, Philip Spain, Homer Lee and Tommy Ingram. (Photos by Don Hughes)

800 attend Nazarene camp dedication day

More than 800 persons attended the formal dedication ceremonies Saturday at the Church of the Nazarene Camp Grounds near Calera.

Dr. Eugene Stowe, general superintendent of the southeastern zone, Church of the Nazarene, presented the dedicatory address. Rev. R. L. Chaney, district superintendent, led the act of dedication.

Members of the Church of the Nazarene were welcomed to the county by Calera Mayor Arthur Davis and Probate Judge Conrad Fowler.

Marion Wilkins represented Governor Albert Brewer at the ceremonies. Dr. Mark R. Moore, president of Trevecca Nazarene College in Nashville, Tenn., also participated on the program.

The first group of campers arrived at the camp grounds on June 30.

More than 500 campers are expected to use the new facilities this summer.

Arid weather through July

If you are a gambler, you can win a bundle by betting on the heat.

High temperatures are here to stay - - at least through July, according to the weather bureau:

"Hot weather is expected to continue in July with average temperatures much above the seasonal normal of 80.3. Rainfall is expected to be light and average less than the normal amount of 5.89 inches."

Coal production at Boothton to resume first of August

The heavy flow of black nuggets that stopped more than 19 years ago in Boothton will begin again shortly.

A. E. Burgess of the A. E. Burgess Company of Birmingham said his company plans to move the first coal through the new preparation plant located at the site of the old Boothton mines the first of August.

The coal will be transported by truck from the Burgess Company's strip mining operation on the north side of the Cahaba River just over the Bibb County - Shelby County line.

A giant dragline, capable of moving 20 yards of dirt per bucket over 300 feet, is being erected now. Burgess explained the dragline will be used to move the over burden from the coal. Rubber-tired loaders equipped with 10 yard buckets will be used to load the coal on 50 ton trucks.

Burgess said no drilling or blasting will be required to remove the coal from the pit.

The large trucks will cross the Cahaba River over a low level bridge and travel three and one-half miles over a private company road to the preparation plant at Boothton.

Burgess said the coal will be crushed only, stock piled and shipped by railroad to the Southern Electric Generating Company's steam plant at Wilsonville.

The company has a 10-year contract with SEGCO, Burgess said. Coal production the first year is expected to reach 400,000 tons, 560,000 tons the second year and 800,000 tons the following years, Burgess explained.

Plans are to employ 30 persons, as many local people as possible, at the new operation, Burgess said.

During the mid 1940's when the Boothton mines were in full production several hundred employees (estimated between 700 to 900 miners) produced just over 350,000 tons of coal in one year.

The huge dragline to be used in the new operation required more than five months to assemble. The machine is as tall as a five-story building, is equipped with a 175 foot boom and walks on feet instead of crawling on tracks.

Burgess said the dragline was assembled on the site from 24 truck loads and 10 railroad cars of parts. The crane cost over $1 million. Another dragline will be added to the operation in about 18 months, Burgess said.

The total investment is over

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MAJOR LEAGUE ALL-STARS - - Selected to represent Montevallo in the Dixie Youth Baseball program are Major League All-Stars (front row from left) Pete Bice, Jimmie Winslett, Charles Pickett, Bert Green, Tim Harris, Jimmie Day, Richard Norton and Lyn Emfinger; (back row from left) Mark Nelson, Ralph Moore, Chuck Lovelady, Peanut Efferson, Randle Owens, Terry Lovejoy, Leslie Green, Stevie Daley, Jimmie Holcombe and David Treglia.

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

Title I funds, recently allocated in Alabama for the coming year, have been released and Shelby County's share is listed as $272,457. The total amount for county and city systems in the state is listed as $31,107,907.

These funds are authorized through Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 and are used to enable a school to offer services to disadvantaged children who otherwise would be deprived of these opportunities.

It is used to finance summer schools to help students falling behind in their grades to catch up to the grade level; remedial reading classes; and the hiring of trained personnel to teach physical fitness in the elementary schools.

Title I can also be used to furnish the money for free lunches to needy children.

The Board of Registrars are in session this week at the Shelby County Courthouse.

The registrars will be in session from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. Thursday and Friday and from 9 a. m. until noon on Saturday.

The board will register voters again on July 21.

Members of the Board of Revenue and Control accepted a bid from the Tanner Communications Company, Inc. of Birmingham Monday for furnishing and installing a sound system in the courtroom of the Shelby County Courthouse.

The equipment includes an amplifier, two sound columns and four microphones. The cost of the system is $765.

Plans are to locate the microphones on the Judge's stand, at the witness stand and two microphones on the attorneys' tables down front.

Many decisions are made in the courtroom that affect many Shelby Countians and the citizenry is entitled to hear the proceedings.

This new sound system should solve a problem that has existed for many years in the courtroom.

Nominations taken for state awards

The Alabama Wildlife Federation is accepting nominations for the Eighth Annual Governor's Conservation Achievement Program according to Federation President, Senator Aubrey J. Carr.

The Governor's Conservation Achievement Program, sponsored by the Sears and Roebuck Foundation, and conducted by the Alabama Wildlife Federation, is designed to encourage the teaching and practice of conservation of the natural resources of the State and to recognize those persons and organizations who make outstanding contributions to the field of conservation.

Recognition is to be given in eleven categories of accomplishment. The categories will be: wildlife, soil, water, forest, education, youth, legislative, communications, law enforcement and organization. In addition to these ten categories, an overall Conservationist of the Year will be named.

Senator Carr said that nominations for awards may be made by anyone as an individual or by civic or conservation clubs. Nominations must be on official nomination blanks. Details may be obtained by addressing a request to Alabama Wildlife Federation, 64 North Union Street, Montgomery, Alabama 36104. All winners will receive a trophy, lapel pin, and certificate of appreciation signed by the Governor and the Secretary of State in ceremonies to be held in Birmingham on the evening of September 6. It is expected that Governor Brewer will make the presentation to the winners at a special recognition banquet held in their honor. Deadline for receiving all nominations will be July 31 this year, and judging will be based solely on the written material submitted by the person making the nomination. Nominations should be based on accomplishments since September 1, 1968.

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Speech workshop at Montevallo

Alabama College's fifth annual Work Shop in Testing of Speech and Hearing Disorders will be conducted at the Montevallo campus July 14–26.

Some twenty-six prominent medical doctors, educators, speech pathologists and specialists in related fields will appear as lecturers and panelists during the two weeks program.

Sponsored by the Alabama College Speech Department, this year's work shop will be directed by speech department chairman, Dr. Laura F. Wright, and Mrs. Loretta G. Brown, instructors and speech pathologists at the AC Speech and Hearing Clinic.

Serving as work shop faculty members with Dr. Wright and Mrs. Brown are Mrs. Faye Churchill, clinical audiologist at the Speech and Hearing Clinic at Montevallo and Mrs. Joy Adams Bloom, clinical audiologist of Birmingham.

The work shop is an intensive training program designed especially for class room teachers, social workers, public health nurses and supervisor personnel in education and social agencies.

Dr. Wright said course work includes study of normal speed and hearing development, demonstration and supervised practice in screening for speech and hearing disorders and consideration of follow up procedure.

She added that the course may be audited or taken for under graduate credit.

Among guest speakers appearing on the work shop program are: Dr. John Rayfield of Talladega, Health Officer for Shelby, Talladega and Clay counties; and Dr. Frances Cannon of Montevallo, associate professor of Education at Alabama College.

Dr. Rayfield will serve as a panelist at 2:40 P. M. Monday, discussing "Public Health Services and communication Disorders". Dr. Cannon will appear as a panelist at 10:30 A.M. Thursday, July 17, to discuss: "The Importance of Discovery and Treatment of Communication Disorders from the Educators Point of View."

Dr. Robert Day named dean at JS

Dr. Robert W. Day has been named Dean of Instruction at Jefferson State Junior College, Dr. LeRoy Brown, president, announced today.

A native of Montevallo, Dr. Day joined the Jefferson State faculty in September, 1968, as an instructor of television-radio broadcasting, economics, and social science.

He succeeds Dr. George B. Pass, who resigned to accept a post in the Jacksonville, Florida, junior college system.

Dr. Day attended Samford University, received his B. S. and M. S. Degrees from Auburn University, and earned his Ph.D. Degree at the University of North Carolina. He has studied above the doctoral level at George Peabody College, Stanford University, the University of California at Los Agneles, and Columbia University.

Before joining Jefferson State, Dr. Day was employed as director of research by the Jefferson County Board of Education. He has taught at Auburn, Samford, UAB, the Air University at Maxwell Air Force Base, Montgomery, and at Stetson University, in DeLand, Florida.

He is a veteran of World War II and the Korea and Vietnam conflicts. Presently, he is a member of the United Air Force Reserve, serving as a liaison officer for the Air Force Academy.

Dr. Day holds memberships in Kappa Phi Kappa, Phi Delta Kappa, and Phi Kappa Phi, education honoraries, and the National and Alabama Education Associations. Dr. Day also is a member of the Downtown Lions Club, Monday Morning Quarterback Club, and the Crestwood Civic Club.

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$2,500,000, according to Burgess.

Burgess said all necessary steps to avoid polluting the Cahaba River will be taken. He said when the strip mining is completed, the ground will be smoothed and reseeded with trees.

"You might as well fall on your face as to lean too far over backward!" - James Thurber.

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MEETS FLOWERS - - Congressman Walter Flowers (D-Ala.) meets with Roger Bice of Montevallo in Washington last week. Roger was attending the FFA annual leadership conference as a representative from Alabama.

Dr. J. D. Thomas prepares report

Dr. James D. Thomas, former chairman of the Social Science Department at Alabama College, has successfully completed the task of defining the functions of state government in terms that citizens might understand.

Dr. Thomas, now an associate professor of political science at the University of Alabama, has prepared a Citizen Information Report on Government in Alabama, a 78-page paperback book that provides a modern description of the constitution, the legislative branch, the administrative branch, the judiciary, local government and the electoral processes.

The book was written to fill the long existing need for citizens to know and understand state government. In order to make the book more readable, Dr. Thomas avoided the use of footnotes and paid tribute to reference material in the foreword.

Well-qualified for the task of defining state government, Dr. Thomas served with the State Legislative Reference Service for eight years (1951-59) and received his BS and MS degrees from Auburn University, his MA from the U. of A. and his Ph.D. from Ohio State University.

The book is available and free to interested citizens through the U. of A. Bureau of Public Administration.

"Going to church on Sunday does not make you a Christian any more than going into a garage makes you an automobile!" - Billy Sunday.

Countians pledge $6,000 to crusade

Reid Long of Alabaster, county chairman, reports that Shelby Countians have pledged over $6,000 to the Lurleen Wallace Courage Crusade.

The amount represents pledges from only three communities, Long said. Community chairman reporting were Mrs. B. T. Kimbrough, Harpersville; P. E. Gamble, Alabaster; and W. J. Kennerly, Montevallo.

The funds collected will be used to build a $15 million cancer hospital in Birmingham. The people of Alabama must raise $5 million to qualify for federal funds, Long said.

According to the county chairman, Shelby County is behind on its goal of $35,000. Long said, "We pledged the support of all Shelby Countians when we were called upon for help in raising these badly needed funds."

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8. Drink Canada Dry ..... Bobby Barnett
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10. Who's Gonna Take Out Garbage ..... E. Tubb & L. Lynn
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Montevallo News

By Bert Seaman

Mr. and Mrs. James Burton Anderson (Lynn Frost), are the paretns of a daughter, Deanna Lynn, born July 5 at Shelby Memorial Hospital. The baby's great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Frost Sr. of Montevallo. The Andersons are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Frost Jr. till Fall when they will return to Jacksonville University.

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Mrs. Pat Kelly and son, Patrick, are enjoying a camping trip through the Smokey Mountains with Mrs. Kelly's mother.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Taylor and daughter, Debbie, will leave next week for their new home in Chattanooga, Tenn.

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Dr. and Mrs. D. R. McMillan left Tuesday for Madison, Wisc. to visit their son and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. Russell McMillan.

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Dr. and Mrs. Walter Trumbauer are enjoying a visit from their daughter, Mrs. Ed Peter, and her two daughters from Albuquerque, N. Mex. Mrs. Peter was soloist at the United Methodist Church here this past Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Bean, Sr. recently visited the USS Alabama, moored in Mobile Bay. Beth Williams, a former student at Alabama College is serving as hostess aboard the ship.

Thomas Cannon at Philmont

Thomas Cannon of Montevallo, is serving as a Ranger at Philmont Scout Ranch and Explorer Base, the national camping area of the Boy Scouts of America. Philmont, a sprawling 214-square mile ranch, is situated in the Sangre de Cristo mountains of northeastern New Mexico.

A member of the Tukabatchee Council, BSA, his duties at the world's largest boys' ranch include training older Boy Scouts and Explorers in the techniques of mountain hiking and camping.

NEW OFFICERS - - Installed as new officers of the Columbiana Civitan Club are (from left) Charles Tidmore, treasurer; Erskine Bentley, secretary; Bob Hume, first vice president; and Francis Leonard, president.

Columbiana Civitans install new officers

New officers of the Columbiana Civitan Club were installed recently by Azor Hayes, past governor of the Alabama Central Civitan District.

Installed were Francis Leonard, president; Bob Hume, first vicepresident; Francis Jordan, second vice president; Erskine Bentley, secretary; and Charles Tidmore, treasurer.

Leonard, re-elected to his third term as president, also will serve as lieutenant governor on the district level.

Gaines Farmer was presented the past club secretary pin in recognition of his outstanding work during the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Denny presented a film made while on vacation in Lancaster County, Pa., heavily populated by the Amish people.

The meeting was held at a restaurant in Clanton.

With our men

The 35th Aeromedical Evacuation Squadron (AFRES), Birmingham, has been ordered to 15 days active duty for their annual summer encampment. The unit commanded by Lt. Colonel Richard H. Burwell, will be on duty at the Birmingham Municipal Airport from 7 July to 21 July 1969. Present for duty will be 8 officers and 29 airmen, all Alabama residents.

Squadron members from Shelby County are: Sgt. John H. Thompson III, Route 1, Vincent.

A1C Oscar H. Cobb II, Route 1, Helena.

A1C Michael C. Story, Route 2, Wilsonville.

Private Douglas C. Jones, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Jones, Montevallo, has been awarded a plaque for scoring highest in his company on the physical combat proficiency test (PCPT) at the U. S. Army Training Center, Infantry.

Private Jones was graduated from Montevallo High School in 1967 and attended Marion Institute. He has been assigned to Ft. Bliss, Tex., for advanced individual training.

Airman David E. Norwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. LaVern E. Norwood of Siluria, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to Keesler AFB, Miss., for training in communications electronics systems. Airman Norwood is a 1968 graduate of Thompson High School.

Airman John L. Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Taylor Jr., Rt. 2, Montevallo, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to Chanute AFB, Ill., for training in the armament systems field. Airman Taylor, a 1966 graduate of Montevallo High School, attended Jefferson State Junior College in Birmingham.

George Wallace on TV Sunday

Governor George C. Wallace returns to the national TV scene this week with an appearance on Sunday, July 13th, on the ABC Show "Issues and Answers".

It is expected that the questioning will concern recent actions of the administration with respect to domestic and foreign affairs, and will seek Governor Wallace's opinion as to the actions being taken by the administration.

After his appearance on the Sunday show, "Issues and Answers" at 1:30 P. M., EDT, the Governor will return to his home in Montgomery.

Jots & Tittles from the Falcon

Summertime is party time, and we want to remind you of our fabulous new party and shower invitations. They are Norcross "pop-Ins" - - utterly different, and very inexpensive. If you are planning a party, do let us show you this line at the Falcon Book Store on Main Street in Montevallo.

Maybe with a little extra summertime leisure, you would like to add daily Bible reading to your activities. If so, you may need a new Bible. Our line is very nice. We would like to show it to you. Come in, soon.

Good Morning–

His name is Mockingbird

By Milton Bird

His name is Mockingbird, the same as mine is Skillet, and Bub's is Bub. When you're born they give you a name and in the end they dig it up and give it back to you. And all those days in between you answer to another name, because that's just the way it is.

Bub and I met Mockingbird on the side of Higdon Mountain. He was hunting rattlesnakes for a Doc in Birmingham and bee-trees for a guy in Bessemer. We talked him into helping us run some land lines that came out of the sky and bounced off the rock cliffs and ended up in the swamps at the foot of the mountain.

It turned out to be quite a day. Because in our crazy mixed-up world there aren't enough Mockingbirds to go around.

We worked with him four weeks, two days a week, and he never mentioned the price of hamhocks, or how high taxes were, or if they were marching in Podunk or Pocatello. I guess he was too busy living.

He could find a sprig of mountain laurel high on the side of a cliff, but he didn't know what university the thugs were taking over that day. He could smell a mountain spring half a quarter away, and couldn't tell you off hand whether it was greed or just plain cussedness that had got us in the pickle we were in. He could spot honeybees at work a hundred yards before we got to the beetree, but he didn't know, or care, why so many people wanted something for nothing in our greedy cock-eyed world. He could go more like a mockingbird than a mocking bird could, but he didn't know why there was more hate in the world than love. He could talk with a turkey gobbler, cheek to cheek and eye to eye, with nothing in his mouth but a green oak leaf, but he only killed for food and couldn't understand why men killed men all over the world for hunks of real estate.

That is Mockingbird Falkner, who lives in a little house up Vandiver way. Who only has time for living, and doesn't give a tinker's hurrah about those other things. A simple down-to-earth guy who takes each day as God sends it, and lives it as if there wouldn't be anymore when this one is gone.

Yep, in our crazy mixed-up world, with a sickness around that nobody seems able to cope with, there just aren't enough Mockingbirds to go around.

Honor roll announced

The deans of the undergraduate schools at Auburn University have announced names of students appearing on the spring quarter honor roll. These represent the top five per cent scholastically.

From Shelby County, they are: Harpersville: Danny M. Wyatt, Engineering; Montevallo: Annie Lucille Lovelady, Education; Barbara Barclay Bell, Home Economics; Sterrett: Gary E. Abercrombie, Engineering; Wilsonville: Janet Garst, Home Economics.

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MRS. GARY OWEN GARRETT

Miss Cameron weds Gary Owen Garrett

Pilgrim Congregational Church was the setting at 7:30 P. M. Saturday, July the 5th for the wedding of Constance Janet Cameron and Gary Owen Garrett. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Francis Cameron of Indian Springs School and Mr. and Mrs. William Mancle Garrett of Harpersville.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a floor length gown of chantilly lace and peau taffeta made on empire lines with full cathedral train bordered with lace. Petals of jeweled lace held her illusion veil and she carried a bouquet of white orchids and miniature carnations.

Mrs. Sam Duke, sister of the bride, as matron-of-honor and bridesmaids Miss Elaine Stubbs of Helena and Miss Bette Hinton of New Orleans wore empire gowns of blue karate trimmed in venetian lace.

The bridegroom's best man was James H. Jones of Montevallo. Ushers were Thomas Garrett, Danny Garrett, and Harold Garrett, brothers of the groom, and Sam Duke of Arab, and Jack Farr of Vincent.

A reception followed in the church Fellowship Hall. The couple will be at home in Vincent.

826 killed during holiday

At this writing 826 people were killed in the USA during the long holiday week end. This out numbers the men killed in Viet Nam. Nineteen were accident victims in Alabama.

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Did you know that July has been designated as Hot Dog month?

Society Page And Personal Mention

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

I Like Americans

Recently a foreigner came to America for a visit. It was his first glimpse of the happy-go-lucky Americanos and this is what he wrote regarding us.

"I like Americans!
You may say what you will,
They are the best people in the world;
They sleep with their windows open
Their bath tubs are never dry,
They are not grown up yet,
They still believe in Santa Claus.
They are terribly in earnest
But they laugh at everything.

I Like Americans

They smoke with their meals
They are so rediculous
They are always risking
Their lives to save a minute
The pavements under their feet are red hot.
They are the only people in the world who can eat their soup
Without a sound as the tide coming in.
They sell their bread hygenically wrapped.
The Europeans sell it naked.

I like Americans
You may say what you will,
But they are the nicest people in the whole wide world."

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Mr. and Mrs. George Pearson, of Columbiana, have returned home following a sight seeing trip to Mobile which included a visit aboard the USS Alabama which is moored in Mobile Bay.

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Homer Walton, Jr. has accepted a position as Librarian at Columbia University in Columbia, S. C. He was a recent guest in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Homer J. Walton in Columbiana.

Mrs. Lanice Wood is enjoying a two weeks visit in Dallas, Texas as the guest of her daughter Lynn Wood Holmes and Mr. Holmes.

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Mrs. Wilma Fore is being sincerely missed at her official post of duty in the post office this week. She is a surgery patient at University Center in Birmingham.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Kirkland are spending their vacation this week and next in Atlanta, Ga. viewing the historic places of interest and attending the 1969 International Assembly of Jehovah's Witnesses currently in session at the Atlanta Stadium.

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Mrs. Grace Sheffield spent the long holiday in her former home town Booneville, Miss., as the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. M. Morris.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. Ogburn, owners of Dairy Bar, have moved from their residence on College Street to the home formerly occupied by the Bill Thompsons on Main Street North.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Randall of Alabaster, announce the arrival of a daughter who was born on June 28, whom they have named Bridget Ann. Congratulations!

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"Guess that old oak tree just got tired standing there and fell down," remarked Tommy Brasher as he viewed, with dozens of others, this age old landmark that toppled, for no apparent reason last Saturday in front of the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wales Wallace. Fortunately, no one was injured.

MISS SHERRY DIANE ANDERSON

Anderson-Yessick to wed August 8

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Lee Anderson of Montevallo, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sherry Diane, to Michael Dale Yessick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond E. Yessick of Alabaster.

The grandparents of the bride-elect are Mrs. Lela Anderson and the late Mr. Walker Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Brewer Carpenter of Montevallo.

Mr. Yessick is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Yessick of Alabaster and Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Dawkins of Cordova.

The wedding will be August 8, at the Enon Baptist Church.

Purdys welcomed as new county residents

The "red carpet" is out this week on the Chelsea -Columbiana Road as friends and patrons extend a sincere "glad-to-have- you-in-our-county" greeting to those VIP known as Katheryn and Margery Purdy, successful real estate dealers who have long been identified with Shelby County but who, until a few weeks ago, resided in Birmingham.

Now Kathryn and Margery have purchased an estate three miles North of Columbiana, and South of Chelsea, and will make their future home in Shelby County.

We join hundreds of their friends and patrons in a sincere welcome to the "Heart of the Heart of Dixie".

Cotton gives comfort without complicated care.

Baileys plan move to Tuscaloosa

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Bailey (Janice Ticen) will soon leave Columbiana to make their future home in Tuscaloosa.

Mr. Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Bailey of Calera, is a member of the graduating class of 1969 at Alabama College where he majored in Chemistry and received a B. S. degree. He has accepted a teaching assistantship at the University of Alabama where he will continue working toward a master's degree.

Mrs. Bailey a former student at Alabama College, plans to continue her college career at the University after spending the past three years in the business world. The Baileys have been residing with her mother, Mrs. Bernice Ticen in Columbiana where both Dan and Jan have a warm and wide circle of friends who will be following their future careers with keen personal interest.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Argo are spending this week vacationing in St. Petersburg, Fla., and other points of interest in this fabulous state.

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Miss Kathy McElory left Columbiana, Wednesday, to join a party chaperoned by Pat Bulger for a three weeks tour of Europe.

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Regret to learn that Mrs. Dixie Shealey is a patient in Shelby Memorial Hospital.

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MISS MICKEY LOUISE MARTIN

Miss Martin plans August 30 wedding

Mrs. William Thomas Pike of Opelika announces the engagement of her daughter, Mickey Louise, to Gary Russell Gore.

The bride-elect's father is the late Mr. Bennett Marion Martin and her grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Swope of Auburn and the late Mr. and Mrs. B. M. (Dad) Martin of Opelika.

Miss Martin attended Samford University in Birmingham following her graduation from Opelika High School. Presently, she is a junior at Auburn University.

The future groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Gore of Zachary, Louisiana. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bentley and of Mrs. C. W. Gore and the late Mr. Gore, all of Columbiana.

He was gradauted from Autauga County High School, Prattville, and he is, at present, a junior at Auburn University where he is employed by the college at the Auburn Student Union Building.

The wedding will be August 30 at seven-thirty in the evening in Memorial Chapel of the First Baptist Church.

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The reason the flag was not flying high in front of the post office building on July 4th - - was a defective mechanical apparatus that draws the rope into position. This explanation is given in answer to numerous inquiries regarding its absence. Mr. Ozley, postmaster, is having it corrected.

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That vivacious personality you were asking me about, now working in the First National Bank is Sue Hyche wife of the recently elected Minister of Music at the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Hyche has been associated for several years with a bank in Selma, and she will be an efficient and experienced addition to the personnel at First National.

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Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith of Auburn, spent the week end in Columbiana, as the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smith.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hinds of Pelham, have returned from a delightful trip to Mobile where they visited the USS Alabama and the USS drum.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Bentley were made happier last week on account of Herr Bell's invention known as the telephone - - Their son, Ellis Jr., called from Saigon and talked with them. He hopes to be home in September having finished his patriotic obligation at that time.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joel Glaze (Ann Wallace) and their four children from Athens, were holiday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon B. Wallace. Naturally, Little Pam, the latest three weeks old addition to this happy household, held the spotlight of attention, and rightfully so!

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Leon B. Wallace, owner of Columbiana Five and Ten, has accepted a position as Field Representative for Singer chain of stores. His territory includes Alabama and Mississippi. During his absence Mrs. Wallace will assume the managerial position at the store.

Cotton fiber looks like a twisted soda straw.

MRS. PERRY GRAHAM SMITH

Miss Renfro weds Perry G. Smith

The chapel of Trinity United Methodist Church in Opelika was the scene of the wedding of Miss Ann Tatum Renfro and Perry Graham Smith, Saturday, June 28, at four o'clock in the afternoon.

The bride's parents are Mrs. Frank M. Renfro and the late Mr. Renfro of Opelika and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy E. Smith of Columbiana.

Dr. Hugh Wilson performed the ceremony. Mrs. Richard Moreman sang and Charlie Boyd was organist.

The bride was given in marriage by her cousin, Crawford Tatum, Jr. of Opelika. Her white imported linen dress was fashioned with a low round neckline, an empire waistline was emphasized with French lace and the short sleeves were edged with lace. The lace motif was repeated down two floating back panels which extended into a demi-train. A net bandeau accentuated with a lace medallion held her full-length veil of illusion which was bordered with lace down the sides. She carried a cascade bouquet of stephanotis, phalaenopsis orchids, fleu d' amour and frenched carnations, completed with English ivy.

Miss Love Vaughn of Opelika was the maid of honor and the bride's only attendant. She wore a floor length dress of aqua Saki with matching empire coat. Her headpiece was an aqua Dior bow and she carried a bouquet in cascade design fashioned of yellow and white Marguerita daisies.

Mike Hill was the best man and ushers were the groom's brother, Ben Smith, and Jeff Hand all of Columbiana.

The bride's mother wore a sheath dress of aqua silk and a corsage of ivory cymbidium orchids. The groom's mother was attired in an ivory crepe dress designed with an overblouse and she wore ivory orchids.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

After a wedding trip to Calloway Gardens the couple will reside in Auburn.

Alabaster OES to install officers

Alabaster Chapter 476, Order of the Eastern Star, will install officers July 17 at 8 p.m. at the Masonic Hall.

Conducting the installation ceremonies will be Mrs. Lois Woodley, installing grand officer; Elena Cost, installing marshall; Pearl Lawley, installing chaplin; and Lewis Lawley, obligation.

New officers are: Alice N. Jones, Worthy Matron; E. G. Blackmon, Worthy Patron; Mary Cox, Associate Matron; Joseph Cox, Associate Patron. Louise W. Hoskins, Secretary; Juanita Posey, Treasurer; Adelia McDaniel, Conductress; Kathleen Kelley, Associate Conductress.

Emily Smitherman, Chaplain; Ethel Gamble, Marshall; Velma McCoy, Organist; Eleanor Goggins, Adah; Ida M. Cumberland, Ruth; Linda Barnett, Esther; Ethel Mathis, Martha; Maxine Davis, Electa, Lillian Lacey, Warder; Monroe Goggins, Sentinel.

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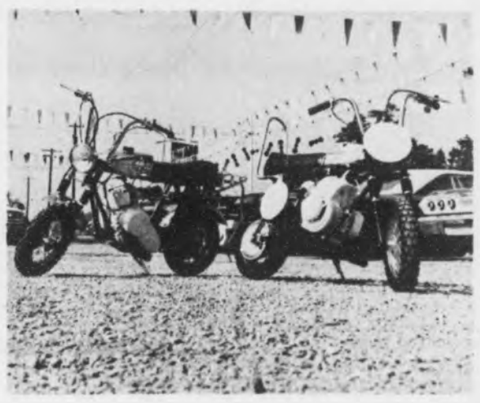
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UM basketball clinic beginsThursday July 10

Five of the state's top basketball coaches will be featured speakers at the fifth annual University of Montevallo Basketball Coaches Clinic, set for Thursday through Saturday, July 10–12.

Staff members this year are: Jock Sutherland, University of Alabama; Rudy Davalos, Auburn University; Glen Clem, Walker Jr. College, Jasper; Herman Williams, Parker High, Birmingham; and C. B. "Red" Strickland," Section High, Section.

Each will present lectures on winning qualities for which his teams are noted.

Sutherland, assistant freshman coach at the University of Alabama, joined the staff at Tuscaloosa last year after establishing at outstanding high school coaching record in Kentucky.

His prep teams played in a number of Blue Grass tournaments and his 1968-69 freshman squad at the U. of A. posted one of its best records in recent years. While in Kentucky he developed his famed "Mad-dog defense," acknowledged by opponents as one of the strongest defenses currently in use.

In addition to regular clinic lectures, Sutherland will be the featured speaker at the Friday evening buffet dinner program.

Rudy Davalos has been a member of the Auburn coaching staff since 1963. A native of San Antonio, Tex., he played basketball at Wharton, Tex., Jr. College and Southwest Texas State.

He led Southwest to the NAIA championship and was chosen to NAIA All-American honors in 1960. He coached basketball at Georgetown, Ky., College and was an assistant to Adolph Rupp at the University of Kentucky prior to joining the Auburn coaching staff.

He now serves as assistant coach to Bill Lynn and is a scout and recruiter for the Tigers.

Glen Clem has established one of the top coaching records among junior colleges in the southeast. For the past two seasons his teams at Walker Jr. College have taken the Alabama State Jr. College Conference crown, and have gone to the NJCAA regional tournaments with state winners from Georgia and Mississippi.

Clem-coached teams took the runner-up slots in the Dixie Jr. College Conference in 1959, '61, '64 and '68. His 1967 team was conference co-champion, and he was chosen as the conference "Coach of the year."

Herman Williams is a native of Birmingham, a graduate of Parker High and was a leading player at Dillard University in New Orleans. He returned to Parker High in 1967, and took the basketball head coaching post in 1968.

His Thundering Herd posted a 30–1 record last season, including a back-to- back win streak of 25 games, and the state 4-A basketball title. He was chosen by a near unanimous vote as Birmingham's "Coach of the Year" for 1968-69.

C. B. "Red" Strickland, whose 1969 Section High squad copped the state 3-A crown, is a 17-year veteran of basketball coaching. His career record now averages almost 23 wins per season.

Average farm, $155 per acre

Who is buying the farmland in Alabama?

Two out of three acres are bought by people who are already engaged in farming and plan to add to their present farm size.

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Urbanization and big highways are also some of the new owners of farmland, especially around our larger cities.

In 1963 the average acre was worth about 120 dollars. Today an average acre of Alabama farmland is worth about 155 dollars. The increase in land value has helped the farmer obtain needed credit.

Autos provide 264,000 jobs

Enough jobs to support a city more than three times the size of metropolitan Montgomery.

That's what Alabama's motor vehicles mean to the state as indicated in a new statistical report released by Joseph J. Moylan, regioanl government relations and information reporesentative of the Automobile Manufacuturers Association.

The report points out that the manufacture, sale servicing and commercial use of motor vehicles in the state accounts for 264,000 jobs. Based on a national employment population ratio, these workers and their families represent a population of 686,400.

Detailed information in the report breaks down the major role played by highway transportation in the state's overall economy. For example, automotive dealers and gasoline service stations account for about 25 per cent of retail trade.

Special studies conducted by AMA show that manufacturers of motor vehicles, not including independent suppliers, operate 18 plants or offices in the state. These employ 2,800 workers with an annual payroll of $25 million. Annual taxes paid by these firms to state and local governments is more than a million dollars.

Motor vehicle manufacturers also spend in excess of $87 million each year for goods and services from some 350 supplier firms in the state.

The 523 new car and truck dealers in the state represent an investment of $56 million, employ 12,200 workers and pay $65 million in wages and salaries.

About 16,000 residents of the Cotton State are stockholders of automotive firms.

The state is moving steadily toward the 1.5 million mrk in automobile registrations. Estimated 1968 totals were set at 1,435,000, an increase of about 37,000 over 1967. Truck and bus registrations were increased by nearly 13,000 to reach an estimated 350,000. Total motor vehicles now registered in the state are 1,785,000.

Alabama residents supported their highway transportation system through payment of more than $140 million in state highway user taxes in 1968. INcluded were more than $103 million in state highway in gasoline taxes, some $30 million in vehicle registration fees and nearly $7 million for other user charges. The state also provides about $93 million to the Federal government in automotive excise taxes.

The state is an important center for the turcking industry with some 196,000 workers involved in the commercial use of trucks.

Trucks make up some 18 per cent of vehicle registrations in the state and pay nearly 40 per cent of motor user taxes.

Alabama's high ranking as an agricultural state is aided by nearly 70,000 privately owned trucks, about one of every four in the state, in use on farms.

About 6,300 school buses transport Alabama pupils to and from classes while nearly 1,200 other buses are used commercially in the state.

Boll weevils increasing

An increase was found this week in the number of over-wintering boll weevils emerging on all four of the cotton fields checked in Shelby County, says Joel Thompson, Extension Farm Agent. He also reported more damage to young squares and terminal buds when it is fruiting heavily. The weevils were found mostly around the borders of the fields and not uniformly over the fields.

The agent says this information is not given to alarm the cotton farmers of the county, nor is it a suggestion that farmers start a poisoning program on their farm. However, it is a suggestion that every cotton farmer start now and scout every cotton field every week to check boll weevil infestation on his individual farm.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the terms of that mortgage executed on the 3rd day of October, 1961, by Willie Bush, a widower to Nationwide Homes Corporation which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, in Record of Mortgage, Book 274, Page 187—8 and default continuing, and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage; the following described property will be sold at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the Courthouse door of said County, during the legal hours of sale, on the 25th day of July, 1969.

All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section 27, Township 19, Range 2, East, of Shelby County, Alabama, and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the Easterly side of an unnamed dirt road running Northerly from State Highway 62, said unnamed dirt road beginning at a point located six-tenths (6/10) of a mile Northeasterly from the intersection formed by the Northerly side of said State Highway 62 and the Easterly side of U. S. Highway 231—280, the beginning point of the property conveyed hereunder being located Four Hundred Twenty Feet (420') Northerly, as measured along the Easterly side of said unnamed dirt road, from the Northwesterly side of said State Highway 62; running thence Northerly along the Easterly side of said unnamed dirt road One Hundred Five Feet (105'); thence Easterly Two Hundred Ten Feet (210'); thence Southerly One Hundred Five Feet (105'); thence Westerly Two Hundred Ten Feet (210') to the Easterly side of said unnamed dirt road and the point of beginning.

It is expressly stipulated and agreed by and between the parties hereto that the lien of this instrument shall be junior and subordinate to the lien of that certain Mortgage between the same parties, dated October 3, 1961, to secure a note in the amount of $4,200.00.

Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt and cost of foreclosure. And will be conducted by Assignee of said mortgage, Stylecraft, Inc.

R. A. Norred, Attorney

6-26,7-3,10,'69. †42.

Legal Notice

To Whom It May Concern"

Construction on a Water System for the Westover Water and Fire Protection Authority, Westover Shelby County Alabama is in the final stage of completion. All claims arising out of this project are to be mailed to

East Gate Construction Co
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Birmingham, Alabama.

7-10,17,24,31/69 †47

State Of Alabama
Shelby County

LEGAL NOTICE

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Lawrence Glass and wife, Mildred Glass, to Merchants & Planters Bank, Montevallo, Alabama, a corporation, on, to-wit, June 13, 1967, said mortgage having been recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 306 at page 222, and said mortgage having been assigned and transferred to Nora Whatley, as shown by document recorded in Deed Book 258 at page 394 in said Probate Office, and default continuing, the undersigned, Nora Whatley, as assignee of said mortgage, under and by virtue of the Power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the entrance of the Shelby County Courthouse in Columbiana, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale, on the 28th day of July, 1969, the following described real estate situated in Shelby County, Alabama, viz.:

Lot 8 in Block 3 Map of 100 acres at Birmingham Junction on L.T.V. and G. Railroad, property of Joseph Hardie as surveyed by J. E. Bozeman, according to Map as recorded in Deed Book 14 on page 239 in Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses incident to said sale, in accordance with the terms and provisions of said mortgage.

NORA WHATLEY, ASSIGNEE
BY Oliver P. Head, Attorney for Assignee

7-3, 10, 17, '69 †45.

Legal Notice
Estate of T. F. Prestridge Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 10th day of June, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Alice S. Prestridge
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of T.F. Prestridge, deceased

6-26, 7-3, 10, '69 †44.

Legal Notice
Estate of Madge Ward Brown Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of July, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law of the same will be barred.

George W. Brown
Executor of the Estate of Madge Ward Brown

†46 7-3,10,17,1969.

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Louis and children of Mrs. Jimmie Denton

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank everyone for all the kindness shown us during the death of Little Rusty Strickland, this expression of kindness means very much to us. A special thanks to Rev. Howard Brasher and Uncle Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Strickland and Family

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Section 2.

All laws or parts of laws which conflict with this act are repealed.

Section 3.

This act shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the governor or upon its otherwise becoming law.

7-10,17,24,31, 1969 †48.

Legal Notice
Estate of R. W. Salster Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 23 day of June, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Johnnie Salster
Administrator of the Estate of R. W. Salster, Deceased
Conrad M. Fowler

6-26, 7-3, 10,'69.

LEGAL NOTICE

State of Alabama
Shelby County

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YOUNG HAY FARMER - - Scott Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Robinson of Wilsonville, stands tall as a youngster but not tall enough to tower over the fescue grass. See story below.

Fescue ideal hay for low pastures

By John Morrow

Scott Robinson, son of Wilsonville Cattleman Ralph Robinson, "Helped" his father cut fescue grass for hay this year - and found the rank growth of grass taller than he was. The young fellow wisely kept out of the impenetrable jungle so that he would not get mowed along with the fescue.

Robinson has found fescue to be the ideal hay and pasture grass for lowland, especially that acreage of lake shore subject to occasional flooding ("flood right easements").

Shelby County Farmers find fescue has more value to some than to others, but local Soil Conservation Service men believe there is a place for some fescue on every farm.

Beef-cattlemen like Robinson can maintain herds through the late winter on fescue, nitrate the fields in early spring, and then cut a heavy crop of hay before summer grasses need cutting.

Alex Ettress, Shelby, was one of the first farmers in Shelby County to recognize the value of fescue as a hay crop, in the eraly 1950's.

Robinson estimates that he harvested 2.3 tons of hay per acre from this field of fescue, which was planted in the fall of 1965, with an initial application of 300 pounds of 13-13-13 fertilizer and two tons of agricultural crushed limestone per acre. This amount of hay is in addition to the forage grown and harvested by grazing.

New Hope News

By Mrs.J. M. Denson

Mrs. Judy Blackmon of Chattanooga was the guest of Mrs. J. M. Denson here Saturday.

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Mrs. Jerry Bishop entertained fifty youngsters at a skating party to celebrate the seventh birthday of her daughter Sheri Lynn.

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Diana and Linda Wright have returned from New Orleans after spending a week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Davis.

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Mrs. James A. Nevin has returned from a visit to Baltimore and Washington.

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Mrs. Patsy Jean Bishop is in Hollywood, Fla. as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Street.

Wrong beneficiary causes problems

By Bill Clark
Veterans' Service Officer

I was just wondering if you heard about the veteran's ex-girl friend. Well, she recently came into quite a "bundle", $10,000.00 to be exact. It was proceeds from his GI insurance. His wife and children got nothing.

How come? Well, he named his girl friend beneficiary while in the service. After he got out he married someone else but "forgot" to file a change of beneficiary with the VA. The law states that the VA must pay the beneficiary of record.

How about you? Are you sure that the ones you want to get your insurance are officially named on the VA records? If you need assistance or advice contact your Veterans' Service Officer, Bill Clark, in the Courthouse Annex in Columbiana.

The first cotton gin was turned by hand.

Westover News

Miss Tennyson marries Carl Glass

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

The lovely wedding ceremony of Miss Sherry Tennyson of Westover and Mr. Carl Glass of Alabaster took place in the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, on Saturday evening, June 28, with the Rev. C. C. Sheets reading the nuptial vows.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Presley Tennyson, of Westover, was given in marriage by her father. She wore an original gown of white bridal satin, with long sleeves, and a lace front appliqued with seed pearls. The elbow length veil of net was held by a cluster of satin roses. A circular train of the bridal satin was covered with lace, also. The bride's bouquet was an arrangement of orchids, entwined with beads, and lace.

Attendants of the bride were Mrs. Ronnie Thomas, marton of honor; Mrs. Steve Collins and Miss Jackie Wood, bridesmaids; Miss Lou Ann Tennyson and Miss June Glass, junior maids; Teresa Chappel was flower girl, and Pete Tennyson was ring bearer.

The bride groom son of Mr. and Mrs. Hermis Glass, of Alabaster, has as his best man Ronnie Thomas. Ushers were Steve Collins and Wayne Jones.

The wedding music was furnished by Mrs. Donald Gardner at the piano, and Mr. Frank Chappel singing "Because."

A reception followed the wedding ceremony in the recreation room of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Glass will make their future home in Westover.

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Automobile accidents on Highway 280 still is the number One problem of our community. The steep little hills over which a speeding car suddenly springs into view and the sharp curves around which cars speed appear to be the greatest contributing factors of the accidents. The latest victims are Mrs. Harold Wortham, Michael Wortham, and Rusty Smith. After an overnight stay in the hospital, Michael was taken home, but Mrs. Wortham and Rusty Smith are still in the St. Vincent Hospital where both are suffering from broken legs. The bumped fenders, cars in the ditches, and screeching tires go unrecorded in the traffic reports, but they are all a daily part of the traffic routing on this hazardous highway. We hope that our Highway Commissioners are doing all they possibly can to speed up the construction of the Four-lane Highway, so that more of these accidents may be avoided.

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Mrs. Walter Payne was hurrying to the B'Ham airport on Monday afternoon to meet her son, Larry Davis, who is home for two weeks, from Washington, D. C. Larry received his discharge from service about two weeks ago. He will return to Washington after his vacation to resume his career in photography.

Other visitors in the Walter Payne home recently were Mrs. Robert Davis and son, from Selma.

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Robert Paul Whitfield, son of the E. W. Whitfields, left on Thursday for duty at Jacksonville, Florida's Cecil Field. On the 28th of July, he will leave for the West Coast, from which he will sail for duty in Viet Nam.

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Friends and relatives of our community have been saddened with the recent deaths of three of our former citizens, Mrs. Annie (Enoch) Tennyson a member of Prospect Church, passed away at the Cottage Hill Nursing Home in Pleasant Grove, with burial at Pleasant Grove. She was the mother of Mr. Presley Tennyson, of Westover.

Mrs. Jessie Vanderslice, a former resident, and member of Mt. Zion Church, passed away in Birmingham last week. Funeral services were held at Mt. Zion Church with burial at Union Cemetery.

Mrs. Myrtle Orange passed away in Birmingham and was buried at Union Cemetery. She was the sister of Mrs. Minnie Morrison, Mrs. Edna Boggs, and Mr. John White.

Blake writes for magazine

The July-August issue of Southern Outdoors, a national bi-monthly magazine, holds widespread local interest as this edition contains an article written by Ed Blake, General Manager of the Reporter, whose special feature each week bearing the title - "Whistling Through Dixie" has won for him many followers.

Evidently his merry whistle has been heard outside the limited confines of Shelby County, for Southern Outdoors devotes about three pages to his article called: "Night Bassing with Plastics" with illustrations featuring Mayor Bowden of Wilton demonstrating how he fishes for bass with plastic worms.

This article by Mr. Blake marks but the beginning of a series of articles to follow purchased by national periodicals. This little personal paragrpah, regarding the first feature to be released, is but the beginning of more successful landings of his stories predicted by those of us who are privileged to work with him day in day out and realize the unlimited potentialities of his fluent penpoint.

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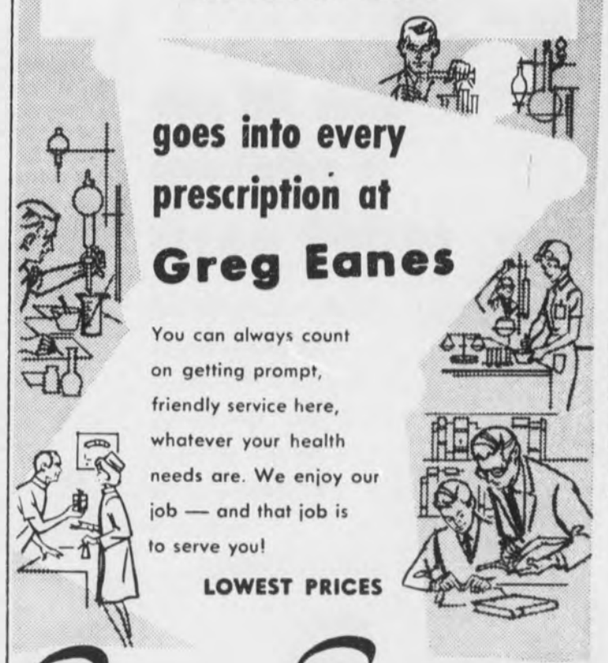

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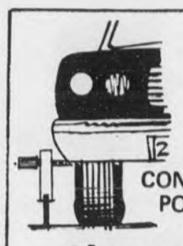

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APA plans meeting at Point Clear

Baldwin County's Point Clear has been chosen host city for the annual summer convention of the Alabama Press Association.

Choice of the Mobile Bay site was announced today by APA President Joel P. Smith, Publisher, The Eufaula Tribune.

Smith said the newspaper organization chose Point Clear after receiving invitations from publishers of The Baldwin Times of Bay Minette, The Fairhope Courier and The Onlooker of Foley.

The meeting will be held July 17–19.

Several important activities are scheduled.

Smith said the Alabama Press Association Journalism Foundation Board of Directors and the APA Board will meet and that winners in the group's annual Better Newspaper Contest will be named.

Plaques and merit certificates will be awarded top entries in the competition.

Smith pointed out that a record number of 41 weekly newspapers submitted more than 300 different items for judging in 17 categories.

Dinner held at school

Full cooperation between parents and teachers of the forty-five children attending the W. A. Jones summer school is making this school both interesting and informative.

On June 27, the parents honored the children and their teachers, with a dinner served family style in the school's cafeteria. This event is but one of the courtesies extended proving that cooperation between all parties concerned in this project is making of it a most successful venture.

Mrs. Bernice Kidd, Mrs. Isabella Nelson and Mrs. Elois Ramsey, instructors at the school, express their appreciation for this parental interest which has added an enthusiastic response to their efforts.

FASHION TWIST - Although modern women of the western world are still influenced by French designs when selecting clothing, their men have become rigidly dominated by those of the British. For formal wear they appear in a full dress suit whose coat is reminiscent of an 18th century English hunting coat. To crown this fashion, they choose the traditional top hat - - a refinement of the English crash helmet.

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COUNTY WINNER - - Gail Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cox of Helena, is shown with the exhibit she will enter in the District IV 4-H Project Contest to be held in Birmingham. She is one of several county 4-H members to participate in the contest.

Prompt payments assure SS benefits

Failure to pay Social Security taxes can delay payment and decrease the amount of a maid's benefits when she becomes 65, Mr. Coppinger said.

Often when maids or other household employees apply for benefits, it comes to light that all Social Security taxes have not been paid.

IRS then has to secure delinquent returns, Forms 942, from the employer, sometimes covering several years with a substantial amount of taxes and penalties due.

No taxes are due on amounts paid to persons who are independent contractors and not household employees. Mr. Coppinger said this exempts payments to painters, plumbers, repairmen, carpenters and others who provide household services as independent contractors.

You can obtain the tax form you need - - 942 - - from your Internal Revenue District Office. The instructions are printed right on the form including tables showing how much Social Security tax you should be withholding.

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25 Years Ago--

Civitans celebrate first birthday

On May 19, (1944) at Siluria, the Civitan Club of Buck Creek, representing the towns of Helena, Pelham, Keystone, Alabaster, and Siluria, celebrated their first anniversary of the organization of the club. Fred Phillips was master of ceremonies. The Rev. W. D. Bowling, Club Chaplain gave the invocation. The group of 98 civitans, their wives, and guests, joined in singing America after which Dr. Courtney Shorpshire, founder of International Civitan, told the history of the Civitan organization from its incepiency.

Officers for the new year included: Henry M. Johnson, president-elect; K. B. Moon, retiring president, and H. Dunlap secretary and second vice-president.

Capt. J. L. Brakefield of Birmingham was the guest speaker for the occasion.

25 Years Ago

Mr. Jim Kimbrough of Harpersville attended the Shriners Convention in Miami, Fla., which met on May 10-11.

25 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stinson of Nashville were week end guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stinson. During their visit a motor trip to Mobile was enjoyed.

25 Years Ago

Nelle Curtis Fulton and her Girl Scout Troop spent Saturday in Montevallo attending Girl Scout Day.

25 Years Ago

Wylodine White Hill is bussing it to Kansas this week to join her husband Elvin Hill who is stationed there with Uncle Sam's boys.

25 Years Ago

Friends are extending congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cleckler this week as they learn of the arrival of a son on May 11, (1944). They have named the new arrival Daniel Wilkins Cleckler.

25 Years Ago

Cinderella and her Prince Charming will be presented in an operetta at the High School auditorium Tuesday evening. This production is directed by Miss Irene Bishop; the Elementary School Queen will be crowned preceding the operetta.

Mary Howard Curlee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Curlee of Columbiana, was chosen one of the "Favorites" on "Elite Night"!

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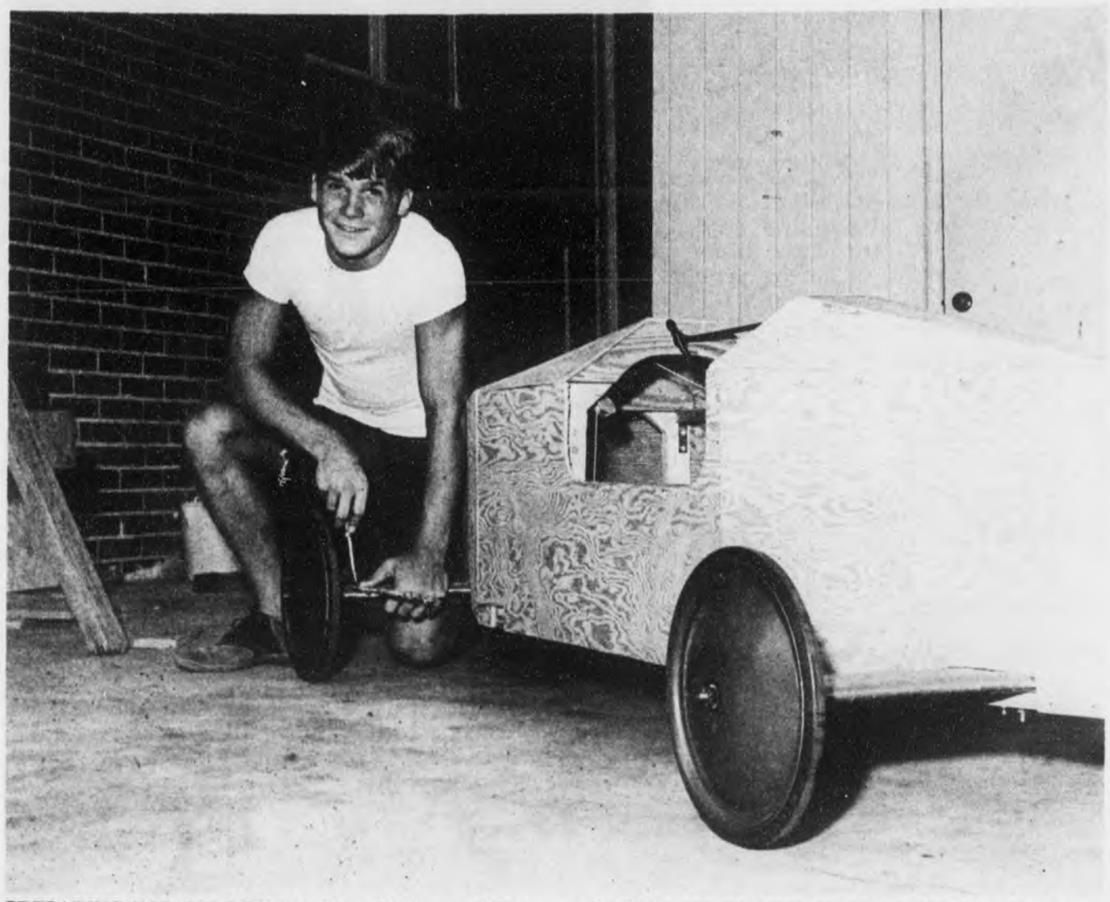


PREPARING FOR BIG DERBY -- Steve Golden of Calera is tuning up his racer for the first annual Shelby County Soap Box Derby scheduled for Saturday, July 26, in Calera. Steve was the first boy in the county to enter the derby and will be one of eleven entrants racing for a trophy, a $500 savings bond and the opportunity to race in the National Soap Box Derby. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Young racers vie for high stakes in county's first soap box derby

Eleven Shelby County boys are tuning up their racers for the first running of the Shelby County Soap Box Derby set a week from Saturday in Calera.

Derby Director Tommy Snowden said the race will begin at 4 p.m. Saturday, July 26, on the Spring Creek Road one block west of the National Guard Armory in Calera.

The boys will be competing for a $500 savings bond, a trophy and the opportunity to participate in the National Soap Box Derby scheduled later this summer in Akron, Ohio.

The winner of the local derby will be racing for over $30,000 in prizes in Akron.

Pariticipating in the Shelby County Soap Box Derby are Steve Golden, Calera; Thomas Coin, Jr., Alabaster; Steven Barrow, Columbiana; Keith Alexander, Montevallo; Marty Whitfield, Helena; David Armstrong, Wilsonville.

Phillip Robinson and Kenneth Robinson, Siluria, Rt. 1; Phillip Seales, Camp Branch; Kenneth Ray White, Alabaster; and Doug Street, New Hope.

Snowden said the entrants will meet this Saturday at the Calera National Guard Armory. Their racers will be safety inspected, weighed-in and the boys will be briefed on track procedures.

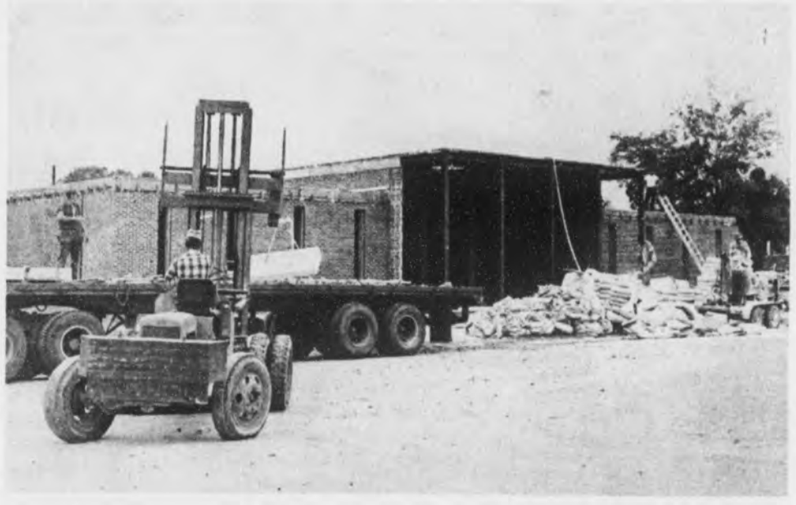
Charles Sides from the Jefferson County Soap Box Derby will be at the meeting Saturday to assist the local derby officials.

Snowden said each boy participating will be issued a safety helmet and racing shirt at the meeting Saturday.

The boys will display their racers Friday evening, July 25, at the Calera Armory for the public's inspection.

A special feature of this year's race will be an Oil Can Derby scheduled to precede the main event, Snowden said.

The Shelby County Soap Box Derbt is sponsored by the Calera, Columbiana and Alabaster Jaycees and the county Chevrolet dealers.



TAKING SHAPE - - Workmen at left are shown unloading pre-cast concrete to be used in the construction of the new Shelby County Library. The new structure is being built at the rear of the Shelby County Courthouse in Columbiana.

Planner: '200 new housing units needed in Montevallo by 1972'

By Marcia M. Sears

Blasted for "nonaction", Montevallo may be getting more advice than it bargained for when it hired a city planning expert to diagnose the city's ill and make plans for future development.

In his most recent booklet, "Montevallo Improvement Plan," planner Gordon Butcher of Finch-Butcher Associates, says Montevallo's overriding problem is nonaction on the part of the overall community.

He says that nonaction has contributed greatly to blight and the spread of blight in the city.

He takes the town to task for "poor appearance . . poor housing . . poor people" and says there are poor hopes for the future if the problems are not corrected.

Two hundred new housing units within the next three years are needed he says, to house the people now living in dilapidated housing. "Too many substandard structures are permitted as places for human habitation."

A study he conducted two years ago in south Montevallo indicated that 87.5 per cent of the occupants of poor housing cannot afford to buy or rent adequate housing from private owners. Thus he recommends public housing units be constructed.

On the subject of appearance, Butcher cuts deep. He says Montevallo does not present the appearance it could and should. Aside from decay and unkept structures in various parts of town, he says people ignore cleanliness and neatness throughout the overall community.

He hits both city officials and private enterprise for this negligence.

The garden clubs will not be happy to hear that he says "there are almost no good examples of landscape examples observable". He suggests and immediate massive landscape operation. He also notes that "where cooperation by the private sector is not evident, the city should make appropriate use of its police power to eliminate present and future deterrents to good appearance."

In the three years since Butcher was hired to study Montevallo, the city has followed through on several of his recommendations. Some 20 acres of land have been acquired for parks and recreation. New street signs are almost ready to be installed and new zoning and subdivision regulations are ready for adoption.

Conservationists meet July 23

More than 400 persons are expected to attend the seventh annual meeting of the Area Three Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisors next Wednesday at the Hall Thompson Farm near Sterrett.

The meeting is being held in conjunction with the Shelby County District Supervisors annual picnic. Official hosts are John Lewis Cates, Rex O. Perry, Arthur C. Parker, Lawrence W. Garrett and B. F. Hatchett.

The program begins at 10:30 a.m. with a welcome address and introduction of local guests by John Lewis Cates, chairman, SCD supervisors.

Participating on the program are John W. Young, Area 3 Vice president,

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CALERA CAFE FIRE - - The ravages of Sunday night's fire at the Calera Cafe are shown above. The kitchen was severly damaged and the dining area will require extensive renovation. Calera's volunteer fire department brought the blaze under control. It also damaged the taxi stand next door.

Non-publish bill opposed by press

The Alabama Press Association has objected to the method used by a House committee in approving a series of bills which allow cities to adopt proposed building and zoning codes without publishing them in full in a newspaper.

The House Local Government Committee, headed by Representative Gene Garrett of Uriah, reported the bills out June 24 in a secret session.

APA, in a letter from its legislative committee chairman, Barrett Shelton, Jr., of The Decatur Daily, said that a secret session was not the proper way to go about dealing with such measures.

"In effect," Shelton said, "what the House Committee has done is approve a set of bills which would make it much harder for the people to find out what their own city hall is doing and have done it in a manner that attempts to prevent the people of their counties from knowing what they did."

Pushing for the legislation has been the Alabama League of Municipalities. The League contends that the costs of printing sometimes lengthy, new building and zoning codes or ordinances are prohibitive.

On June 4, Shelton said, at the request of APA, public hearings were held by committees in both houses of the Legislature.

At the conclusion of the Senate hearing, he said, the Municipalities Committee, in the open and by recorded vote, approved the bills. They were put on the Senate calendar and are still there.

The House Government Committee, on the other hand, failed to vote and nothing further was heard until after its secret session June 24.

The Press Association told both committees that the public's right to know about the regulations and the danger that some ordinances will not be made public outweigh the cost of advertising the proposals in full as required under present law.

No action has yet been taken by either house as a whole.

Shelton said that if the measures are allowed to pass and become law they will simply make it harder for the people, the average citizen, to find out what is going on in local government.

MOVIE MAKERS - - Frank Sloan aims his movie camera at county buildings as he shoots footage for the Development Board's film. Board secretary Homer Walton, (r), hopes the film will encourage industries to locate in the county.

Promotion of county by 16mm color film

The big picture of life in Shelby County will soon be available on color movie film through the efforts of the Shelby County Development Board.

The Board's executive secretary, Homer Walton, said in Columbiana Tuesday that the film is being made primarily to show to persons who are interested in establishing industries or businesses in the county.

The finished movie will have scenes of existing industry, the Alabama College campus, public schools, some of the nice homes to show the advantages of living in the county, and some of the recreational opportunities available.

Frank Sloan and George Starcher of Columbiana are in charge of the photography. Sloan will edit the film and write the dialogue. Ralph Sears of Montevallo will serve as narrator.

Walton said that industrial prospects seldom have the time to adequately tour the county when they are looking for an industrial site. For this reason, the 25-minute 16mm movie is expected to save time in telling the Shelby County story and encouraging industries to locate here.

Fisherman drowns at Oak Mountain

Lee Lewis Cosby, 54, of Birmingham drowned Wednesday afternoon in the fishing lake at Oak Mountain State Park, according to Sheriff C. P. "Red" Walker.

The accident occurred at about 3 p.m. The body was recovered after 7 p.m. Wednesday by the Cahaba Valley Rescue Unit, Walker explained.

According to reports Cosby and a companion were fishing when one of the men fell in the boat causing both men to fall into the water.

Walker said Cosby was wearing heavy rain gear.

Bill Attaway, Alabama Water Safety Patrolman, is making a thorough investigation of the drowning.

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

The next term of the Shelby County Circuit Court will begin in Columbiana on August 4 and continue for three weeks. The grand jury will also convene on this day and begin deliberations on 52 cases now on the docket for investigation and disposition. Judge Kenneth Ingram, of Ashland, is the presiding Judge; James A. Sharbutt, the District Attorney; and Oliver Head, County attorney.

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Ann Ingram Armstrong (Mrs. Doyce Armstrong) has accepted as assistant bookkeeping position in the Board of Revenue and Control office.

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Judge Conrad M. Fowler, who attended the lunar launching, at Cape Kennedy, Wednesday, will be back in his office in the courthouse Thursday morning to attend to any official business that may need his personal attention.

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The Board of Revenue awarded a contract for communication equipment to Chapman Communications at its meeting Monday. Chapman was low bidder for radio equipment which will connect the Civil Defense department with various other county departments. The low bid was in the amount of $1,826.50.

The next meeting of the Board will be Monday the 21st.

Sheriff deputies were expecting to serve warrants Tuesday to two men on charges of attempted grand larceny of a hog.

Lt. Kyle Lansford said a Dunnavant farmer reported the two men were at his pig pen and had hit one of the hogs on the head with a pipe.

One of the men fled on foot and the other escaped in an automobile, sheriff deputies were told.

County briefs

Bible School is in progress at the Wilton Baptist Church. Teachers are Mrs. Glenda Terrell and Mrs. Barbara Horton.

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Emily Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie S. Powell of R. 2, Calera has been graduated in business and clerical studies from the Clinton Job Corps Center, Clinton, Iowa.

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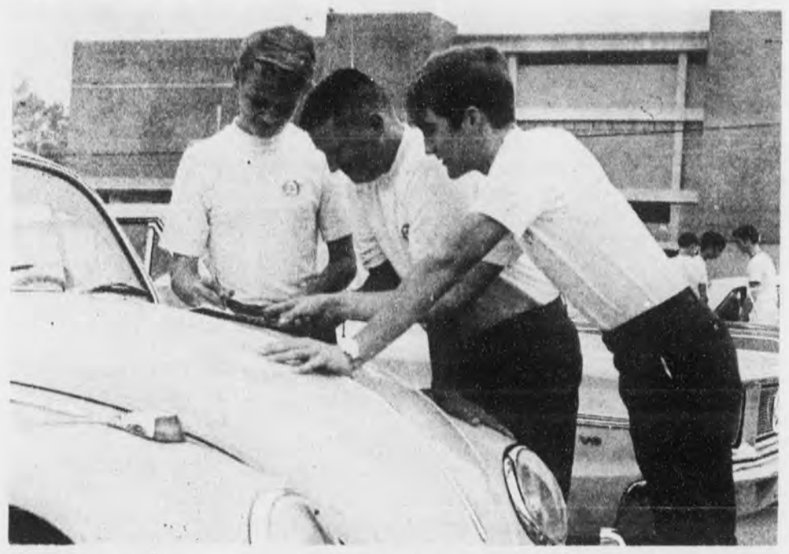
It's a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eastis of Wilsonville. Born July 8 and weighing 10 pounds, 4 ounces, she is named Carla Marie.



STUDYING ROUTE - - (From left) Richard Dean, Douglas Davis and David Pierce, members of Columbiana Explorer Post 560, map their strategy before entering the Exploring Grand National Safe-Driving Road Rally held Saturday in Birmingham. The Explorers scored 25 points, an above average rating, over the 125-mile course. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

Alabama products headed toward landing on moon

By Senator Jim Allen

This is the week that as the world looks toward the moon, it sees Alabama.

Literally millions of words have already been written about the outstanding contributions Alabamians have made to the nation's role in space, dating back 11 years ago when the Army's scientists, engineers and technicians from Redstone Arsenal launched the Free World's first satellite.

This week's flight of the Apollo 11 marks a new milestone, however, as man first puts foot on our mysterious neighboring planet.

People throughout the world rightfully give credit to Marshall Space Flight Center's workers - - the engineers, typists, clerks, everyone - - who have provided history with an unmatched record of technological achievements. Through their efforts, these Huntsville - based earthmen have produced for the United States the Saturn V rocket that has moved this nation ahead of the Russians in space exploration.

Often overlooked among the flow of words, however, is the fact that credit for success of the space program is also shared by literally thousands of other Alabamians and hundreds of Alabama industries.

For example, during the past nine years, more than 300 industrial firms and businesses in more than 30 towns and cities in every section of Alabama have been involved in work for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. This figure is actually a low one because it doesn't include all those firms which have been working as subcontractors.

Perhaps you or someone in the family, or a neighbor or a friend helped provide something for the Saturn program - - a printed form or a complicated electronic component. These Alabama-made goods have been brought together with items made in 48 of the other States of the Union to get us to the moon. Alaska is the only state not listed.

In addition more than 1,046 of the college graduates employed by Marshall Space Flight Center are products of Alabama colleges and universities. This is far more than any other state.

There is no question that the public school and college faculties deserve a great deal of credit for having educated this fine group of men and women.

Truly, people are Alabama's most important product. Every adult and every child in each of our 67 counties has earned an honest share of pride for this week's Apollo 11 effort.

Certainly during this historic week, all of us offer our prayers and hopes for the welfare and success of the moon shot, and the safe return to earth of our brave astronauts.

New movie on Alabama available

A new movie entitled "Scenic Alabama" is now available to Shelby County school and church groups.

The movie was previewed recently by Governor Albert Brewer and members of the state legislature.

The 16 mm color film gives the viewer a 30-minute tour of Alabama's scenic and historic points of interest, its colorful pageants and festivals, its educational and cultural institutions and its agriculture and industry.

It can be obtained locally through Bill Scale in Columbiana.

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American Legion to convene Friday

Alabama members of the American Legion and Auxiliary will begin their annual three-day convention in Birmingham on Friday, July 18. This meeting will be the 51st gathering of the organization since its founding in Paris at the end of World War II. Over 1,200 members (and Auxiliary) from throughout Alabama will be on hand to establish the policies of the Legion and to hold election of officials for the ensuing year. It is expected that this will be the largest convention in the State since the end of World War II.

Commander Andrew J. Cooper from Troy will ring the traditional bell to open the weekend session at 2:30 p.m. The program includes an impressive array of guest speakers from local and national sources.

Automobile accidents in 1968 injured more than 4,400,000 persons on America's highways. Driver error, according to The Travelers Insurance Companies annual statistics, was responsible for more than 80 percent of last year's highway casualties.

Legal Notice
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New highway use tax schedule announced

The Internal Revenue Service has revised the highway truck use tax schedule of taxable gross weights, Mr. W. T. Coppinger, IRS District Director for Alabama, said today.

The truck use tax, enacted in 1956, is one source of funds to help finance Federal participation in the Interstate Highway Program.

The new schedule, published as regulations in the Federal Register of May 8, is effective July 1.

The truck use tax is $3 per 1000 pounds or fraction thereof for trucks with a taxable gross weight of over 26,000 pounds. The taxable gross weight is the unloaded weight of the truck plus the maximum load customarily carried. Mr. Coppinger explained that the tax must be computed in accordance with the new schedule of taxable gross weights prescribed for each type of vehicle.

The revised IRS schedule contains 21 weight categories for single unit or straight trucks, tractor-trailers and truck-trailer combinations. This schedule, Mr. Coppinger said, recognizes that larger trucks are using the highways, and also that some trucks are of sturdier construction, and are carrying heavier loads.

The taxable gross weight of a four-axle single unit truck under the old schedule went to 40,000 pounds, while the weight of such a truck goes to 80,000 pounds under the new schedule. Tractor-trailer combinations go as high as 74,000 pounds in taxable gross weight and as high as 76,000 on truck-trailer combinations.

Also included in the new schedule are categories of all three types of vehicles with five axles or more not previously listed in the schedule. These categories have formulas to determine taxable gross weight no matter how heavy the trucks.

The revised schedule is the result of a study begun in October of 1968, when the IRS noted that some single unit trucks with more than four axles were operating on public highways, Mr. Coppinger said.

The regular period for the highway use tax runs from July 1 through June 30 of the following year. The truck tax return Form 2290 for a truck first put into use during any month must be filed with the IRS at the Internal Revenue Service Center, 4800 Buford Highway, Chamblee, Georgia 30006 by the end of the following month.

Owners of trucks in use on public highways on July 1 when the new schedule is put into effect, or put into use during July, have to file a return by September 2, because August 31 falls on a Sunday and September 1 is a legal holiday.

The IRS did not change the fee schedule for buses operating on public highways.

Montevallo News

By Bert Seaman

Miss Joan Anthony, bride-elect of Mike Pickett, has recently been honored at a number of pre-nupital parties. A recipe shower and buffet luncheon was given by Mrs. Ralph Sears June 26 and a linen shower and luncheon was held at Vestavia Country Club with Miss Margie Scott as hostess.

Misses Linda Byrd and Lucile Lovelady entertained the couple July 15 with an evening cookout at which time they were presented a barbeque grill. A luau was given in their honor last Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brown with Mesdames Felix Lewis, Earl McGaughy, and Zane Nathews also serving as hostesses. A bridesmaids' luncheon was given by Mrs. Arthur Bolton Jr. Those attending were: Misses Beth Anthony, Margie Scott, Mary Ellen Lewis, Mrs. Larry Jo Pickett, Mrs. Frances Anthony and Mrs. Carl Pickett.

After the rehearsal of the wedding on Friday evening, a party will follow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Harper of Marvel. Mrs. Carl Pickett, Mrs. Raymond Bearden, and Mrs. Cecil Thompson will also be hostesses.

The wedding will take place July 19 at 7:30 p.m. at the Montevallo Presbyterian Church.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Younblood Jr. of Los Angeles, Calif., are the parents of a son, Jon Thomas, born July 11 at Long Beach, Calif. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Youngblood Sr. of Montevallo and Mr. Grover Hayes of Wilton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smitherman with son Chris spent several days last week vacationing in Panama City, Fla.

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Miss Mary Frances Tipton, president of Montevallo Branch, AAUW, attended the Alabama Division three-day Workshop Program on the campus of Jacksonville State University.

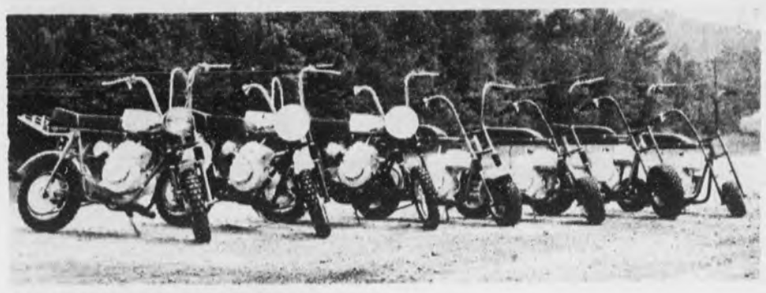
OBITUARY

Annie Horton Cooper

Funeral services for Annie Horton Cooper, age 80, were held at Summer Hill Baptist Church last week. Mrs. Cooper had three sons Leo, Marian, and Howard all from Columbiana, and two daughters Onzell Dupree, and Jerry Blyth both from Sylacauga. She had one sister Mrs. Willie Stagner, 32 grandchildren and 40 great grandchildren.

The burial was at the adjoining cemetery.

Almost 70,000 motor vehicles were involved in fatal highway crashes in 1968. Of these, more than 55,200 were private passenger cars, according to The Travelers Insurance Companies annual statistics.



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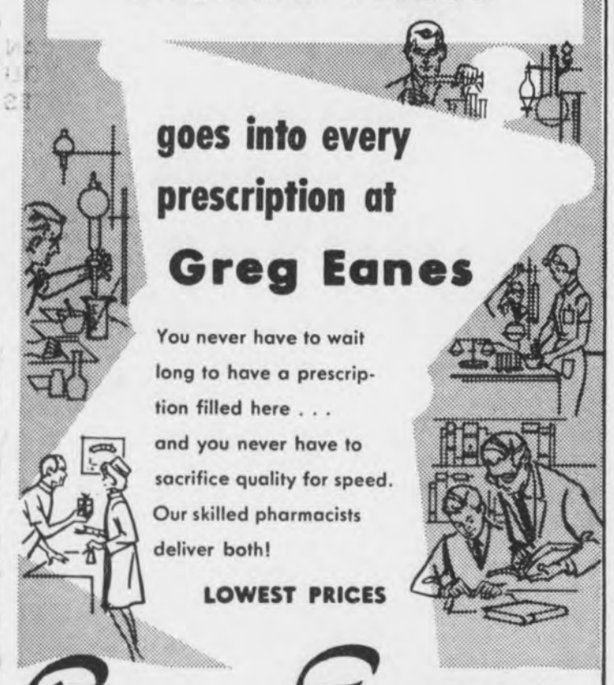

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Society Page And Personal Mention

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Todays' thought

A paragraph we read in the Claremont, Minn., News, furnishes us with an item to begin our penpoint ramble up and down Main Street this week. It seems especially appropriate at this time of year with schools closing down for summer vacation. It reads as follows: "When I was a student I was quiet. I didn't protest. I wasn't unwashed. I wasn't obscene. I made no demands of prexy or dean. I sat in no sit-in. I heckled no speaker. I broke not a window. I had no entanglement with the police. Few students were meeker. I'm forced to admit with some hesitation, all I got out of school was an education!"

With students in rebellion in some of the largest colleges in the USA demanding changes of many varieties - - in some cases even demanding that they be allowed to select their own instructors and their own administrators, one can but wonder what kind of an educated specimen will evolve therefrom if - - and when - - these demands are granted.

Viewing this youthful mass uprising from a ringside television seat, we are about to come to the conclusion that Darwin might just have had something in his theory of evolution; and that some of these wild looking he or she mods, pictured on the silver screen, might still be struggling in the throes of evoluting. What do you think?

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Mrs. E. J. (Margie) Sullivan, having completed 39 years in the teaching profession says she is calling it "quits" and will not teach next semester.

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Friends of George Starcher will be glad to learn that he is recuperating satisfactorily at the Eye Foundation Hospital in Birmingham following surgery.

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Mrs. Dixie Shealey, we are glad to state, is convalescing from surgery performed last week at Shelby Memorial.

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Mrs. Klein, mother of Mrs. Ann Davis, is resting comfortably in Shelby Memorial after suffering a painful hip injury due to a fall last week which occurred at the Methodist Church while she was attending a WSCS circle meeting.

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Tommy Harrison, who has been a student at Mississippi State, tells me he will enter Samford University in September and begin a course leading to a degree in Law. He will be a member of the Junior Class.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lee, of Columbiana, joined other relatives and their friends at the Alberta Fair Grounds last Sunday where the Reynolds family held its annual reunion. A delectable barbecue was served at the noon hour to 75 members of this family.

Joiners' dog shot from car

Whoever is guilty of deliberately shooting Mr. Jack Joiner's faithful watch dog from an automobile passing his home one night recently - - should see this poor animal suffering in a cast that covers almost his entire body making it impossible to help himself. Perhaps this "look see" would make an indelible impression on the culprit and would prevent further cruelty to helpless animals.

The law has been called and we join others in hoping the guilty one may be caught and punished for this inexcusable inhuman act.

MRS. LARRY EUGENE PACK

Miss Ellen Erwin honored with parties

The marriage of Miss Ellen Erwin and Larry Pack inspired several pre-nuptial festivities.

The bride-elect was honored with a miscellaneous tea shower at the home of Mrs. James R. Alexander in Wilton on June 14. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Morris Mims, Miss Nellie Gray Strother, Mrs., Garland Splawn, Mrs. Milton Terrell, Mrs. James Leach, Mrs. B. B. Curry and Mrs. Cage Head.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jenks and Miss Virginia Ann Jenks entertained the bride-elect with a brunch at their home in Vestavia Hills on June 21. Guests were wedding attendants, the mothers and grandmothers of the bride and groom elect; Mrs. Murray W. Fancher, Mrs. Robert L. Harrison, Mrs. Marie K. Oesterling, Mrs. Larry Bishop and Mrs. Michael Melton.

Mrs.George Towery and Mrs. Peter White were hostesses at a luncheon for the bridesmaids at the home of Mrs. Towery on July 11. Included were the attendants, mothers and grandmothers of the couple, Mrs. John Gardner and Mrs. Barney Champion, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Pack entertained with an after rehearsal dinner at the Triple "J" Restaurant in Alabaster. Guests included members of the wedding party, parents and grandparents, Mrs. Alice Brumbaugh, Mrs. Ray Bailey and daughters and Mrs. Joe Bancroft, Sr.

Baptist youth go bowling

Friday night was "Youth Yak" night at the First Baptist Church when a Bowling Party composed of the young people, chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Gaines Hyche, left at midnight to enjoy a Bowling Party at Holiday Bowl. Following the game an early brunch was served.

Erwin-Pack wed July 12

Miss Ellen Morgan Erwin of Wilton and Mr. Larry Eugene Pack of Montevallo were married Saturday, July 12 at 7:30 p.m. at the Wilton Baptist Church, with Reverend Joe R. Bancroft officiating.

The bride's parents are Mrs. Sara Lacey Erwin of Wilton and Mrs. Claude Eugene Erwin of Bedford, England. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Eugene Pack of Montevallo.

Mrs. Alice Brumbaugh was organist, and Mr. Ted Pritchett was the soloist.

Miss Anne Bashore of Galesburg, Illinois, was her cousin's honor attendant, and bridesmaids were Miss Virginia Ann Jenks of Huntsville and Miss Debbie Pack, sister of the groom. Miss Melinda Splawn was junior bridesmaid.

The attendants wore gowns of maize karate with empire bodices accented with lace. Their illusion veils were held with matching lace, and they carried colonial bouquets of summer flowers.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of candlelight silk organza over peau de soie, with bodice, sleeves, and old fashioned neckline of peau d'ange lace. Her veil of illusion was held to a lace prayer cap, and she carried a bouquet of roses, stephanotis and ivy.

Mr. Packs' father served as best man. Groomsmen were Ray Bailey, Trussville; Joe Bancroft, Jr., Wilton; Gary Dennis, Gadsden and Tim Pack brother of the groom.

The bride's mother chose a robin egg blue silk and worsted A-line dress with matching lace elbow length sleeves. The groom's mother wore a lemon yellow spun linen sheath dress with re-embroidered lace and soutache trim. Both wore rose corsages.

A reception at the Baptist Student Center, Montevallo, followed the ceremony.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in Pensacola, Florida.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. John Gardner, Galesburg, Illinois; Mrs. George Mulberger, Rochester, Michigan; Dr. and Mrs. S. Fred Strain, Memphis, Tennessee; Mrs. John Gillespie, Thomaston, Georgia; Mrs. Charles Carter, Tallahassee, Florida; Mr. and Mrs. George Harris and Susan, Harrisburg, Mississippi; Mrs. Joe Clark, Canton, Mississippi; Mrs. Stanley Erwin, Miss Pam Peartree, Huntsville.

Mr. Tom Thompson, Gadsden; Mrs. Lois Gillespie, Mrs. W. C. Erwin, Montgomery; Mrs. Ruby Faulk, Mrs. M. A. Pearson and Libby, Selma; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bailey, Tuscaloosa.

Regret to learn that Mrs. Gertrude Bell is a patient in Pell City Hospital with the possibility of a transfer to a Birmingham hospital due to an attack of pneumonia.

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Cards across the miles from vacationing friends indicate that many of our friends are enjoying Florida's playgrounds. Among them this week are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Argo.

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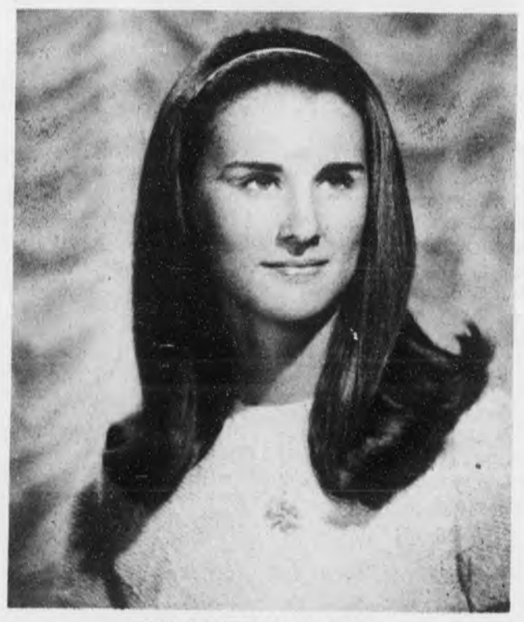
Tracey Hardison and Sally Smith of Columbiana will return this week after a ten day camping trip to Camp Winnataska.



MISS BEVERLY JO FREE

Miss Free to marry Thomas Brackett

The engagement of Miss Beverly Jo Free to Mr. Thomas Charles Brackett is announced today by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Allen Free of Birmingham.

Parents of the prospective bride-groom are Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Brackett of Birmingham, formerly of Wilsonville.

Miss Free is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Free of Decatur.

Mr. Brackett will receive his degree in Electrical Engineering from Auburn University.

He is the grandson of Mr. Elmer R. Brackett of Elgin, Illinois, and the late Mr. Brackett, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hammond of Sioux City, Iowa.

The wedding date is set for September 6, at the Vestavia Hills United Methodist Church, Birmingham.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howell Horn have moved from the Wooley apartment into their own home recently completed on Mildred Street.

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Mrs. Mae Sims marries John Perry

The spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turner in Birmingham on the evening of July 12, 1969 furnished the setting for the wedding of Mrs. Mae Bozeman Sims of Columbiana, and John Perry. The Rev. F. P. Richey officiated.

Mrs. Sims honor attendant was Mrs. Martha Turner and Mr. Bob Ivey served the groom as best man.

Preceding the eight o'clock ceremony, an appropriate musical program was presented by Mrs. Crim, pianist and Mrs. Wayne Sims, soloist.

The bride was beautifully gowned in a pink linen sheath topped with a lace coat with which she wore a white orchid corsage.

Floral arrangements throughout the home were yellow and white gladiolas.

Following the ceremony a reception was held and delectable iced punch, cakes, mints and nuts were served by Mrs. Carlye Sims and Mrs. Martha Warner.

After a wedding trip to the Smokey Mountains, the couple will reside in Birmingham.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joel Thompson have returned home after enjoying a vacation spent in Virginia. They had as their distinguished guests during the week end, Judge and Mrs. Orris Florence of Birmingham. Judge Florence is assistant judge in the Probate Office and Mrs. Florence is Mrs. Thompson's sister. We were delighted to have the privilege of meeting them during their stay in Columbiana.

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Sand Mountain Migrant Workers Visited

Marilyn and Sherri Hughes, Kristy Parrish, Jeanie Turner and Glenda Lightsey, accompanied by Mrs. Barbara Joiner, director of G. A. organization, left Monday to remain for a week on Sand Mountain at Henegar, as the guests of Baptists interested in teaching the Bible to the Spanish speaking children of the migrant workers who have arrived to help gather the potato crop for which this section of Alabama is noted.

During this summer these GA girls have completed making 62 Health Kits to be distributed among these children which they carried with them.

Jots & Tittles from the Falcon

Our summer season is about half gone, and as I predicted, it is different from each one which has preceded it. But, as always, that makes for interest and challenge.

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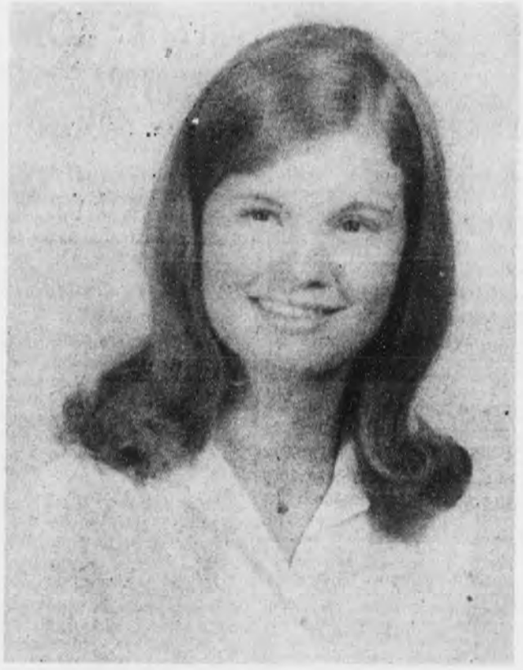

MRS. WILLIAM EDGAR LOVELADY III

Tisia Baker weds Eddie Lovelady

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Baker of Route one, Montevallo, announce the marriage of their daughter Margaret Letitia to William Edgar Lovelady III.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovelady are graduates of Montevallo High School. They will continue their education at Alabama College where Mrs. Lovelady is enrolled in summer school.

Friends and co-workers in the Tax Assessor's office are missing pretty and personable Mable Franks this week. We regret to learn that she is a surgery patient in Baptist Medical Center.

It was nice having the privilege of greeting a former resident of Columbiana last Thursday when we happened to meet Perry Letson on Main. Perry now resides with his family in Prattville. He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Letson who resided for many years in Columbiana during which time Mr. Letson served as Superintendent of Education and was the founder of the County's Consolidated School system.

Dr. Leverett speaks to Girls Auxiliary

Dr. Margaret Leverett, professor of Sociology at New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, was the distinguished guest speaker Saturday at 2 o'clock P. M. at the First Baptist Church in Columbiana, when the Girls Auxiliary Association convened.

The theme used for this outstanding occasion was "Way Down Yonder in New Orleans". The Education Hall was decorated with wrought iron furniture and magnolia floral arrangements portraying a typical southern setting. Barbara Joiner is the director of this group and she was assisted on this occasion by Gaines Hyche, Youth Director of the church.

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Sammy Daniel and Mike Key will be numbered among the thousands of Boy Scouts attending the Jamboree in Idaho this week, according to Mrs. J. M. Denson of the New Hope community.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Shurbet (Carol Horn) and their little daughter, Kelli of Jackson, Miss., were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Yeager Horn.

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Allan Suttle of New Haven, Conn., is the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Suttle this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hughes and family have returned home after enjoying a visit with her parents in Orlando, Florida.

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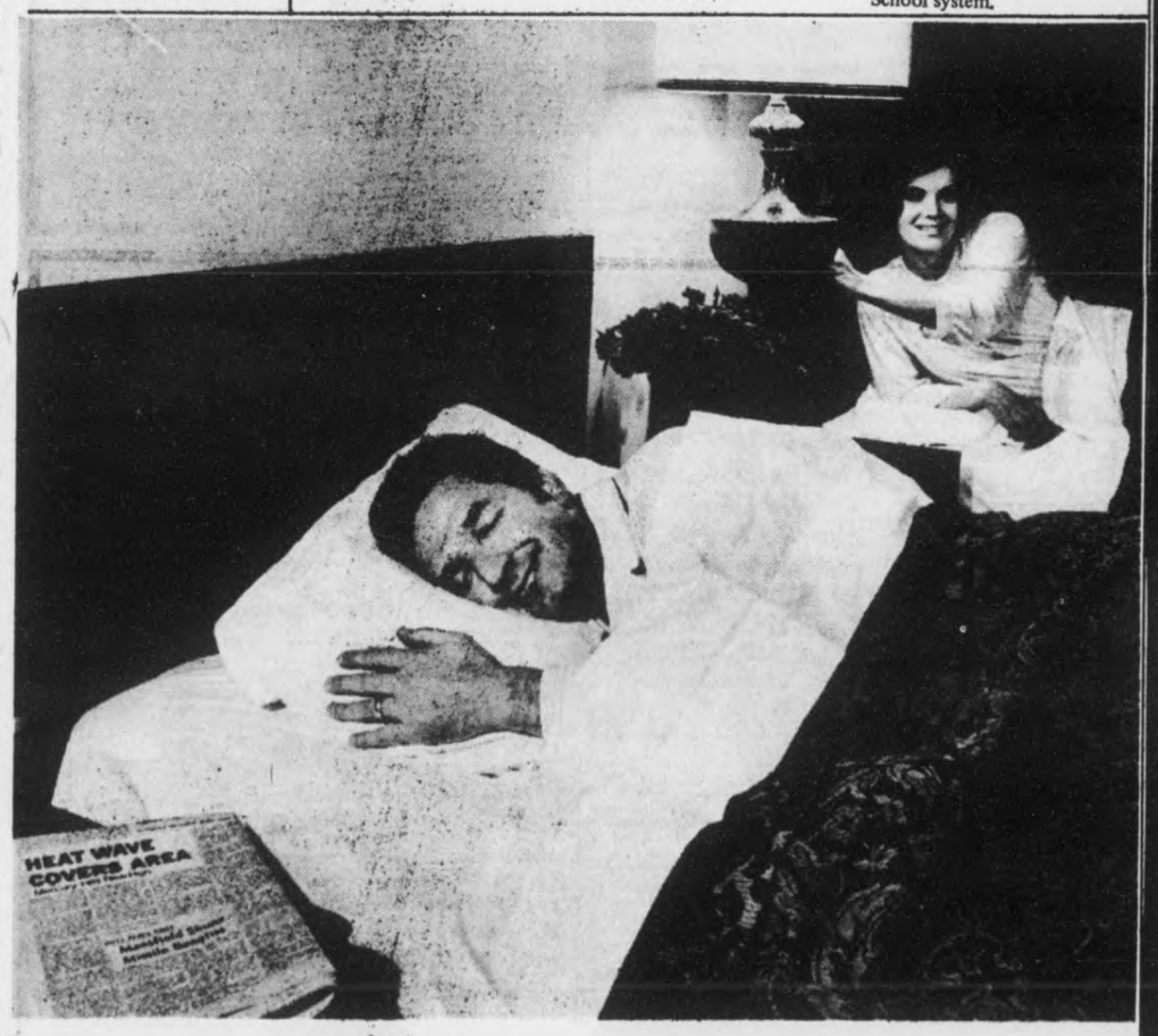

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Consolidated Report of Condition of

The First Bank of Alabaster

in the State of Alabama and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on June 30, 1969.

ASSETS

Cash and due from banks (including $ None unposted debits)	332,706.87
U.S. Treasury securities	$1,733,045.04
Securities of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	299,153.83
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	329,137.81
Other securities - New Housing Authority	14,390.24
Other loans	1,902,374.23
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	126,401.58
Other assets	2,767.26
TOTAL ASSETS	5,739,976.86

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		1,695,518.80
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		2,850,768.66
Deposits of United States Government		36,611,32
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		554,556.89
Certified and officers' checks, etc.		19,180.23
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$5,156,635.90	
(a)Total demand deposits	2,082,867.24	
(b)Total time and savings deposits	3,073,768.66	
Other liabilities		39,238.24
TOTAL LIABILITIES		$5,195,874.14

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rulings)	41,434,67
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	41,434.67

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Equity capital, total (sum of items 36 to 40 below)	544,102.72
Common stock-total par value	150,000.00
(No. Shares authorized 6,000)	
(No. Shares outstanding 6,000)	
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	344,102.72
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (sum of items 34 and 35 above)	544,102.72
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (sum of items 28,29,33, and 41 above)	5,739,976.86

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	5,161,167.91
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	1,936,794.80

I, Donald N. Lathem, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly affirm that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Donald N. Lathem

Correct–Attest:
T. A. Farris
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J. E. Bearden

State of Alabama, County of Shelby, ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of July, 1969, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

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Howard Horton Family

IN LOVING MEMORY
Of our sister and daughter, Lola Dunn, who departed this life two years ago, July 12, 1967.
In the garden of our hearts
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They are watered now, by teardrops
For dear we miss you so.
But thanks be to God eternal,
And His blessed plan
Each day brings us nearer
When we shall meet again.
Mother, brother and sisters

State Bank No. 61–326

Consolidated Report of Condition of

Merchants and Planters Bank

of Montevallo in the State of Alabama and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on June 30, 1969.

ASSETS

Cash and due from banks (including $ None unposted debits)	$686,173.64
U.S. Treasury securities	1,949,745.00
Securities of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	149,900.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	1,201,207.25
Other securities (including $3735.00 corporate stocks)	3,375.00
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	500,000.00
Other loans	2,116,922.02
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	201,181.54
Other assets	949.93
Total Assets	6,809,814.38

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		1,835,121.17
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		2,981,731.42
Deposits of United States Government		178,373.56
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		1,158,444.25
Certified and officers' checks, etc.		16,102.99
Total Deposits	6,169,773.39	
(a)Total demand deposits	3,148,041.97	
(b)Total time and savings deposits	3,021,731.42	
Other liabilities		37,277.86
Total Liabilities		6,207,051.25

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rulings)	30,129.08
Total Reserves on Loans And Securities	30,129.08

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Equity capital, total (sum of items 36 to 40 below	572,634.05
(No. shares outstanding None)	
Common stock-total par value	200,000.00
(No. shares authorized 8,000	
(No. shares outstanding 8000)	
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	267,634.05
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	5,000.00
Total Capital Accounts (sum of items 34 and 35 above)	200,000.00
Total Liabilities, Reserves, and Capital Accounts (sum of items 28,29,33, and 41 above)	6,809,814.38

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	6,272,899.07
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	2,612,834.41
Unearned discount on instalment loans included in total capital accounts	40,106.20

I, J. P. Kelly, Vice President & Cashier, of the above-named bank do solemnly affirm that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed J. P. Kelly

Correct–Attest:
James A. Kelly,
F. H. Frost, Directors
J. A. Brown, Jr.,
F. P. Givhan

State of Alabama, County of Shelby, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8 day of July, 1969, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

My commission expires 3/3, 1973. D. W. Harper, Notary Public.

Legal Notice
Guardian's Settlement Notice
The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
Probate Court, July 12, 1969
This day came Mrs. Hazel O'Neal, Guardian of Richard T. Davis, a minor and files his account, vouchers, evidence and statement for Partial settlement of his said Guardianship.
It is ordered that the 14 day of August, 1969, be, and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 12 day of July, 1969.
Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
7-17,24,31'69 †53.

LEGAL NOTICE
State of Alabama
Shelby County
This is to certify that on or after July 3, 1969, I will not be responsible for any debts other than those incurred by me.
7-3,10,17'69,p.
George A. Nix
Montevallo, Alabama

A BILL
TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT
Section 1.
When approved by the State Department of Banking, a bank situated in an area described as follows: North of Shelby County Roads Nos. 11, 44 and 52 and the Eastern boundary being U.S. Highway 280, and the Northern boundary being the Jefferson — Shelby County line. The bank located in this hereinbefore described area at the time of the passage of this act is hereby authorized to establish, operate and maintain within the area limits hereinbefore set out a branch bank, branch office or other place for receiving of deposits, payment of checks, and conducting a general banking business.
Section 2.
All laws or parts of laws which conflict with this act are repealed.
Section 3.
This act shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the governor or upon its otherwise becoming law.
7-10,17,24,31, 1969 †48.

Good Morning--

Hell? A quarter of a mile from right here

By Milton Bird

August came in hotter than Mr. Ben King's hayfield two hundred yards this side of Browning's mill pond. And if you grew up anywhere between Summer Hill Church and John Lyon's hill on the old Wilsonville road, you know what I mean.

For 50 years, as half a hundred summers came and went, I was persuaded Mr. King's hayfield was the hottest spot of earth. But maybe I was wrong. And if I was wrong so are a hundred other guys scattered from here to yonder. Guys who can make up their own minds after I've finished my tale.

At the foot of Higdon mountain, in the swamps between Vandiver and Sterrett, big pine trees reach halfway to the sky. I think they grow that high hunting air to breathe. Sometimes I get the notion trees are smarter than folks. Maybe because I never saw a guy grow eighty feet tall hunting air.

That's where Mockingbird Falkner and Uncle Will Fancher were one hot August day. They were sawing logs up there 40 years ago. Did you ever saw logs with a cross-cut saw? In August?

If you haven't there's something you ought to know. A cross-cut saw will run like a sewing machine in February. But it'll pinch every three minutes in August. And a bottle of kerosene with a hunk of pine needles in it lasts about as long as an old lady's dance or an early morning cloud.

And there's humidity. The stuff that takes the place of air on any August day. It hunts a guy down and finds him and hangs around him closer than stink on a rain-soaked barnyard.

It was around one o'clock when Mockingbird and Uncle Will finished dinner and went back to work. Or maybe five minutes after. Or ten minutes before. In a swamp in August you just guess at the time, judging by where the sun is and what kind of lick it can get at you.

Uncle Will reached for the bottle of kerosene and looked up at the sun and wiped at his face with his sleeve. He started to say something, but didn't. He just shook the bottle and let the kerosene trickle through the pine needles and splash on the saw. Mockingbird gave a little jerk and the saw let go and they sawed another log.

Uncle Will wiped at his face again. The sweat had puddled up above his bushy brows and spilled over and trickled down his face.

"Working down here a man ought to be as tall as a tree," he grumbled. "So's he could get some air." He took his hat off, slapped at a mosquito with it, and put it back on. The sweat had taken the stiffness out of his hat and it flopped around his ears.

"I'd rather be a bird," Mockingbird said, watching a hawk circle above the trees. The hawk flapped away, hunting a rabbit on the other side of the mountain. Or a field rat, maybe, who'd be watching with wide unblinking eyes.

They sawed two more logs and Uncle Will reached for the bottle again. It was so hot now the sweat dripped off his hand and mixed with the kerosene. The sun had got between a tall pine and a white oak. It could get a better lick at 'em now.

"You know something," Uncle Will said, flopping down under the shade of a dogwood tree.

Mockingbird slapped at his face with his cap. A little swarm of mosquitoes buzzed away, circled, and came back and settled on his hat.

"I'm gonna tell you anyhow," Uncle Will continued. "Hell itself can't be over a quarter of a mile from right here."

Yep, for 50 years, as half a hundred summers came and went, I was persuaded Mr. Ben King's hay field was the hottest spot on earth. But maybe I was wrong.

July 31 deadline for SS payments

Housewives who pay someone $50 or more for household services during any three-month calendar quarter must report these payments and pay the Social Security taxes due to the Internal Revenue Service. Mr. W. T. Coppinger, District Director for Alabama, said the report for the April, May and June calendar quarter is due before the end of July.

The Social Security tax on household wages is 4.8 percent for the employer and 4.8 percent for employee. When the quarterly report is filed, a check or money order representing 9.6 percent of the cash wages reported for the period should be included with the return.

Form 942, Employer's Quarterly Tax Return for Household Employees, is used to report the Social Security taxes due. After the first one is filed, a copy of Fm 942 is mailed to every employer in time for the next quarterly report.

Mr. Coppinger said that anyone who hires a maid, cleaning woman, cook governess, housekeeper, caretaker, gardener or chauffeur will be liable for Social Security taxes if cast wages of $50 a quarter are paid to one employee. Money given to employees for carfare is to be counted in total wages paid. However, the value of meals is not included.

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By Ed Blake

There was many a tale told last Sunday afternoon at Cox's Lake near Helena.

Any time you get a group of coon hunters together and when the dogs begin barking, the memories of those crisp autumn nights just seem to come charging back.

If there was an available ear, there was a tale waiting on the tip of the tongue. And if you listened closely you could see that ol' coon scamper up a tree and you could see ol' Red sit down with a bark that rattled every pine needle miles around.

If you attempted to record all the tales, it would take more pages than a Sears and Roebuck catalog.

However, we have one tale we want to tell.

Doug Street is one of the youngest coon hunters around, but he stood mighty tall after last Sunday's Coon on the Log Contest at Cox's Lake.

It was the first contest for the 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Street of Helena, Rt. 1. He entered his dog, Rock, in the treeing contest.

Young Doug watched Dewey Braswell take his big Red Bone, Buster, to the arena. Dewey turned Buster loose and you should have seen that dog attack that tree. Buster barked 41 times in 30 seconds. A mighty good show.

Moments later Doug heard the announcer: "Doug Street have your dog ready." Doug moved up and seconds later he was holding Rock near the 10 foot circle. Doug knew old Rock had to get in that ring and bark beneath the tree with the coon in top more than 41 times in the 30 second period.

Doug turned Rock loose. Rock sat down beneath the tree and when the 30 seconds were up, the judge said 37. Rock had come close to winning but it wasn't good enough to beat Dewey Braswell's dog. As Doug left the arena, the announcer patted him on the shoulder and said, "Young fellow you would have won if ol' Rock hadn't have taken that deep breath."

Re-entries were called for and Doug was ready to give Rock his second try. He went back to the arena, the coon was hoisted into the tree and ol' Rock was back in that 10 foot circle.

More than 350 people watched ol' Rock sit beneath that tree and bark. You could see the judge's lips moving counting out silently, "40, 41, 42, 43". The whistle blew and it was Dewey Braswell's time. Buster went back to the tree. The time was ticking and Buster was barking.

The whistle sounded. The judge announced, "41".

Doug and Rock had won.

There is a trophy at the Streets' home today. I bet it's in a mighty prominent place.

In years to come if you ever walk up to a group of men and you hear mentioned "that Sunday afternoon at Cox's Lake," take a listen, that will be Doug telling about the best coon dog in the world - - Ol' Rock.

FIRST TIMERS - - Doug Street of Helena, Rt. 1, follows his coon dog, Rock, to the arena. They won first place in their first contest. (See Whistling at left)

Workshop underway

Alabama College's fifth annual Workshop in Testing of Speech and Hearing Disorders is underway at the Montevallo campus.

Some 26 prominent medical doctors, educators, speech pathologists and specialists in related fields will appear as lecturers and panelists during the two-week program.

Sponsored by the AC speech department, this year's workshop is directed by speech department chairman Dr. Laura F. Wright, and Mrs. Loretta G. Brown, instructor and speech pathologist at the AC Speech and Hearing Clinic.

Serving as workshop faculty members with Dr. Wright and Mrs. Brown are Mrs. Faye Churchill, clinical audiologist at the Speech and Hearing Clinic in Montevallo, and Mrs. Joy Adams Bloom, clinical audiologist from Birmingham.

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Sharp-eyed anglers take advantage of logs and stumps in the water, say the fishing authorities at Mercury outboards, and their fishing success improves when they learn how to use these underwater housing developments for fish.

In addition to providing shelter for small aquatic life (and thus food for fish) downed trees serve fish as protection from prey animals and as shade from the sun.

Largemouth bass like to lie under a log just where it enters the water and catch small frogs as they leave the water to sun themselves. A bass bug — or top water plug — cast so that it glances off the log will often tempt a bass into thinking it's his next meal.

The position of the sun makes a difference as to which side you should aim your cast. Most fish like the shade, therefore it's best to drop the first cast on the shady side of a log or stump. If a fish is at home, that's probably where you'll find him.

During the hours when the sun is almost directly overhead, fish move into deeper water along the log.

Keep these tips in mind next time you see a fallen tree in the water. It might just be an apartment house for fish.

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Birmingham, Alabama.
7-10,17,24,31/69 †47

State Of Alabama
Shelby County
LEGAL NOTICE
Mortgage Foreclosure Sale
Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Lawrence Glass and wife, Mildred Glass, to Merchants & Planters Bank, Montevallo, Alabama, a corporation, on, to-wit, June 13, 1967, said mortgage having been recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 306 at page 222, and said mortgage having been assigned and transferred to Nora Whatley, as shown by document recorded in Deed Book 258 at page 394 in said Probate Office, and default continuing, the undersigned, Nora Whatley, as assignee of said mortgage, under and by virtue of the Power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the entrance of the Shelby County Courthouse in Columbiana, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale, on the 28th day of July, 1969, the following described real estate situated in Shelby County, Alabama, viz.:
Lot 8 in Block 3 Map of 100 acres at Birmingham Junction on E.T.V. and G. Railroad, property of Joseph Hardie as surveyed by J. E. Bozeman, according to Map as recorded in Deed Book 14 on page 239 in Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.
Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses incident to said sale, in accordance with the terms and provisions of said mortgage.
NORA WHATLEY, ASSIGNEE
BY Oliver P. Head, Attorney for Assignee
7-3, 10, 17, '69 †45.

Legal Notice
Estate of Stanley Kleindienst, Jr. Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 14 day of March, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Mittie G. Kleindienst
Executrix of the Estate of Stanley Kleindienst, Jr., Deceased
7-17,24,31,'69 †54.

Legal Notice
Estate of W. E. Lovelady, Jr. Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of July, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
D. H. Lovelady
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of W. E. Lovelady, Jr., dec'd
7-17,24,31 - '69 †52.

About the time you catch up with the Jones', they refinance.

FIRST PLACE WINNERS - - The Columbiana Rebels won first place in season play in the Central Shelby Dixie Youth Minor League. Members of the team are (back row from left) Rickey Blankenship, Jamie Cates, Keith Franks and Andy Head; (middle row from left) Tom Seale, Mike Bentley, Frank Owen and Rene Tolleson; (front row from left) Mark Bentley, Eugene Shiflett, Jimmy Eaves and Matt McCown. Frank Thomas is not shown. Team managers are Clyde R. Joiner and Donald Shiflett. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

Alabama farm population decreases 20,000 in 8 years

Alabama farms have lost 20,000 residents in the last eight years.

This means that an average of 2,500 persons a year moved to cities or non-farm rural areas.

The rural to urban population shift, which has been evident in Alabama for a number of years, is continuing, according to Fred Woods, a member of the Auburn University faculty.

The shift away from rural living is probably gaining momentum, according to Woods.

In 1960 Alabama had a total population of slightly more than three and three-tenths million. Urban residents made up one and eight-tenths million; rural non-farm people represented almost 1.5 million and the farm population was 400,000.

Since 1960, Woods says, the total population of the state has increased by 500,000 persons and half of this increase has been in urban areas. Nonfarm rural areas gained 100,000 residents, while farm dwellers dwindled in ranks by 20,000.

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Consolidated Report of Condition of

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of Calera, Shelby, Alabama 35040 And Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries, at the close of business June 30, 1969, a state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS

Cash and due from banks (including $None unposted debits)	$ 693,912.12
U.S. Treasury securities	1,319,760.30
Securities of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	1,450,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	500,976.28
Other securities (including $6,000 corporate stocks)	6,000.00
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	400,000.00
Other loans	2,210,340.53
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	25,084.03
Other assets	6,303.30
TOTAL ASSETS	6,612,376.56

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,146,106.30
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3,349,300.75
Deposits of United States Government	50,378.82
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	578,244.55
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	29,581.11
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$6,153,611.53
(a) Total demand deposits	2,555,022.97
(b) Total Time and savings deposits	3,598,588.56
TOTAL LIABILITIES	6,153,611.53

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	24,532,28
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	24,532.28

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Equity capital, total (sum of Items 36 to 40 below)	434,232,75
Common stock-total par value (No. shares authorized 2,000)	100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	234,232.75
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (sum of Items 34 and 35 above)	434,232.75
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (sum of Items 28, 29, 33 & 41 above)	6,612,376.56

MEMORANDA

A verage of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	2,691,001.81
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	2,179,473.96

I, Wm. M. Schroeder, Asst. Cashier, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Wm. M. Schroeder

We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.
Roy Downs
Sol Baer Directors
C. D. Cowart

State of Alabama County of Shelby ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of July, 1969.
Janette Littleton
Notary Public
Notary Public, State of Alabama at Large
My Commission Expires January 1, 1972.
Bonded by U. S. F. & G.

Shelby County receives grants totaling over $3,350,000

NEW YORK, July 12 - From a dollars and cents standpoint, how well is Shelby County making out under the government's grants - in - aid program?

Does the price it is paying for these grants, through matching funds and other payments that come out of taxes, make them worthwhile financially?

The aid programs - - there are hundreds of them - - offer assistance to states and local communities for purposes ranging from road building and education to welfare grants and child care.

What it cost some localities, in the past year, proved to be greater than the aid they received. For others, it worked out favorably. They got back more than they put in.

A comprehensive study of the aid programs, made by the Tax Foundation, a non-profit organization that watches government taxation and spending, shows how much aid was allocated to each state and, in each instance, what the cost was.

A breakdown of the state figures, which are based upon Treasury Department reports, indicates that the cost of Federal aid in Shelby County came to approximately $1,843,000 in the past fiscal year and that the amount that was returned, in the form of grants, was an estimated $3,350,000.

The State of Alabama was also ahead on this score. The portion of its tax returns that were allocated to the Federal aid programs amounted to $201,400,000, the Tax Foundation reports. What came back, in grants to the state and its localities, was $365,000,000.

In effect $1 was received in the form of government aid for every 55 cents expended.

Of the 50 states, 17 got back less than they contributed and the remaining 33 received more.

It is explained that some communities fared better than others in the distribution of grants because their needs were relatively greater.

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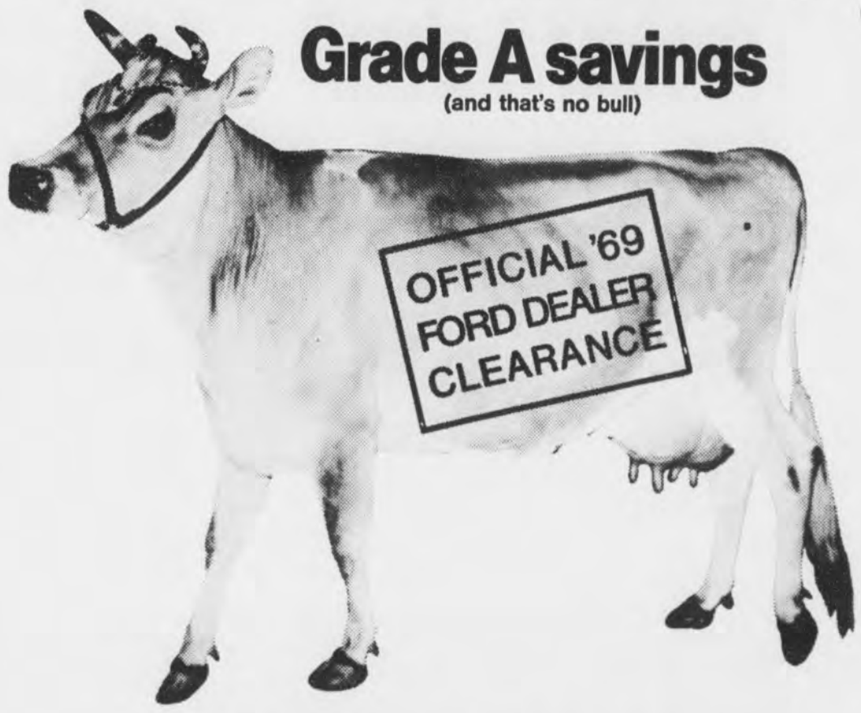

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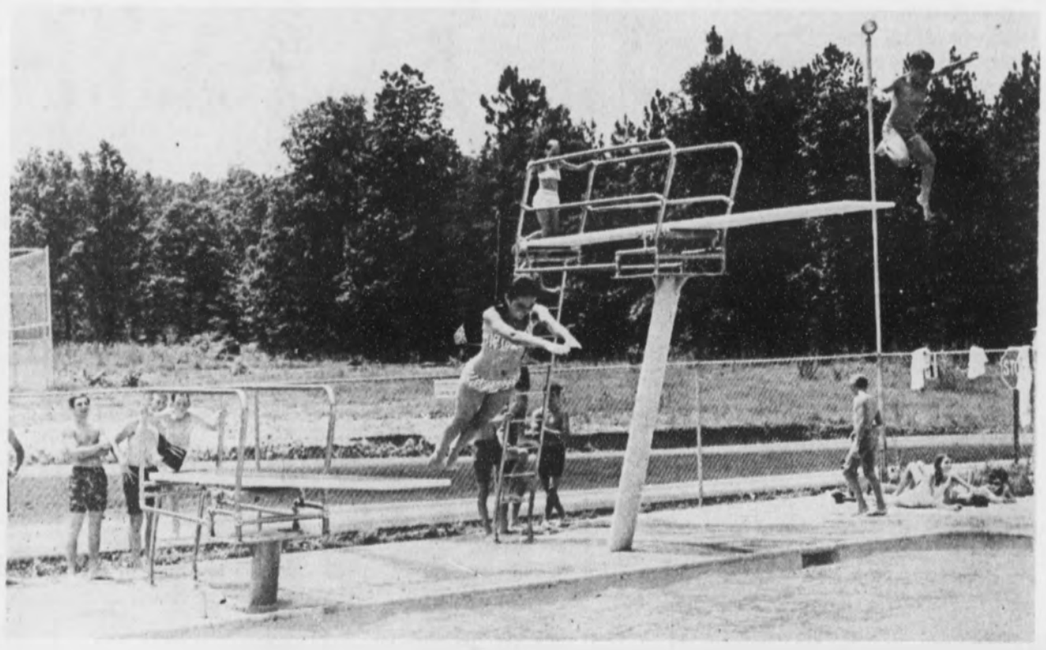

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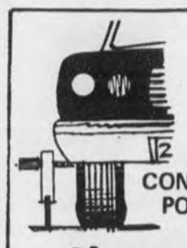
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Services held in Montevallo for Leonhard Nederkorn

Graveside funeral services were held at the Montevallo Cemetery Saturday afternoon for Leonhard W. Nederkorn, 62, who died at his home in Aberdeen, Maryland, July 9.

Mr. Nederkorn, an internationally known designer, inventor, architect, painter, and sculptor was the husband of Mrs. Overton Peterson Nederkorn, formerly of Montevallo. Mrs. Nederkorn is the daughter of the late Dr. Francis Marion Peterson, the second president of Alabama College.

A native of Dusseldorf, Germany, Nederkorn came to the United States in 1928. In December of 1932 he and Miss Overton Peterson were married in Montevallo.

Prior to World War II, Nederkorn was a designer of industrial and scientific equipment in Chicago. During the late 1930's he was associated with Chicago's famed Hull House. At the same time he was director of WPA crafts projects in Illinois. More than 12,000 persons were trained in a variety of crafts under Nederkorn's direction.

During World War II he established training methods for the army, navy, the army air forces and the ordnance department. He was awarded the army's citation of merit for this work in establishing and operating the visual aid section of the army's service forces training center in Mississippi.

NEDERKORN

A naturalized citizen of the United States, Nederkorn is credited with numerous scientific and military inventions. He gave all of his patented inventions to the United States government as a token of his gratitude to his adopted land.

During the late 1950's President John F. Kennedy commissioned Nederkorn to design the U. S. pavilion for the Seattle World's Fair. He later was commissioned to design a similar building for the New York World's Fair.

In 1966 he was appointed commissioner and general manager of the Canadian Pulp and Paper Pavilion, at Canada's Expo 67.

Nederkorn is survived by his widow and two daughters, Mrs. Ronald Stouffer of Silver Springs, Maryland and Mrs. Albert Ripley of Monrovia, Liberia.

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Barbecue

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Alabama Association of Soil and Water Conservation Supervisors; Joe Hamilton, president of the association; Wilbur B. Nolen, Jr., executive secretary of the Alabama State Soil Conservation Committee; W. B. Lingle, state conservationist, SCS, Auburn; and Judge Conrad Fowler.

Following the barbecue lunch Hall Thompson will present his district conservation plan and give a heavy equipment demonstration.

Channel catfish are gluttons of fresh water

Channel catfish are probably the hungriest fresh water fish in the United States. They'll eat almost anything, and stay up all night to do so.

Studies show the kinds of food eaten by catfish number into the thousands and include mammals, birds, amphibians, insects, reptiles, fruit, seeds, leaves and oddities too numerous to mention.

Yet, with such a versatile appetite, catfish are selective about what they'll eat — and when they'll feed. Successful catfish anglers, say the fishing authorities at Mercury outboards, are just as selective in their choice of catfish baits.

"Stink" baits are the most common catfish lure. They're particularly effective in spring and fall. Cheese is usually the base ingredient. Additives such as flour or corn meal provide substance, and such things as oil of anise, tankage, or asafetida join the mess to provide the correct odor. Stink bait is generally fished on the bottom.

Chicken blood is probably the best catfish bait of all. The main problem is to keep it on the hook. Blood bait is made by letting fresh blood coagulate under refrigeration, and cutting coagulum into strips. To fish blood bait, anchor your boat, place the bait in the water as easy as possible and don't move it after it has reached bottom.

Live baits — minnows, crayfish, frogs — are also effective catfish getters. They can be floated or still fished — although floating will usually produce the most catches. The secret, say the Mercury experts, is to have a lively bait.

Whatever the choice of bait, you're in for some gourmet dining when you've caught a mess of catfish. Cut into one-inch-thick steaks, dipped in milk and rolled in corn meal, then deep-fried . . . there's nothing on the table that can beat them for eating.

Legal Notice
Estate of Dolly Trippett, Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 9th day of July, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Blanche C. Powell
1801 - 2nd Avenue North,
Clanton, Alabama.
7-17,24,31,/'69 †50.

Legal Notice
STATE OF ALABAMA
SHELBY COUNTY
The following is a list of insolvents for the tax year 1968:
Gala Trucking Co. Inc.
Holcomb-Smith Inc.
The Shelby Corporation
Morrow Appliance Co.
Fay F. Quick
Tax Collector
7-17,24/'69 †51.

Legal Notice
Estate of Madge Ward Brown Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of July, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law of the same will be barred.
George W. Brown
Executor of the Estate of Madge Ward Brown
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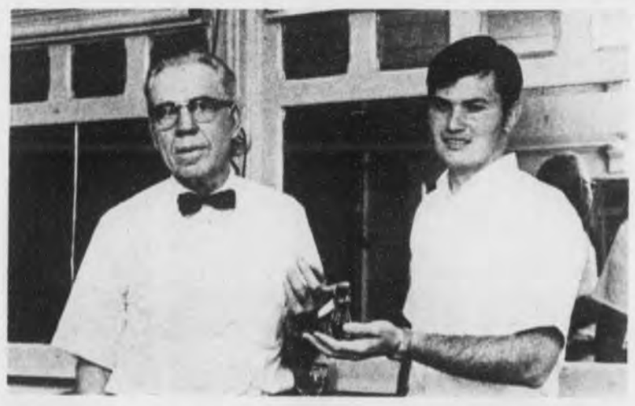

Larry Edmondson buys Mahan's Barber Shop

S. M. "Red" Mahan, Sr., of Montevallo announces the sale of his barber shop to Larry Edmondson of Alabaster.

The shop, located on Main Street in Montevallo, is the oldest barber shop in the county to occupy the same location. A Mr. Ingram built the building for a barber shop in 1908.

Mahan bought the shop in 1927 when the era of short hair for women of all ages was at its peak. Mahan established Reds Bob Her Shop, and later established the only beauty shop between Birmingham and Montgomery at that time.

He later changed the name to Mahan's Barber and Beauty Shop. His wife operated the beauty shop for more than 25 years. She left the business due to her health and the name was changed to Mahan's Barber Shop.

The new owner, Larry Edmondson, is a member of a family of barbers that goes back three generations. He has been a professional barber for the past six years.

Mahan will continue working at the shop four days each week, Wednesday through Saturday. The shop is open 7:30 to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

We welcome you to our newly remodeled shop equipped with the vacuum system.

Larry's Barber Shop
Main Street Montevallo

Call No. 470 Charter No. 14590
National Bank Region No. 8

Consolidated Report of Condition, Including Domestic Subsidiaries, Of The

First National Bank

of Columbiana In the State of Alabama, at the close of business on June 30, 1969 Published In Response To Call Made By Comptroller of the Currency, Under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes

ASSETS

Cash and due from banks (including $79,358.24 unposted debits)	702,527.35
U.S. Treasury securities	2,998,080.26
Securities of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations	698,937.50
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	574,884.46
Other securities (including None corporate stock)	82,273,34
Loans	2,324,916.25
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	148,708.22
Other assets (including $None direct lease financing)	2,314.67
TOTAL ASSETS	7,532,642.05

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,197,247.13
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3,101,996.93
Deposits of United States Government	179,449.67
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	1,281,723.16
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	37,689.03
TOTAL DEPOSITS $ 6,798,105.92	
(a) Total demand deposits 3,218,105.79	
(b) Total time and savings deposits 3,580,000.13	
Other liabilities	135,643.12
TOTAL LIABILITIES	6,933,749.04

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	60,469.83
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	60,469.83

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common Stock-total par value	150,000.00
No. shares authorized 15,000	
No. shares outstanding 15,000	
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	238,423.18
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	538,423.18
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	7,532,642.05

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	6,979.929.00
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	2,314,412.99

I, C. M. Ponder, Vice Pres. & Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. M. Ponder

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Ross B. Mullins
Hylott L. Armstrong, Jr. Directors.
Karl C. Harrison

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LADIES' SHORTS
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Reg. $3.50 NOW $2.29
Reg. $4.00 NOW $2.59
Reg. $5.00 NOW $3.00
$6.00 & $7.00 NOW $3.59

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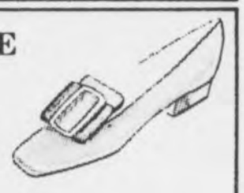

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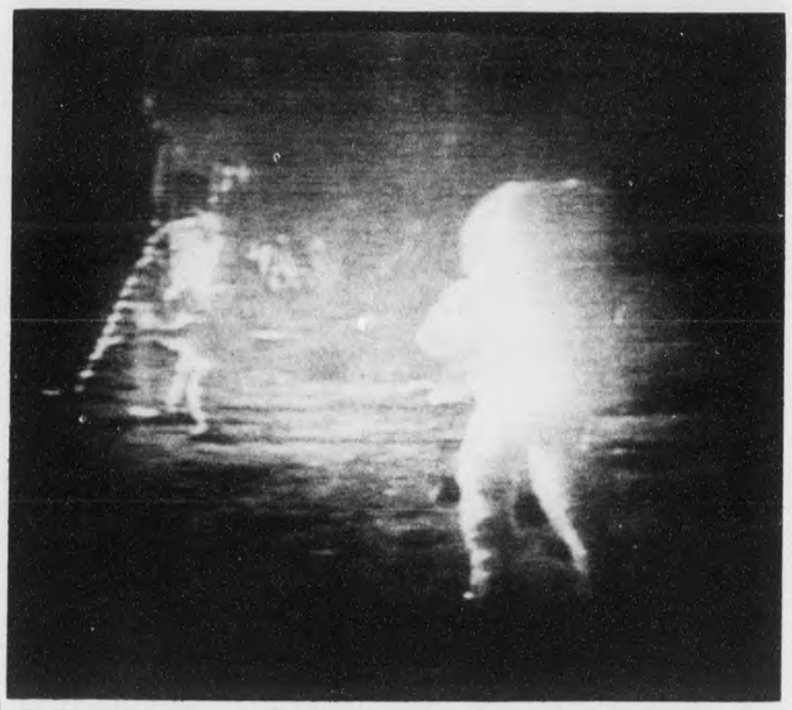
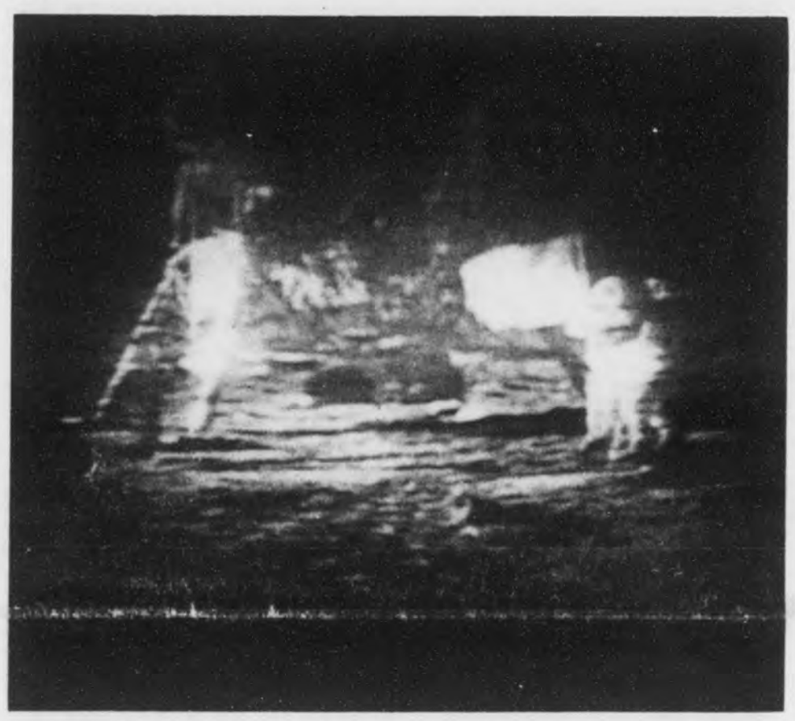


MEN ON THE MOON - - Jeff Hill of Columbiana like an estimated 150 million other Americans watched history in the making last Sunday. Jeff had his camera handy and took these photogrpahs from the television set of spacemen taking samples from the moon.



HISTORICAL FLAG RAISING - - The astronauts are shown above planting the American flag on the moon. Hill used a reflex camera, Tri-X film and camera settings of 1/30 of a second at an aperture of 4.5 to record the images from the television.

Reporter staff wins top honors in better newspaper contest

Checker games and gambling raids brought home the big prizes for the **Shelby County Reporter** in the annual awards competition of the Alabama Press Association.

Ed Blake's photo feature on the continuing Columbiana checker game was named the best feature story of the year among the state's large-circulation weeklies.

A story by Marcia M. Sears about the State Troopers' raid on the gambling operation on old U.S. Highway 31 was adjudged second best news story of 1968 in the statewide competition.

The Reporter also earned an honorable mention in the "general excellence" category.

The awards were given at the Press Association's annual convention held in Point Clear last weekend. Entries were judged by professional journalists and journalism educators from outside Alabama. The **Reporter** competed in Division A, which includes some 50 state newspapers which have more than 3,000 subscribers. Those papers with fewer subscribers competed in Division B.

"One of the best things I've seen" was the way Jim Hall, secretary-manager of the Alabama Press Association described the checker game feature of Reporter General Manager Ed Blake. The entire page was Blake's work. He developed the idea, wrote the story, and handled all photography, design and layout for the full page story.

The judge in the feature category was Gerry Lee, News Editor of the **Cleveland Plain Dealer**. In his comments he said, "First place for one of the most novel ideas in blending story, pictures and cutline is beyond challenge . . The reverse cuts for the captions are a stroke of genius."

Entitled "Yer Move", the feature appeared in the July 11, 1968 issue of the Reporter. Photographs alternated with black squares gave it a checkerboard appearance.

Second place in the news story category was won by the Reporter for a story that appeared in the May 2, 1968 issue describing a troopers' raid that resulted in the arrest of 19 persons, including Sam Fiorella.

The judge in this category, Paul Schmidt, Manager of the North Dakota Press Association, said, "Marcia Sears is to be commended for this interesting departure from the standardized summary lead and pyramid style of story construction. She has produced a highly readable story without losing or obscuring any contributing detail. I should think, too, that this story qualifies as being of "community-wide importance and significance."

The **Reporter** shared honorable mention status in the "general excellence" category with the **Moulton Advertiser**, winner of this category was the **Onlooker** of Foley with the **Oxford Sun** second, and the **Auburn Bulletin** third.

The **Eufaula Tribune** in Division B, won the highest number of plaques of any newspaper in the competition.

FIRST PLACE PLAQUE - - Shelby County Reporter General Manager Ed Blake and Editor Marcia M. Sears display the plaque awarded for the best feature story in Alabama newspapers, Division A. Blake's feature on the Columbiana checker game was the winning entry. On the wall are the other two awards won by the Reporter in the Alabama Press Association's annual newspaper conpetition.

County youths to compete Saturday for big prize in first Soap Box Derby

Saturday is race day in Calera.

The first running of the Shelby County Soap Box Derby will get underway at 4 p. m. on the Spring Creek Road one block west of the Calera National Guard Armory.

Derby Director Tommy Snowden said Saturday afternoon will climax several weeks of work for eleven Shelby County boys who have built racers of their own designs for the county's first derby.

The winner will receive a $500 savings bond, a trophy and the opportunity to compete in the National Soap Box Derby scheduled later this summer in Akron, Ohio.

Entrants in the county derby are Steve Golden, Calera; Thomas Coin, Jr., Alabaster; Steven Barrow, Columbiana; Keith Alexander, Montevallo; Marty Whitfield, Helena; David Armstrong, Wilsonville.

Phillip Robinson and Kenneth Robinson, Siluria, Rt. 1; Phillip Seales, Camp Branch; Kenneth Ray White, Alabaster; and Doug Street, New Hope.

The boys will have their racers on display Friday from 6 to 9 p. m. at the Calera Armory, Snowden said.

The racers were safety

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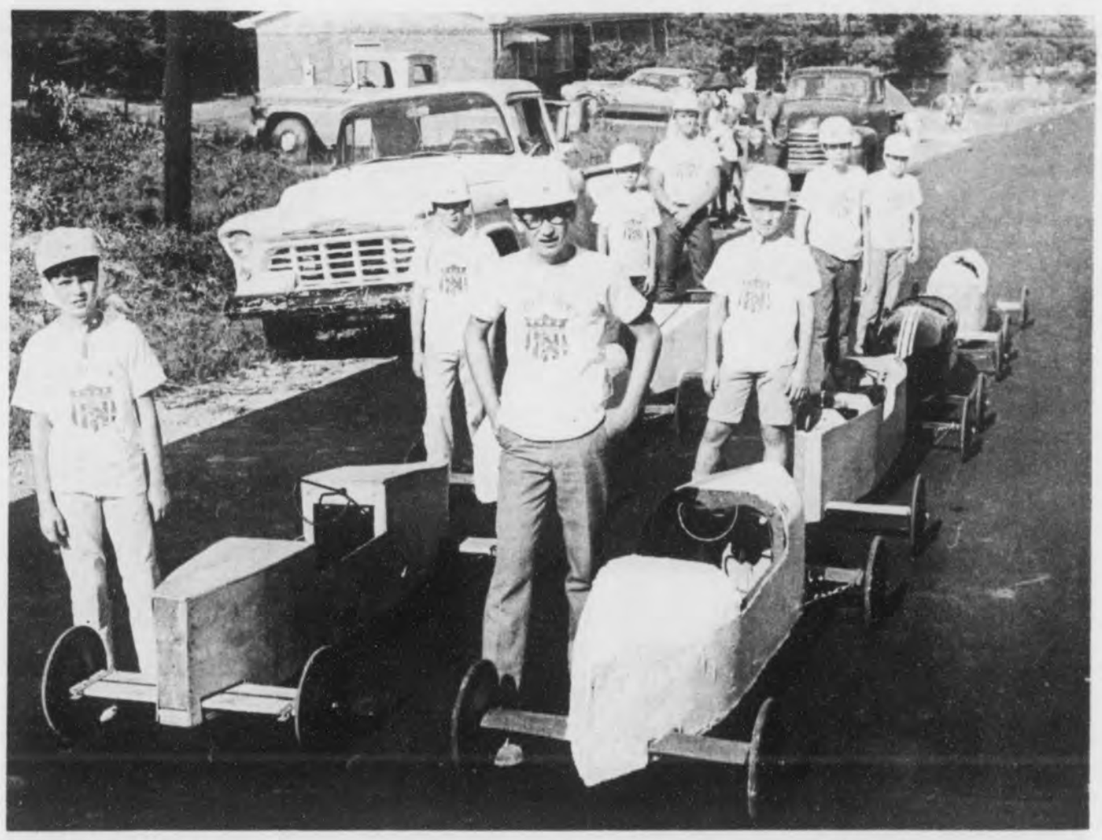

DRIVERS WITH CARS - - Shelby County boys are shown with their cars during a practice run last week preparing for the first Shelby County Soap Box Derby. The boys will be driving their soap box racers down this same slope at 4 p.m. Saturday in Calera competing for a $500 savings bond, a trophy and the opportunity to compete in the National Soap Box Derby. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

Judge Fowler watches launching of Apollo 11

Editor's Note: Shelby County Judge of Probate Conrad M. Fowler, Sr. attended the launching of Apollo 11 at the invitation of the Vice President of the United States, Spiro Agnew. At the request of the Shelby County Reporter, Judge Fowler describes the historic event.

By Conrad M. Fowler

The launching of Apollo 11 was attended by thousands of invited guests. Front-row seats three miles from the launch pad were provided. This was an historic moment; the departure by rocket of three Americans, two of whom were to set foot upon the moon. Hundreds of thousands of spectators were in the area.

NASA provided five registration centers from which tours of Cape Kennedy originated on on each of the three days prior to the launch. On launch day guests were transported from each registration point to Cape Kennedy. A convoy of some twenty buses transported our group from Melbourne. We arrived at an area east of the Vehicle Assembly Building approximately one hour and 45 minutes before launch.

Grandstand seats were provided but many spectators chose to pass the time strolling on the grass and discussing the pending launch. An emergency Post Office was in operation. Postcards to be mailed free of charge were given out on request. The supply was soon exhausted. Mail drops were provided so that letters and postcards would reflect the historic date and place. Public address systems kept all spectators informed of happenings leading to the departure of Apollo 11.

Additional interest and understanding of the event had been provided by a tour of the Space Center. Our tour, on Tuesday, began with a visit to a theatre in which we received a 30-minute briefing summarizing the mission and explaining the facilities at Cape Kennedy. This was followed by a bus tour during which we stopped at points of interest to inspect some of the facilities. We passed within 900 feet of Apollo 11 at Complex 39.

The transporter and the mobile launcher were being removed at this time. Apollo 11 rested majestically on the pad attended by a 9-arm service structure. We could see evidence of preparation then underway. Our guide reported that the crawler-transporter, a 6-million-pound vehicle, had moved the Apollo 11 over a road constructed of compacted limestone, 8-feet deep. The crawler-transporter had approached the pad over a concrete ramp that has a grade of 5%. The accuracy of this operation is indicated by the fact that the needle nose of the rocket, 320 feet above its base, did not deviate more than 4½ inches from the vertical in any one direction as it ascended the incline.

We toured the Vehicle Assembly Building, the largest building in the world, and found that Apollo 12 and Apollo 13 are already being assembled. Thousands of skilled workmen were busy throughout the building. The building covers 8 acres. We were permitted a free run of the first floor of this building.

On Wednesday, at a point 300 yards east of this building we witnessed the launch. It is difficult to express a reaction to such a spectacle. One feels an appreciation for the beauty and majesty of this supreme example of American technology. One experiences admiration for the brave men whose courage and ability were equal to the task. One feels a surge of both patriotism and gratitude that our Nation was the first to succeed in this magnificent undertaking.

The team spirit and the pride of the members of NASA and of the employees of the contractors were inspiring. This remarkable performance throughout was completely exposed to public view and thus provided for the world a significant contrast between the American way and the Communist way.

The first step on the moon has been described as a step that divides history. Some question its worth. Much of the good that has come to mankind has resulted from man's journey into the unknown. The accumulated knowledge of the many thousands of scientists and skilled workers who participated in this program is providing immediate benefits to our age. It is easy to believe this historical accomplishment will prove to be of untold worth to man in ages to come.

Dr. R. G. Crowe resigns post

Dr. Richard G. Crowe, pastor of the Montevallo Baptist Church, since December, 1961, announced his resignation last week, to be effective August 16. He will take over the pastorate of the Central Baptist Church of Florence the following week.

During Dr. Crowe's pastorate in Montevallo the church membership has witnessed growth in all areas of its life. In 1963 the church constructed a three-story Baptist Student Center to minister to the large number of Alabama College students who attend the church and are active in her ministries.

A mission, Southside Baptist Chapel, on Wilson Drive in Montevallo has also been established. During the 7½ years of Dr. Crowe's ministry 1019 local residents and Alabama College students have affiliated with the church by transfer of membership. The pastor has had the privilege of baptizing 180 into the church.

DR. RICHARD CROWE

Legislature considers bills establishing retirement be efits

Probate Judges and Clerks and Registers of Circuit Courts in Alabama will become eligible for Supernumerary status if the legislature votes favorably on two bills recently submitted.

Supernumerary status in the case of probate judges would mean a lifetime income after retirement of $450 per month to be paid from the general fund of the county.

In order for a probate judge to be eligible he would have to have served fifteen years as judge and be 65 years of age. Allowances are made for totally disabled judges to retire at 60 if they have served 14 years. Another qualifying feature of the bill would provide for persons who have served as elected county officials for 18 years, the last ten of which were in the office of probate judge.

The bill providing Supernumerary status for clerks and registers allows a salary of 30 per cent of his average yearly compensation, but not less than $2,400 or more than $4,500 per year. This salary would also come fro[illegible] general fund. [illegible] ding for clerks and re[illegible] as submitted to the legis[illegible] are by Messrs. Goodwyn, Pierce, Radney, Branyon, Givhan, Hawkins, Leonard, Bailes, Folsom, Vacca, Childs, Skidmore and Turner.

The bill applying to probate judges was introduced by Senator Turner.

Horse Club tours Florida

The 4-H Horse Club is leaving this morning on its annual tour of horse farms. Under the supervision of Extension Farm Agent John E. Jones, the group will tour the White Quarter Horse Farm at Chiefland, Fla., the University of Florida in Gainesville, and horse farms in Ocala. They will return Sunday afternoon.

Those planning to make the trip include: Laura Dickert, Susan McEwen, Ann McEwen, Cindy Wallace, Sue Wallace,

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Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

A bill has been introduced in the legislature to provide for a warrant clerk or deputy warrant clerk for Shelby County, according to Sheriff C. P. "Red" Walker.

The duties of this proposed office would include the issuing of warrants for arrest. Justices of the Peace are now empowered to do this, but it is expected that the office of Justice of the Peace will be abolished by this legislature, Walker said. There are three JP's now active in the county: Mrs. Pearl Crawford of Calera, Dean Upson, Rt. 2, Columbiana and L. E. Shaw of Aldrich.

A burglary in Vandiver over the weekend resulted in the arrest of Jerry Duke and warrants issued for four others from Leeds. Taken were three chain saws, a new television, a case of knives and a case of cigarette lighters, estimated at $1,000 in value.

Sheriff's deputies re-captured Eugene Lacey, Rt. 1, Siluria last weekend. He had escapted from Kilby prison.

According to Deputy Louie Cosby, 22 persons were booked into the county jail from Friday night to Monday morning.

Two juveniles from Alabaster were charged with making obscene telephone calls last week. They were released to the custody of their parents. The next day one of the boys age 14, was arrested again for driving without a driver's license.

A serviceman from Fort Rucker, James E. Anderson, was arrested by sheriff's deputies after he had his car filled with gas at Coleman's filling station in Calera and drove off without paying. Deputies found that he was driving a stolen car.

In another recent case, Charles Hill, Reese Blankenship and Ellis Roberts were apprehended following a complaint that they had threatened a woman in her home on the Montevallo-Helena road. When caught by sheriff's deputies, they had a stolen motorcycle in the back of the car.

A man who tried to re-sell a Whizz 55 power saw to its original owner is now charged with receiving stolen property by county authorities. The original owner, who lives in Westover, filed charges. Investigation has shown that the saw has passed through at least three persons' hands since it was first stolen.

The summer term of the Shelby County Circuit Court will begin in Columbiana August 4 and continue for three weeks. During the first two weeks, civil cases numbering 25 are set for trial by jury; and there are 39 criminal cases set for trial by jury during the third week of the court.

In addition to the above cases listed, there are 72 cases on the Arraignment Docket set for August 11, at 9:30 A. M. These cases will be called by the Court on this day for pre-trial hearings, arraignments or pleas.

Judge Kenneth F. Ingram, will preside.

The members of the Grand Jury will assemble on August 4 and after receiving the charge from the Judge will proceed to investigate the cases on the grand jury docket placed there since last they were in session.

All offices in the Shelby County courthouse were closed Monday in conformity with the state and national departments to allow the official personnel to participate in the recognition of the astronauts landing on the moon. Some states in the union also declared Monday - - "Moon Day" - - a holiday for their workers further honoring the historic event.

READY FOR DERBY - - Shelby County boys participating in the first County Soap Box Derby are Keith Alexander (seated in car), and (front row from left) Steve Golden, David Armstrong, Tommy Coin, Kenneth Robinson and Kenneth White; (back row from left) Marty Whitfield, Steve Barrow, Doug Street and Phillip Robinson.

Congressman Flowers supports ABM system

The response to the questionnaire which I mailed to all postal patrons in the 5th District has been overwhelming. I deeply appreciate so many of you taking the time to let me have the benefit of your views and I will be giving a report in the near future as to the results. Many people are still responding and, therefore, no final tabulations have been made as yet.

One thing which has already become apparent, however, is the fact that a large percentage of the persons answering the questionnaire have not taken a position regarding the proposed Safeguard Anti-Ballistic Missile System. Many of you wrote comments such as, "I do not know enough about the problem" or "Congressman, please use your own judgment, as this matter is too complicated for me to understand".

As a member of Congress, I have already had the opportunity of casting my votes in favor of or against legislation, and in the coming months I will be called upon to vote on many other matters which will, to some degree, affect us all. Most of these votes are important, but some of them might better be termed as crucial to our national security. I believe that the upcoming vote on whether or not this nation should spend the necessary funds to construct and maintain an anti-ballistic missile (ABM) system will perhaps be the most crucial of all. I don't believe that there is a single issue on which I have spent more time here in the Congress. Well-informed national leaders, including President Nixon, former President Johnson, Secretary of Defense Laird, Senator Richard Russell and Speaker John McCormack argue that the construction of this complicated and expensive system is vital to our national security - - - That its creation is necessary if we are to maintain our deterrent balance with the Soviet Union (and eventually with Communist China). Other national leaders believe that the ABM would be a colossal mistake - - - and they are supported by a large assemblage of eminent scientists, including top advisors to Presidents Eisenhower, Kennedy and Johnson.

On September 8, 1944, the first German V-2 rocket streaked into the City of London, and this marked the advent of an offensive weapon for which there has been no effective defensive mechanism up to this time. From this relatively primitive weapon with a range of only 190 miles, the art of warfare has progressed to the point that now a number of nations have intercontinental ballistic missles capable of speeds of 15,000 miles an hour carrying nuclear warheads.

The proposed Safeguard system involves highly complex, electronically aimed radars which can spot an enemy missile about 4,000 miles (or 15 milutes) away, and other devices to guide our defensive ABM's to the targets. The problems in communications alone are almost beyond comprehension, and I do not feel qualified to judge all of the technical aspects myself. But I am convinced that if we can overcome the unbelievable problems associated with sending a man to the moon, we can develop and build just about anything we put our resources to.

There is much controversy presently surrounding defense expenditures by our Federal government, but I sincerely hope that we will not let this unduly affect our decisions with regard to the deployment of an ABM system. There is simply too much at stake here. I am reminded of the remarks made by President Nixon in his recent speech to the graduating class at the Air Force Academy when he said: "But if I have made a mistake, I pray that it is on the side of too much and not too little, it may cost us our lives".

The President's position is shared by many other national leaders and I find myself in agreement with his views in this regard. During my service in the Congress when I am called upon to make a decision affecting the security of the United States, I intend to act accordingly. If I err, I shall err on the side of strength. Therefore, I have decided to cast my vote in favor of the Safeguard Anti-Ballistic Missile System.

For further information or comments on this or any other matter of interest to you, please write to me as follows: Congressman Walter Flowers, Washington, D. C. 20515.

Calera Eastern Star installs Mrs. Faye Watson

Officers of the Tom McKibbon Chapter No. 499 Order of the Eastern Star, were installed Saturday evening July 19 at the Masonic Hall in Calera. The installing officers were Mrs. Lois Woodley, Past Matron, Mrs. Elena Cost, Past Matron, Mrs. Lena Woodley, Past Matron, Mrs. Doris Champion, Past Matron, and Cecil Hodgens, Past Patron.

Installed were Mrs. Faye Watson - Worthy Matron, and Lonnie Watson - Worthy Patron. Mrs. Virginia Smith - Associate Matron, Sam Glass - Associate Patron. Other officers are Mrs. Sara McDonald - Secretary, Mrs. Louise McClanahan - Treasurer.

Mrs. Margaret Woods - Conductress, Mrs. Remona Glass - Associate Conductress, Mrs. Fannie Hancock - Chaplain, Mrs. Thelma Ozley - Marshall, Mrs. Pat Cost - Organist, Mrs. Juanita Pardue - Ada, Mrs. Pauline Ellison - Ruth, Mrs. Delia Keller - Esther, Mrs. Margis Killingsworth - Martha, Mrs. Johnnie Tidwell - Electa, Mrs. Mary Keller - Warder, and Charles McDonald - Sentinel.

Our meetings are held every first and third Tuesday nights at 7:30 p.m.

Final rites held for Mrs. Dearing

Funeral services for Thelma L. Dearing, 57, Helena, who died Thursday in a Birmingham hospital were held Friday at 3 P.M. at Ridouts Valley Chapel, Homewood with burial in Elmwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Dearing was a member of Helena Baptist Church, The Birmingham Herb Society and Valley Garden Club in Helena.

She was a gifted writer and authority on native flora. She contributed several articles on gardening to the Shelby County Reporter which were very well received.

She is survived by her husband Harry W. Dearing, Jr.; two sons, Harry W. Dearing III, Fairhope; and Melton Dearing, Helena. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Laxson; and a sister Mrs. Frances Koerner all of St. Petersburg, Florida.

Juliette Dodson Nivens

Funeral services were conducted from the Liberty Baptist Church Friday morning, July 18, at ten o'clock for one of Shelby County's oldest and most beloved citizens, Mrs. Juliette Dodson Nivens, 95, who died at her residence in Chelsea July 16, 1969.

Mrs. Nivens, with her late husband John Lynza Nivens, had resided in this same home for 75 years with the exception of eleven years which they spent in Alexander City. Both were widely and favorably known.

In addition to being a member of the Liberty Baptist Church Mrs. Nivens was a member of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Survivors are four sons: Ezra Nivens and Clay Nivens of Chelsea; Ordis Nivens, Linden; W. J. Nivens, Alexander City; three daughters, Mrs. Lillie Nivens, Chelsea; Mrs. Zula Galten, West Palm Beach, Fla.; Mrs. Zera Thomas, Dadeville; one sister, Mrs. Ophelia Floyd, Alexander City; eight grandchildren; 38 great-grandchildren and one great-great- grand child.

Soap Box

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inspected, weighed and test driven last Saturday on the 700-foot slope.

Several Shelby County men will participate in the Oil Can Derby scheduled to precede the soap box races. Trophies and awards will be presented following the race.

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Westover News

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

First Lieutenant Eric E. Thomas, of Cullman, and grandson of Mrs. Myrtie Thomas, of Westover, achieved a distinct honor recently when he was awarded a special trophy while attending the 82nd Airborne Division Air Movement Operations Course.

Lt. Thomas attained a score of 300 out of a possible 300 to earn the award. This award was put into the curriculum of the division school three years ago, and this was the first time that the requirements had been met to merit its recognition. The average honor student makes a score of between 288 and 291 points. It is offered as an incentive for excellence in either the Jumpmaster course or the Air Movement Operations course. The school is located at Pope Air Force Base, but is operated by the 82nd Airborne Division.

Lieutenant Thomas, a West Point graduate, is a platoon leader in Company B, 307th Engineer Battalion. The 23-year old officer has been serving in the division since December, 1968. Westover proudly salutes this young officer this week and congratulates his entire family for for his achievements. It is a special fitting honor at this particular moment in history since all of our eyes and hearts are implanted in the epochal expeditions of our own contemporary astronauts which has been made possible because of the fact behind this world=stirring event, there are hundreds of men and women who are working to attain this excellence of precision which makes all these things possible.

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Rev. Bob Garrett and family spent several days last week vacationing at Wind Creek Park. Rev. Garrett is the personable and well-liked minister of Mt. Tabor United Methodist Church, who has recently come into our community.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Wortham of Pascaugoula, Mississippi, have been the recent guests in the homes of their parents, the Luther Hatchers and the Frank Worthams.

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We are glad to report that Mrs. Harold Wortham has returned to her home from St. Vincent's Hospital, since her automobile injury. Rusty Smith remains in the hospital longer since his injuries were more extensive.

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Mrs. W. S. Dobbs, mother of Mrs. I. D. Stone, has been returned to Shelby Memorial Hospital, where her condition is termed critical.

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Several members of the Westover Homemaking Extension Club were hostesses to the residents of the Shelby Memorial Nursing Home whose birthdays are in the month of July. Those lovely and charming ladies who were so honored were Mrs. Duke, Mrs. Bowdon, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Logan, and Mrs. Seale. Gifts and a special birthday cake were presented them, while all residents of the Home who were able to participate were invited as guests. Cakes and punch were served to them.

Members of the Westover Club who assisted in serving as hostesses were Mrs. Roy Stinson, Mrs. Nell Shelton, Mrs. Collins, and Mrs. Elsie Jones. After having experienced this delightful visit with these friends of ours, I am filled with the thoughts that it is indeed more blessed to give than to receive, for each of us felt that within our own hearts we had experienced equal or more joy through this visit than the recipients.

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Friends and relatives of the Blanton Moore family, in Birmingham, are interested in learning that Mrs. Moore (Faye) is resting well since her extensive surgery. The news is now that her condition is satisfactory and is "on the road to recovery." Blanton Moore is a native of Westover and a frequent visitor in the homes of relatives here. We all wish for Faye a continuing recovery from her illness.

Recreation's purpose is not to kill time, but rather to make time live; not to help the individual serve time but to make time serve him; not to encourage people to hide from themselves but to help them find themselves.

SOUP'S ON - - Area Scouts turn chef during the Seventh National Boy Scout Jamboree at Farragut State Park, Idaho. Left to right are: Alan Hume, Columbiana; Albert Clough, Juneau, Alaska; Paul Boehme, Birmingham; John Grass, Brawley, Cal.; Barney Gutley, Big Springs, Texas.

New Hope News

By Mrs. J. M. Denson

Mrs. Maude C. Phelps of Los Angeles was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Taft Sheets here Thursday.

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Mrs. H. M. Winslett with her daughters, Mrs. R. C. Lacey and Mrs. D. J. Bates recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Trion Eiland in Talladega.

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Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Martin spent last week visiting relatives in Washington D. C.

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sorrell and children were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Gilmore and family at Atmore.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boatner of Akron, Ohio are house guests of Mrs. Sylvester Brashier and other relatives in the area.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Castleberry have returned from a vacation in Key West, Fla.

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The home of Miss Sheryl Young was the scene of an exciting event Tuesday evening when she and Mrs. Barbara Lang entertained a group of friends at a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Lonnie Allan (Nancy Fallin).

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A delightful affair was enjoyed when the Day Circle of the CPW met at the Fellowship Hall. Mrs. Bob Morrison was responsible for a most interesting discussion on the topic "How Free Are We". Mrs. James Rutherford gave the highlights on the Bible Study.

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Rev. Talmadge Bright is in Fayetteville, Tenn. this week conducting a revival.

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Mrs. C. B. Armstrong of Chattanooga spent several days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Finch on Cahaba Valley Road.

AA to meet in Alabaster

There will be an open meeting of Alcoholic Anonymous held in Alabaster City Hall on Sunday July 27, beginning at 3 o'clock P. M.

If you have an alcohol problem or are interested in this organization, you are cordially invited to be present.

Committee

The automotive producers, construction industry and steel service centers were the leading steel mill customers last year. Together, they accounted for 52 per cent of steel shipments.

Good Morning–

Follow your nose

By Milton Bird

Elbert Gibson lives at the foot of Mount Dixie. You go over the mountain and turn right. If you're eleven or twelve years old you turn at Josh Gibson's house, past the beacon light and down the long paved road. But if you're my age you turn at the old Alex Lisle place, past the muscadine vines and down the dusty road with the horse-shoe bend half way down. Just follow your nose then and you'll run smack into his carport.

Elbert and I are good friends, for several reasons. I guess the best reason is he's got a pretty girl named Lou Ann and another pretty girl named Jan. But there are other reasons. Like apples, for a pie, and a fine place to hunt birds, and gourds, by the hundreds, for a guy who likes martins.

Today Jim Merrell and I were out to see him about gourds. He plants gourds half a mile down a spring branch, under big piles of stumps and logs he bulldozed out to make a pasture, and folks come from here to yonder looking for 'em. Along about the time Martins start coming back home, from South America, or wherever they go when the snows come and the wind is out o' Chelsea.

"We're gonna have to have some rain," Elbert said, leading us down the bank where the vines were just beginning to run along the logs.

But overhead the sky looked like the top of a pool table. Just one big pool table, stretched out as far as the eye could see, with the sun hanging in the middle as hot as a welder's torch.

Jim stopped under the shade of a persimmon tree and wiped at his face with his sleeve. He took off his hat and his head looked like rain on a window.

"If it's all right," he said, "let's look at the rest of them in November."

We turned around and drug back up a little hill and stopped under a tall oak tree that shaded his barnyard. Barnyards are like peas, or leaves on a sycamore tree. They are all alike, with the same things in the barn that any guy has who lives on a farm and piddles around with cows and calves and hay and chickens.

And then, from over a little rise, two fryers came along. They bounced around the corner of the barn and saw us and stopped, staring at us with wide unblinking eyes. One let out a little squeak and they hurried off down a little draw chasing grasshoppers.

"You know something," Jim said. He was still watching the fryers. There was a little light in his eyes.

"What?" I asked.

"They're just the right size to join the ministry," Jim said.

Dr. Richard O. Ramer announces the opening of his office for the practice of general dentistry in the Porter Building, Alabaster, Alabama. 663-0458

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Strickland's

Columbiana

MISS MARY BETH FOWLER

Fowler - Strickland plan wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Fowler of Atlanta, formerly of Birmingham, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Beth Fowler, to James Hugh Strickland, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Strickland of Birmingham.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester R. Fowler of Indianapolis, Indiana and Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses G. Thomas of Kokomo, Indiana.

Miss Fowler attends Auburn University where she is in her senior year. She is a National Merit scholar and is on the Dean's list.

Mr. Strickland is the grandson of Mrs. Elmer J. Tindall and the late Mr. Tindall of Birmingham and the late Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Strickland of Decatur, Ala. He is a senior at Auburn University and a member of Sigma Pi Fraternity.

The wedding will take place on September 13 at the Dunwoody United Methodist Church in Atlanta.

MYF Officers

The recently elected officers for Columbiana Methodist Youth Fellowship for the new year are: President, Lynn Farr: vice-president, Jim Davis; secretary-treasurer, Kathy McLeroy. Adult workers, Shirley Wallace and Anita Sloan.

A trip to Six Flags Over Georgia is being planned for the latter part of July.

Explorers set car wash

The Explorer Post 560 of the Boy Scouts ask your cooperation in their venture to stage a car wash at the SCHS Lunch Room Parking Lot next Monday and Tuesday, July 28 and 29, beginning at 8 o'clock A. M. and continuing until 5 o'clock P.M.

There will be a drawing for a free wash and wax job. These patriotic young American Explorer Scouts will appreciate your patronage.

Society Page And Personal Mention

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Close of Day

"There's a little house
On a little hill
Where a little road runs by and
a rambling rose
Kissed by petals red
Climbs upon a roof so high;
There's a little gate always
open wide
To the folk who pass that way,
And far in tree-tops tall where
the sunbeams gently fall,
Birds all sing 'til close of day.

Softly steals the night
moonlight fairies white
Bring the star-dreams from the
sky;
Close in mother's arms baby
fears no harm,
Tho' the night-winds softly
sigh;
Then, a lullaby brings the
angels nigh,
Watching while the shadows
play,
And if you chance along tho'
your heart has lost its song,
Love you'll find at close of day.

The above lyric fell from the gifted penpoint of Clarice White Luck some years ago, and it was my privilege to put a musical frame around it and get it published. I thought of its pictorial beauty this afternoon as I reached home and paused for a time on the front porch to view the restful setting of my "sun-splashed" lawn after a rather hectic day in a busy newspaper office.

Who is there among our readers who has not shared in reality the scenic beauty pictured in the above poetic gem? Haven't you often journeyed homeward after work-a-day hours and enjoyed the "sunlight and shadows" on your green carpeted lawn - - just before the day came to a close?

Haven't you been contented just to sit and watch the tired old sun slip his arms into his crimson coat before going to sleep? Haven't you watched the Western horizon turn to purple hues of twilight? Haven't you watched the sky turn acquamarine and then cerulean? Haven't you seen the green trees silhouetted against this colorful background? Haven't you watched Old Man Moon appear through the lacey branches of friendly oak trees and later watched the tiny stars peek through? Possibly, you have heard the lonely call of my whip- poor-will just before Night drops low her curtain bringing peace, stillness, and a restful quietness. Then, like the man who searched the whole world over for an acre of diamonds, you suddenly realize that here lie the things you prize, and that happiness dwells close, very close, in that little haven you call home - - located right here on your little old Main Street and mine! 'Tis then you forget all about that vacation you had been half way thinking about, and you decide the best thing to do is "stay home" and pull from your P. O. box cards from vacationing friends. The "wish-you- were-here-kind", then write about where they are and when they will return. Get what I mean?

Albertville Youth Choir Guest Singers

On the evening of July 27, at 7:30 o'clock members of the Youth Choir of the First United Methodist Church, of Albertville, will present a program of religious music in the sanctuary of the Columbiana Methodist Church. The choral group is under the direction of Richard Porter and is composed of 25 youthful musicians.

The public is cordially invited to be present and share this meaningful program.

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Mrs. George Pickett (Alice Roberts) of Dallas, Texas, is the guest of her brother Mims Roberts and Mrs. Roberts.

MRS. MICHAEL CARL PICKETT

Miss Joan Anthony weds Mike Pickett

Miss Joan Anthony and Michael Carl Pickett were married Saturday, July 19 at 7:30 p. m. at the Montevallo Presbyterian Church, with Mr. David Mullen officiating.

The bride, daughter of Mrs. Frances Rybeck Anthony and the late Harold Anthony, was given in marriage by her uncle, James E. Farrell of Montgomery. She wore a gown of peau de soie with the empire bodice and bell sleeves of chantilly lace which was also appliqued on her chapel train. Her illusion veil fell from petals of lace and pearls and she carried a cascading bouquet of phalaenopsis orchids and stephanotis.

Miss Beth Anthony and Mrs. Larry Joe Pickett were honor attendants. Bridesmaids were Miss Mary Ellen Lewis and Miss Margie Scott. Each wore a chartreuse princess floorlength gown and carried a bouquet of pink sweetheart roses and featherd carnations.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Truman Pickett, had his father as best man. Groomsmen were Larry Joe Pickett, Ray Bearden, Mark Bonilla, Montevallo; Danny Bearden, Wilton; and Albert Pickett of Marvel.

Wedding music was provided by Mrs. Frances Peterson Givhan, organist, and soloist, Miss Mary McCulley.

A reception at Reynolds Hall followed the ceremony. After a wedding trip to the Smokey Mountains, the couple will live in Montevallo where Mr. Pickett is employed and Mrs. Pickett attends Alabama College.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nick Martin and family of Helena Rt. 1 have returned from a vacation spent in Mobile where they viewed the USS Alabama.

Wood - Grady wed in Columbiana

In the presence of close friends and neighbors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Brown in Columbiana, the marriage of Mrs. Rose Wood and Frances Grady was solemnized at eight o'clock P. M. July 17, 1969. The Rev. Jimmy Jackson officiated.

Mr. Grady, formerly of Montevallo, holds a responsible position with the Alabama Power Company and Mrs. Wood, for several years, has been an employee of the Columbiana Library.

Following a wedding trip the couple will make their future home in Columbiana.

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The marriage of Diana Nelson Poole, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Rodger E. Poole (Margaret Freeman Wood - - formerly of Columbiana), and Christopher Smith, was impressively solemnized June 12, in the Presbyterian Church of Upper Montclair, N. J. the Rev. Joseph Criag Dickson, officiating.

Miss Poole, is the granddaughter of Mrs. Steadman Wood who has just returned to Columbiana after attending the wedding.

The young couple will make their future home in Lawrence, Kansas, where Mr. Smith will attend the Kansas Law School.

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Larry Patterson, a recent graduate of Alabama College, came by Thursday to tell us "goodbye" as he left to accept a responsible position with an insurance company in Mobile.

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C. R. Tinney, a life long resident of Columbiana and a former member of the Shelby County Board of Revenue, now retired, moved to Birmingham some months ago, but this week finds him back on Main Street among friends and loved ones whom he says he missed so much during his stay in the "big town" that he decided to return and live in his home on College Street. He came by the office today and said: - - "Once you live in Columbiana you are never satisfied away from it! I am home to stay"! This will be good news to his many friends on Main.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Parker and Lisa Parker of Mobile, were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gordon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Claude Vickery (Myra Stinson) of San Francisco, California, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stinson in Columbiana.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed Young, Paula, Chuck and Kirk Young, of Norfolk, Va., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Storey of the Fourmile Community. Christy Story returned home with them for a visit.

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Mr. and Mrs. Don Webber (Gary Luttrell) and Don Jr., of Wilmington, Del., are the guests of her mother, Mrs. J. L. Elliott and Mr. Elliott.

Bethel Church plans revival

A series of revival services will begin in the Bethel Baptist Church at 7:30 P. M. July 27 and continue each night through Aug. 3. The recently called full time pastor Harold Voce, will preach and Ed Lightsey will direct the singing.

This historic church was destroyed by fire some months ago but its loyal members have rebuilt, redecorated and refurnished the building and installed new musical instruments. This revival is the first held since the completion of the building; and everyone is extended a cordial invitation to come and share the inspirational messages and participate in the song service to be presented during this week.

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MISS GLORIA ANN OLIVER

Miss Gloria Oliver to wed July 26

Rev. and Mrs. Written H. Lee of Fairfield, announce the engagement of her daughter, Gloria Ann Oliver, to Chester Seaborn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seaborn, Sr. of Montgomery.

Miss Oliver is a graduate of Prentice High School in Montevallo and Alabama State College in Montgomery.

The wedding is planned for July 26 at four o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Haggins, Jr. in Montevallo.

Homesick for days in Columbiana

Grifton N. C.
Country Club Hills

Dear M. W. W.:

"I am enclosing a check for $4.20 for another year's subscription to the Reporter for my mother, Mrs. Jessie Thompson, who incidentally is approaching her 89th birthday. She still reads and looks forward to each issue. (I do also)" - - -

"I feel that you will remember my son Buddy Holcombe, Jr., who went to school with Warren and Jim Duke, Oliver Head, Joe Young, Dick Fulton and Denton Cole. He is living in Birmingham where he is with an insurance company. He and his wife, Margaret, have three sons, and live in the Meadowbrook Subdivision etc. etc.

"I should add that many times my thoughts return to Columbiana and at times I get very homesick when I think of the many happy days spent there" - -

Ed. note (The above paragraphs are copied from an interesting letter just received from Becky Thompson Glenn, who lived for many years in our town. She now resides in Grifton, N. C. but has kept in touch with old friends since she left many years ago. We were delighted to hear from her and sincerely appreciate her continued loyalty to friends in this section of Alabama. Her weekly interest in the Reporter is evidenced by the renewal subscription just recorded for which we express our personal appreciation. If we remember correctly, Becky is a former linotype operator who worked with the Reporter personnel while Luther Fowler was Editor of this paper. M.W.W.)

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sears, publisher and editor of the Shelby County Reporter and Ed Blake, general manager, attended the summer meeting of the Alabama Press Association in Point Clear during the past week end.

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More low rent houses are desperately needed in Columbiana to meet the needs of industrial workers who are now having to commute to and from their homes, in other counties to continue their work in Shelby County. These people are anxious to make their future home in our town but have been unable to find suitable living quarters.

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Friends of J. W. Curtis, father of Jimmy Curtis, are eagerly awaiting news from his bedside at Baptist Medical Center where he has undergone surgery. Mr. Curtis is a retired school teacher and has a number of friends in Shelby County who are deeply concerned over his illness.

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Sales advertised in all three department stores in Columbiana this week have brought many customers to town, and owners of these establishments tell me the cash registers played a merry jingle - jangle tune satisfactorily enabling them to clear their shelves in order to display early fall arrivals in their ready-to - wear departments.

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Miss Sherri Skinner flew to Raleigh, N. C. last Friday and joined her parents for a motor trip to New York, Washington D. C. and other interesting points in the East.

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Miss Patty Gilliland of Boaz, Ala., was a week end guest of Miss Gay Nichols. Both are counselors at Shocco this summer.

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Mrs. Gertrude Taylor, Mrs. Murray Armstrong, Kay and Ann Armstrong of Birmingham spent Wednesday in Columbiana as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wales Wallace. They spent the afternoon at Buxahatchee Country Club where golf and swimming were enjoyed.

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Mrs. Katherine Davis, we are delighted to report, after an absence of several weeks from her secretarial position with the Water Board, due to surgery, has returned to her office located in the City Hall in Columbiana.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Farmer of Wilsonville, Rt. 1, have returned from Indianapolis where Mr. Farmer joined 80 of his "buddies" from World War II when they held their annual July reunion. All were members of the 37th combat battalion and their Company Commander, Charles Mahan, whom they had not seen since the war ended joined them to make this 1969 occasion an unforgettable one.

Donna Coleman of Calera attends national FHA meeting

Donna Coleman, talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Coleman of Calera, was one of 2,000 high school delegates who attended the national meeting of Future Homemakers of America on the campus of Colorado State University last week. During the convention she appeared as pianist for a portion of the "Funtastic Fun Session", and also sang in the All-States Choral presentations. Donna frequently appears on WBRC radio programs as an organist.

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William Jay Stuman of Maylene has been named to the Samford University Dean's List for the Spring semester. He is the son of William J. Stuman and a graduate of Thompson High School. He is majoring in Pharmacy.

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School bells will begin tinkling for Shelby County students Sept. 2 - - the day after Labor Day. Bugles will be sounding for other young men when they answer the August draft call. Shelby County's armed induction quota of Alabama's 645 men to be called for army duty is set at 15.

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Mrs. A. L. Courtney and children of Terry, Miss., are visiting her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Scroggins.

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Dr. Harold Hall and Dr. Harry Phillips are having the Columbiana Clinic remodelled and made larger to meet the growing demands for more room to better serve their patients.

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Friends of Mrs. Louise Thompson McCotter (a former resident of Columbiana) will regret to learn of the death of her husband Robert Bryan McCotter who died following a heart attack on July 5, in Grifton, North Carolina where they now reside.

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Dr. Bob Mullins, of Birmingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross B. Mullins, now holds the rank of Captain in the U. S. Armed Forces and has been assigned for patriotic duty to Ft. Polk, Louisiana.

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John Harrell DeLoach, Jr. of Vincent is a candidate for graduation from Jacksonville State University. Commencement exercises will be held at 6 p.m. on August 1.

IT'S A BOY!

Mr. and Mrs. Hylotte Brasher (Rebecca Hope) of Shelby announce the arrival of a son born July 9, 1969 in Shelby Memorial Hospital. They have named the little "King O'Hearts" Virgil Lee Brasher honoring both his grandfathers. Grandparents sharing in the happiness this "blessed event" brings are his grandmother, Mrs. Virgil Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brasher all of Shelby.

MISS FRANCES DALE NABORS

Miss Nabors to wed Richard T. Hale

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron J. Nabors of Underwood announce the engagement of their daughter, Frances Dale, to Richard Tracy Hale.

The bride-elect's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lucas and the late Mr. and Mrs. Garson Green Nabors.

Mr. Hale is the son of Mrs. Beth Stone and Mr. Raynard R. Hale. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Durit Stone and the late Mr. and Mrs. Raynard Hale.

Miss Nabors is a graduate of Montevallo High School. Mr. Hale is a graduate of Maplesville High School and is now serving with the U. S. Army.

The wedding will be an event of August 1 at the Moore's Cross Roads Church of God.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding and reception which will follow the ceremony at the church.

Randy Moore promoted

Randy E. Moore, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Moore of Alabaster, has recently been promoted to Data Systems Technician third class. Randy is a graduate of Thompson High School and United Electronics Laboratories in Birmingham. He is married to the former Donna Jean Spencer of Calera, and they reside in Vallejo, California where Randy continues his studies.

Charles Thornburgs to live in Florida

The marriage of Miss Margaret Elizabeth Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Rogers of Plains, Ga., and Charles Thornburg, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thornburg of Shelby, was solemnized in the Grace United Methodist Church, in Auburn, at four o'clock P. M. on July 12, 1969. The Rev. Harry S. Smith, of Plains, Ga., officiated.

Miss Hope Ann Rogers was maid of honor and C. H. Thornburg served his son as best man. Ushers were Bobby and Dale Thornburg, brothers of the groom.

Guests were registered by Miss Sara Jane Behl.

Following the wedding, the young couple left for a brief trip after which they will be at home in Kissamee, Fla. where Dr. Thornburg will engage in the practice of veterinary medicine.

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John Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Wales Wallace, Miss Shirley Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Rux Carter, Miss Kathy Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Orr Jr., are in Point Clear this week where Messrs. Hines, Wallace, Carter and Orr, directors of Shelby Savings & Loan Association are attending the state meeting.

The "Mutual Agreement" musical organization from Alabama College will furnish the entertainment for the social affairs scheduled.

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Miss Mary Bierley, of Kingdom Community, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bierley has just returned from an extended trip including West Palm Beach, Fla., where she visited relatives after which she was joined by Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nicholson, of Jupiter, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hess, Jr., of Birmingham, and Mrs. Glenn Riley of Palatka, for a ten day cruise to the Bahamas.

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Few things interest me more than receiving letters of messages - verbal brickbats or bouquets from friends who formerly travelled with me along the Melody Trail. From one of my former announcers comes the following: "A bird that can sing and won't sing - - ought to be in Sing-Sing".

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Evangelist John Bookholdt, is a guest in Columbiana in the home of his mother, Mrs. John Bookholdt and his sister, Mrs. James Bentley this week. Mr. Bookholdt has been engaged in holding revivals throughout the southern states and will continue in a series of services in Florida during the remaining summer months.

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If Murrel Mullins had been listening over a Birmingham radio station last week instead of being at her official post of duty in the Tax assessor's office, she would have won $914.00, according to a telephone call she received informing her of her monetary loss. However, the station did send her two tickets to the ball game at Rickwood as a consolation award.

In ancient India, sheer cotton muslin was so fine that 73 yards weighed only one pound.

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

Barring unforeseen complications, by the time you have this issue of the paper we shall have celebrated Moon Day for the first time. We can't deny that putting a man on the moon is a tremendous achievement; but we can't help feeling a little sad at the loss of the romantic mystery of the moon which has been the inspiration for poets and song writers for centuries.

Speaking of romance, our Bridal Books were gone with June. But we still have lots of nice cookbooks for wedding gifts. Come by the Falcon Book Store in Montevallo and check on these and other gift books. It's always nice to see you.

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7300 6th Ave. South
Birmingham, Alabama.
7-10,17,24,31/69 †47

Legal Notice
Estate of Luther Gentry Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 15 day of July, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Doris Gentry
Administratrix of the Estate of Luther Gentry, Deceased
7-17,24,31,'69 †55

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Legal Notice
Guardian's Settlement Notice
The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
Probate Court, July 12, 1969
This day came Mrs. Hazel O'Neal, Guardian of Richard T. Davis, a minor and files his account, vouchers, evidence and statement for Partial settlement of his said Guardianship.
It is ordered that the 14 day of August, 1969, be, and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 12 day of July, 1969.
Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
7-17,24,31'69 †53.

Legal Notice
Estate of Dolly Trippett, Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 9th day of July, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Blanche C. Powell
1801 - 2nd Avenue North,
Clanton, Alabama.
7-17,24,31,/'69 †50.

Legal Notice
STATE OF ALABAMA
SHELBY COUNTY
The following is a list of insolvents for the tax year 1968:
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Holcomb-Smith Inc.
The Shelby Corporation
Morrow Appliance Co.
Fay F. Quick
Tax Collector
7-17,24/'69 †51.

Legal Notice
Estate of Stanley Kleindienst, Jr. Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 14 day of March, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Mittie G. Kleindienst
Executrix of the Estate of Stanley Kleindienst, Jr., Deceased
7-17,24,31,'69 †54.

Legal Notice
Estate of W. E. Lovelady, Jr. Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of July, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
D. H. Lovelady
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of W. E. Lovelady, Jr., dec'd
7-17,24,31 - '69 †52.

MORTGAGE
FORECLOSURE SALE
Default having been made in the terms of that mortgage executed on the 7th day of June, 1966, by Reggie N. Brasher and wife Connie Brasher to Jim Walter Corporation which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, in Record of Mortgage, Book 301, Page 426, 427, and default continuing, and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the following described property will be sold at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the Courthouse door of said County, during the legal hours of sale, on the 28th day of August, 1969.
Commence at the Southeast corner of the Northeast ¼ of the Southwest ¼ of Section 29, Township 19, Range 1 West, run thence West along South line of said ¼ Section, 365 feet to the Point of beginning. Run North along Coy B. Brasher line a distance of 120 feet, turn West and parallel to South line of said ¼ Section and run a distance of 200 feet; thence turn North and parallel to West line of said ¼ section a distance of 90 feet; thence turn West and parallel to South line of said ¼ section to a point on West line of said ¼ Section. Said point being 210 feet North of the Southwest corner of said ¼ Section. Turn South and run 210 feet to Southwest corner. Turn East along South line of said ¼ section a distance of 965 feet to the Point of Beginning. Situated in Shelby County, Alabama.
Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt and cost of foreclosure, and will be conducted by the Assignee of the mortgage, Mid-State Homes, Inc.
R.A. Norred, Attorney
Birmingham 3, Alabama
7-24,31, — 8-7,14,'69 †56.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

IN MEMORIAM
In loving memory of our dear husband, father, grandfather and brother, Enoch M. Strother who passed away July 29, 1968.
Friends may think we have forgotten when at times they see a smile. Little do they know the heartache, that our smiles hide all the while.
There is often a lonely heartache and many a silent tear. But always a beautiful memory of the one we love so dear.
Wife Miriam, children, grandchildren, brothers and sisters. 7-24,c.

Card of Thanks
This brief little message is frankley designed to thank everyone sincerely for the food, flowers, money, and the many acts of kindness and help shown during the illness and death of our father and husband. This expression of kindness meant much to us.
Mrs. Mary Hall and children

CARD OF THANKS
We, the family of Mrs. Nannie Hatcher Arant wish to thank everyone concerned for the many acts of kindness and expressions of love and sympathy during the illness and death.
The family of Mrs. Arant

A BILL
TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT
Section 1.
When approved by the State Department of Banking, a bank situated in an area described as follows: North of Shelby County Roads Nos. 11, 44 and 52 and the Eastern boundary being U. S. Highway 280, and the Northern boundary being the Jefferson — Shelby County line. The bank located in this hereinbefore described area at the time of the passage of this act is hereby authorized to establish, operate and maintain within the area limits hereinbefore set out a branch bank, branch office or other place for receiving of deposits, payment of checks, and conducting a general banking business.
Section 2.
All laws or parts of laws which conflict with this act are repealed.
Section 3.
This act shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the governor or upon its otherwise becoming law.
7-10,17,24,31, 1969 †48.

LEGAL NOTICE
Anchor Post Products, Inc. Texas hereby gives notice that they have completed contract with the State of Alabama for construction of Project No. CJF-000B(017) Fourth Division in Coosa, Macon, Shelby, Talladega and Tallapoosa Counties, and that the State has set the date for final settlement as August 31, 1969. All claims should be filed at our office in Birmingham, Alabama. 6506 - 1st Avenue South before date set for final settlement.
Anchor Post Products, Inc. Of Texas
7-24,31,8-7,14,'69 †59

Legal Notice
Administrator's Settlement Notice
The State of Alabama, Shelby County
PROBATE COURT,
July 17, 1969
This day came Winnie Leland Gardner, Administrator of Robert Edward Lee, deceased and files his accounts, vouchers, evidence and statement for final settlement of his said Administration.
It is ordered that the 28 day of August, 1969, be, and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 17 day of July, 1969.
Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
7-24,31,—8-7, 1969. †57

State of Alabama
Shelby County
Notice is hereby given that a bill substantially as follows will be introduced in the Legislature of Alabama and application for its passage and enactment will be made, to-wit:
AN ACT
Relating to Shelby County; authorizing any bank situated within the county to open, establish, operate and maintain a branch bank, a branch office or other place of business with a certain area within said county.
BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:
SECTION 1. When permitted by its charter and bylaws, and approved by the State Banking Department, any bank situated in Shelby County shall be authorized to open, establish, operate and maintain a branch bank, branch office or other place of business for the receipt of deposits, payment of checks and conducting a general banking business within the following described area in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit: said area being bounded on the south by County Highway No. 11; on the east by a line running parallel to and one-half mile east of U. S. Highway No. 280 as the same will be located when the present construction thereon is completed; on the north by the Jefferson County line; and on the west by a line running parallel to and one-half mile west of U. S. Highway No. 31; provided, however, no branch bank shall be established within 5 miles of any presently established bank.
SECTION 2. All laws or parts of laws which conflict with this Act are repealed.
SECTION 3. This Act shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor, or upon its otherwise becoming a law.
7-24, 31, 8-7,14, 1969 †60.

LEGAL NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the Alabama Highway Department will hold a Public Hearing, if requested, on August 29, 1969 at 2:00 PM at Recreation Building in Harpersville, Alabama. The purpose of this hearing would be to provide an opportunity for interested persons to participate in determining the need for, and location of, a Federal-Aid highway by presenting views on proposed alternative highway locations and the social, economic, and environmental effects of those alternate locations, and to consider the consistency of this highway project with the goals and objectives of such planning as had been promulgated by the Community, City, Town or Village, either Incorporated or Unincorporated in Shelby County which the highway project may go through or bypass. This Public Hearing will be held if, and only if, there is a public desire for the Hearing as expressed by a written statement to
W. P. Dejarnette
Division Engineer
Alabama Highway Department
P. O. Box 432
Alexander City, Alabama 35010
by August 14, 1969, requesting that the Public Hearing be held.
This Public Hearing will be held on the entire length of Project S-376 whose description is as follows:
Begin at a point on US-280 approximately 1.0 mile east of Shelby County Road No. 27 to a point on US-280 approximately 1.5 miles east of intersection of Alabama 25 with US-280 at Harpersville.
Maps showing alternate highway locations through this corridor are available for inspection at the State Highway Department Office at Resident Engineers Office, Camp Childersburg, Childersburg, Alabama.
Relocation assistance programs for persons who may be displaced by this project will be discussed at the Public Hearing.
The State Highway Department will accept written statements and other exhibits in place of, or in addition to, oral statements made at the Public Hearing. Such statements and/or exhibits may be submitted prior to, at, or within 10 days after the Public Hearing. These statements and/or exhibits should be submitted to
W. P. DeJarnette
Division Engineer
Alabama Highway Department
P. O. Box 432
Alexander City, Alabama 35010
This Public Hearing is for the purpose of fulfilling the requirements of the Federal-Aid Highway Act, Title 23 United States Code, Sections 101, 128 and 315, and PPM 20-8 dated January 14, 1969.
7-24, 31, 69 †58

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF SHELBY
Notice is hereby given that a bill substantially as follows will be introduced in the Legislature of Alabama and application for its passage and enactment will be made, to-wit:
Notice is hereby given in accordance with Article 4, Section 106 Constitution of Alabama, that application will be made to the Legislature of Alabama for enactment of a local law applicable to the Town of Harpersville in substance as follows:
An Act to alter, re-arrange and extend the boundaries and corporate limits of the town of Harpersville so as to incorporate certain territory as described herein, to-wit:
Begin at the SE corner of the present Harpersville Town limits which point is the SW corner of the NW¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 3, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence run East along the South line of said NW¼ of the SE¼ a distance of 660 ft more or less, to the NW corner of the E½ of the SW¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34; Thence run South along the West line of said East ½ of the SW¼ of the SE¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the South line of Sec. 34; thence run East along the South line of said Sec. 34 a distance of 1320 ft more or less, to the NW corner of the NE¼ of the NE¼ of the NE¼ of Sec. 3, T-20-S, R-2-E; then run South along the West line of said NE¼ of the NE¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 660 ft; more or less to the SW corner; thence run East along the South line of said NE¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 660 ft, more or less to the West line of Sec. 2, T-20-S, R-2—E; thence run South along the West line of said Sec. 2 a distance of 660 ft, more or less to the SW corner of the NW¼ of the NW¼ of Sec. 2, T-20-S, R-2,E; thence run East along the South line of said NW¼ of the NW¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the SE corner; thence run South along the West line of the SE¼ of the NW¼ of said Sec. 2 a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the SW corner; thence run East along the South line of the SE¼ of the NW¼ and the SW¼ of the NE¼ of said Sec. 2, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the SE corner of said SW¼ of the NE¼;
thence run North along the East line of said SW¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less to the NE corner; thence run West along the North line of said SW¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the NW corner; thence run North along the East line of the NE¼ of the NW¼ of said Sec. 2, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the NE corner; thence continue North along the East line of S½ of the S½ of the SW¼ of Sec. 35, T-19-S, R-2-E a distance of 660 ft, more or less, to the NE corner; thence run West along the North line of said S½ of the S½ of the SW¼ a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the North West corner; thence run North along the East line of Sec. 34, a distance of 1320 ft., more or less, to the NE corner of the S½ of the NE¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence run West along the North line of said S½ of the NE¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34, a distance of 1320 ft more or less, to the NW corner; thence run North along the East line of the N½ of the NW¼ of the SE¼ and the S½ of the SW¼ of the NE¼ of said Sec. 34, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less; thence run West along the North line of the S½ of the SW¼ of the NE¼ of Sec. 34, a distance of 1320, ft, more or less, to the NW corner, and a point on the East line of the present Town limits; thence run South along the West line of the S½ of the SW¼ of the NE¼ and the NW¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34, and the present Town limits line, a distance of 1980 ft, more or less, to the point of beginning; situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Also Begin at the SE corner of Sec. 21, T-19-S, R-2-E, and a point on the present city limits line; thence run North along the East line of said Sec. 21 a distance of 2656.73 ft. to the NE corner of the SE¼ of said sec. 21; thenceturn an angle of 90 deg. 13 min. to the left and run West along the North line of said SE¼ a distance of 2718.40 ft. to the NW corner of said SE¼; thence turn an angle of 89 deg. 46 min. to the right and run North along the East line of the SE¼ of the NW¼ a distance of 1338.64 ft. to the NE corner of said ¼ ¼ Sec; thence turn an angle of 89 deg. 35 min. to the left and run West along the North line of the S½ of the NW¼ of Sec. 21 a distance of 2727.98 ft. to the West line of Sec. 21; thence continue West along the North line of the S½ of the NE ¼ and the S½ of the NW¼ of Sec. 20, T-19-S, R-2-E a distance of 5280 ft., more or less, to the West line of said Sec. 20; thence run South along the West line of said Sec. 20 a distance of 3978.45 ft. to the SW corner of said Sec; thence turn an angle of 92 deg 39 min. to the right and run West along the North line of Sec. 30, T-19-S, R-2-E a distance of 2690.00 ft. to the NW corner of the NE¼ of said Sec. 30; thence run South along the West line of the East ½ of Said Sec. 30 a distance of 3960 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of the N½ of the SE¼ of said Sec. 30; thence run East along the South line of said N½ of the SE¼ a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the West line of Sec. 29, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence run South along the West line of said Sec. 29 a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of said Sec. 29; thence run East along the South line of said Sec. 29 a distance of 3960 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of the East ½ of SE¼ of said Sec 29, and the West line of the present Town limits; thence run North along the West line of the E½ of the SE¼ of said Sec. 29, and the present Town limits line, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the NW corner of said E½ of the SE¼; thence run East along the North line of said E½ of the SE¼, and the present Town limits, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the West line of Sec. 28, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence continue East along the South line of the NW¼ of said Sec. 28, and the present Town limits, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the SE corner of said NW¼; thence run North along the East line of said NW¼ and the present Town limits, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the South line of Sec. 21, R-19-S, R-2-E; thence run East along the South line of said Sec. 21, and the present Town limits, a distance of 2699.26 ft, to the point of beginning, situated in Shelby County, Alabama.
July 24,31, Aug 7,14, 1969 †61.

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By Ed Blake

Have you ever had to look up at a fish?

It's a frightening experience.

Last week while at Gulf Shores, Steve Huffstutler and I walked up the ramp at the new state pier and there that gentleman fish stood - - a 112-pound tarpon.

What does a 112-pound tarpon look like?

He measures about 6'4" long, a mass of silver with a mouth that could gobble up a basketball and I believe he would if he had the opportunity.

The tarpon was a fighter. The fisherman that caught the fish battled the silver king for more than two and one-half hours. He said the big boy walked the water five times attempting to throw the hook, but the hook held and he brought the trophy to the pier on 50-pound test line.

Talking about tackle busters, Bill Ingram and Ted Bryant of the Birmingham Post–Herald, Steve and I tied into some sail cats that really wore us down. I battled one on light freshwater tackle that took over 13 minutes to boat.

I received a good bit of ribbing from my fishing companions that the drag on my reel was too loose, but my how I like to hear that drag scream.

BABE RUTH ALL-STARS - - Players selected to the Central Shelby Babe Ruth All-Stars are (front row from left) Mark Criswill, Steve Clinkscale, Amos Rickey, Jim Davis, Wayne Shifflet, Jerry Schofield; (middle row from left) Tommy McDonald, Kenny McCord, Terry White, Ronnie Vansant, Steve Morris and Randy Nichols; (back row from left) Vince Cardone, John Baker, Stanley Winslet, James Nivens, James Anderson and Coach Charles McCombs. The All-Stars won the District 2 title last week at McAdory.

Neville Bearden makes All-Stars

Neville Bearden, a graduate of Vincent High School, is among the 29 players on the South All-Star Football roster.

The squad of super stars, representing the cream of the high school football talent in the southern half of the state, will report to the University of Alabama on July 30 to start practice for the annual All-Star Classic with the northern All-Stars on August 7.

Last year at Vincent, Bearden earned All-Conference and School Most Valuable Player honors.

He gained 1,083 yards rushing for 10 touchdowns; caught 12 passes for 360 yards and three touchdowns and returned 889 yards for two touchdowns.

The All-Star Classic is scheduled for August 7 at 7:45 p. m. in Denny Stadium at Tuscaloosa.

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Greens return from west

Mr. and Mrs. George Green, Mrs. J. G. Bohanon, Jenny Kay, Judy and James Bohanon have returned from a tour of the western states. They visited the Grand Tetons, Yellowstone National Park, the Grand Canyon, petrified forest and other points of interest.

Montevallo News

By Bert Seaman

Mr. and Mrs. John Spicer are the parents of a daughter, born July 18 at Shelby Memorial Hospital. The baby has been named Elaine.

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Mr. and Mrs. Agee Kelly with children Karen and Jim are vacationing in Laguna Beach, Fla. this week. They spent several days last week visiting Mrs. Kelly's sister in Lake City.

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Rev. and Mrs. Frank Ledford had as their guests last week, Mrs. Arvin Moore and her children from Panama City, Fla.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pete Guthrie and family spent last week in Panama City visiting Mrs. Guthrie's father.

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Guests of Miss Mary Woolley last week were Mrs. John Woolley, El Dorado, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Combs and their children John, Judy and Janice of Houston, Texas.

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The hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rochester in Montevallo, last Sunday, was the scene of a happy family reunion. There were forty-five members of the immediate families and their guests present. Following the delectable mid-day luncheon, a water melon cutting was held during the afternoon on the tree-shadowed lawn - after which group singing was enjoyed.

Transportation sought for aged

The Rev. John Duncan, Director of Missions for the Shelby Baptist Association, and the Rev. Burl Oliver, pastor of the Columbiana Methodist Church, form a committee who are seeking volunteer service from the church people for transportation of children and elderly citizens who have no means of getting to the places designated for these recipients eligible for public services now available to them.

For further information, contact the above named gentlemen.

Johnny Glass receives medal

Specialist Four Johnny E. Glass, son of Levis J. Glass, Pelham, received the Army Commendation Medal June 17 while serving with the U. S. Army Depot near Qui Nhon, Vietnam.

Spec. 4 Glass earned the award for meritorious service.

4-H Club

Continued from Page 1

Marsha Lefkovits, Jim Hall, Sally Israel, Bill Israel, Tony Baker, Terry Baker, David Morton, Becky Morton, Carolyn Hall;

Adelle Simpson, Ginger Bearden, Phil Lawler, Susan Grady, Tony Gillen, Ricky Mitchell, Miki Mahan, Randie Sears, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McEwen, Frank McEwen, Mr. Joe Wallace, Mrs. Edward Baker, Mrs. Norman Lefkovits and Mr. John E. Jones.

Marco Polo noted that the ancient Chinese wove cloth with colored cotton.

HENRY FUNDERBURK, JR.

Auburn alums to hold party

A family type outing has been planned for members of the Shelby County Auburn Alumni Club which will be held at Buxahtachee Country Club Monday, July 28. Activities will begin at 3:00 P. M. and will include a golf tournament planned by Jim Haynes, swimming, ping-pong and other games out doors. Bridge can be played in the air conditioned club rooms.

Jack Upchurch, chairman of the food committee, has planned a delectable barbecue dinner which will begin at 7:00 P. M. Those planning to attend are requested to call 669-6313 - County Agent's Office or Mrs. Jackie Cates, 669-6404 for reservation and further information.

Following the dinner hour, Dr. H. H. Funderburk, President of the new Montgomery campus, will speak on future plans for the new campus.

Dr. Funderburk is currently serving as assistant dean of the Graduate School at Auburn and was formerly engaged in teaching and research in the Department of Botany and Plant Pathology. He will assume his new responsibilities with the Montgomery Branch on March 1.

Four Shelby County men have roles in lunar mission

Four former Shelby Countians have played important parts in the Apollo 11 lunar landing program.

Andrew J. Pickett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pickett of Route 1, Marvel is deputy director for operations in the launch vehicle operations branch of NASA's Kennedy Space Center in Florida. Personnel of Pickett's branch were responsible for preparing the hugh Saturn V rocket that launched the Apollo spacecraft from earth. Pickett is a graduate of Montevallo High School and holds a BS degree from the University of Alabama. His wife, the former Marjorie Holley of Florala is a graduate of Alabama College.

Another AC graduate, David R. Davis, son of Mrs. Lucile Davis of Rt. 1, Jemison is chief of date operations and evaluation in the Information Systems branch of the NASA Kennedy Space center. Personnel of Davis' branch gather and distribute scientific data to engineers evaluating the launch and flight of the vehicle.

Two former Montevallo residents and AC graduates, L. Kenneth Rochester and Randy Woolley both have played important roles in the lunar landing program with the Boeing Company at Huntsville. Boeing performs major systems engineering, vehicle integration and mission support for the Saturn V moon rocket.

Rochester's parents are Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Rochester and Woolley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wooley, all of Montevallo.

Clark angered by littering

Mr. Allen Clark is offering a $50 reward for information leading to the arrest of anyone who litters his property near Montevallo.

Clark is perburbed about the extensive littering in Alabama and telephoned the Reporter to say that Alabama is becoming the "garbage dump of the nation."

He pointed out that state law provides a $500 fine and up to six months at hard labor for littering or dumping trash.

His property is located west of Highway 155, but he resides at 1966 Shades Crest Road in Vestavia.

Local Jaycees tap Shelton

New officers of the Columbiana Jaycees were announced this week. The incoming president is Tommy Shelton, external vice president is Ben Lavender, internal vice president is Nelson Lathan, secretary Johnnie Morrow and treasurer is Dave Long.

The officers will serve for terms of one year.

Elected to the board were Frank Ellis, Jr., Hugh Sims, Jr. and Mike Nivens.

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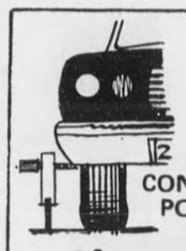
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25 Years Ago--

Waste paper, tin cans aid war effort

Waste paper and tin cans are being collected throughout the county to aid the war effort. This project will continue until the war ends and merits the cooperation of every patriotic citizen. Dr. M. L. Orr of Montevallo is County Chairman and Miss Mary Peters is Home Chairman.

25 Years Ago

An unidentified burglar broke into T. R. Walton's store Saturday night. A small sum of money was taken from the safe which was blown open.

25 Years Ago

K. B. Nickerson, who has been operating a Drug Company in Siluria for more than 30 years, has sold his interest to Buck Creek Cotton Mills and is opening a new drug store in Alabaster.

25 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and daughter, Annette, spent the week end in Camp Wheeler as the guest of their son Edwin Thompson who is a member of the armed forces.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. L. H. Ellis has returned home for a convalescent period after being in a hospital in Birmingham for several weeks.

25 Years Ago

Dr. George Truett, former president of Baptist World Alliance and for 47 years pastor of First Baptist Church of Dallas, Texas, died July 7. He was acclaimed as one of the greatest Baptist preachers. He was a frequent guest speaker in Birmingham.

25 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Frances Leonard and son of West Blocton and Mr. and Mrs. James Leonard of Birmingham spent the week end in Columbiana as the guests of their parents, Judge and Mrs. J. M. Leonard.

25 Years Ago

J. M. Wilson, who is a farmer on the Isbell farm near Columbiana, brought in the first cotton bloom of the season last Friday. On Saturday, Mrs. Bell Baker of Harpersville, was a visitor in our office and stated that they also had cotton in bloom.

25 Years Ago

Lt. and Mrs. Gene Edmondson of Camp Ellis, Ill., announce the birth of a daughter June 28, whom they have named Mary Jean.

25 Years Ago

Wilburn Mann of Harpersville has returned to duty after recovering from wounds received in action in the drive on Rome. Wilburn was wounded in action once before in the North African operation. He has received the Purple Heart.

25 Years Ago

In a severe electric storm that passed over Columbiana, Monday, lightening struck at the home of Ted Riley, one mile East of Columbiana, killing a mule, a cow and several small animals.

25 Years Ago

President Roosevelt on Tuesday at a press conference announced that if he were nominated by the Democrats for a fourth term he would accept the nomination and that if elected in November, he would serve "reluctantly, but as a good soldier".

25 Years Ago

A. A. Lauderdale, County Agent, has arranged for a series of terracing schools which will be held July 13, 14, and 17.

VISITING CHOIR - - The Methodist Youth Choir from Albertville will present the program at the Columbiana Methodist Church Sunday evening, under the direction of Richard Porter.

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Keith Alexander derby champion

Keith Alexander of Montevallo is Shelby County's first Soap Box Derby champion.

Keith, the 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander, defeated nine other competitors in the county's first derby held Saturday in Calera.

The victory earned Keith a five-hundred dollar savings bond, a trophy and a berth in the National Soap Box Derby scheduled August 23 in Akron, Ohio. In the national races he will compete against 260 soap box champions from throughout the world.

His sleek navy blue and white striped fibreglass racer also was judged the "best designed car."

Trailing Keith for derby top honors were Phillip Robinson of Siluria, Rt. 1, second place finisher, and Steve Barrow of Columbiana, third place.

The Results: First Round – Steve Golden of Calera defeated Kenny White of Alabaster; Kieth Alexander of Montevallo defeated Steve Barrow of Columbiana; Phillip Robinson of Siluria, Rt. 1, defeated Tommy Coin of Alabaster; Kenneth Robinson of Siluria, Rt. 1, defeated Marty Whitfield of Helena; and Doug Street of New Hope defeated David Armstrong of Wilsonville.

All first round winners advanced to the quarter finals. Losers in the first round raced for a position in the quarter finals.

First Round Losers' Bracket – Steve Barrow advanced when Kenny White was eliminated due to mechanical trouble, Marty Whitfield defeated Tommy Coin, David Armstrong drew a bye.

Steve Barrow advanced to the quarter finals by defeating Marty Whitfield and David

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FIRST COUNTY WINNER - - Keith Alexander shows his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander of Montevallo, Rt. 2, the trophies he won during the first Shelby County Soap Box Derby. Keith will represent the county in the National Soap Box Derby to be held August 23 in Akron, Ohio. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Stubbs strikes cities from liquor bill

Local option liquor, Montevallo City limits, warrant clerks and lowering the voting age are of leading local interest this week in the State Legislature.

Representative Tom Stubbs told the Reporter late Monday that he exempted Shelby County from the local option liquor bill. This bill would permit cities over 2,000 population to vote themselves wet, even if located in a dry county. In Shelby County, this would apply to Montevallo and Columbiana.

Stubbs explained he exempted the county because city option in this county would "circumvent the will of the people" since the county had voted itself dry. He pointed out that county-wide referendum could be called at any time 15 per cent of the voters in the last election petitioned the probate judge for such a referendum.

Time has probably run out for Montevallo to expand its city limits. Stubbs indicated that the Legislative Reference Service told him three different bills would be required to extend Montevallo's limits to Aldrich, Evansville and Dry Valley because these three areas are not contiguous.

It requires four weeks of advertising and five days of legislative consideration to pass such laws. The proposed addition of Almont and Aldrich created a wide stir this spring with widely circulated petitions on both sides of the issue.

Stubbs predicted the Legislature would adjourn around August 25.

Stubbs said he killed a bill to establish a warrant officer for Shelby County when it reached the House. The proposed officer would have had the authority to issue all warrants and Stubbs felt that was "too much authority for any one person." He pointed out that justices of the peace, mayors, the district attorney, his assistant and the circuit clerk can all issue warrants under present law.

The issue of extending the vote to eighteen-year-olds is of great concern to the Shelby County Representative. He said it is one of the big issues that will come up soon in the House. He would like to have an expression of opinion from his constituents on the matter.

He also predicted that the Legislature will not do away with the office of justice of the peace in this session.

TEEN AT WORK - - Faith Brannon's summer job at Gillis Pharmacy in Alabaster keeps her busy dispensing ice cream at the fountain. She will be a senior at Thompson High School this fall. Faith is one of several industrious high school students working in local businesses and industries this summer. (Other photos appear throughout this issue.)

Summer jobs scarce for teenagers in county

By Marcia M. Sears

Paying jobs and teenagers are hard to match up in Shelby County.

Most teenagers profess an interest in working during the summer, but for a variety of reasons jobs are hard to find. Most employers are only too anxious to give youngsters a helping hand, but full time workers are needed by most of them, instead of fill-in part time help.

The Reporter searched around the county for employed teenagers who will be returning to school this fall, and discovered there are not many in this category. (see photographs) High school graduates headed for college are far more numerous in the county employment picture.

There are also, sadly, a great number of high school dropouts working at fulltime jobs who do not plan to return to school.

Some students find that practice sessions connected with school activities take up their time in the summer. Cheerleader and majorette clinics are popular with girls. Early football practice cuts short the summer for many boys. For others, family vacations and "Panama City" outings are too tempting to allow a job to interfere.

Many others lack the skills needed and some are surprised at how hard the physical labor is at some jobs.

State and federal laws deter most employers in the county in hiring student help. Much of the work in Shelby County's industries is classified as "hazardous", ruling out any employee under 18 years of age.

The minimum wage of $1.60 per hour is a two-sided issue in teen-age employment. youngsters are protected from unscrupulous employers who might want to take advantage of their youth and not pay them properly. On the other hand, many small businesses in the county simply cannot afford to pay untrained, unskilled workers that much money. Thus job opportunities for the young have been reduced.

But in several business establishments, especially grocery stores, customers find cheerful energetic teenagers at work, earning money and getting valuable training, for their later careers.

The Alabama Child Labor Agency requires everyone under 17 to have an employment certificate before he can be allowed to work. These certificates may be obtained from the county

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LINING THEM UP - - Making his summer days productive is Roddy Selman , who works at Brown Moulding Co. He will return to Montevallo High School to complete his studies this fall. Photo by Ed Blake.

J. R. Jackson administers first-aid to wreck victims

Good safety training and the willingness to help people in trouble were demonstrated in an outstanding manner last week in Montevallo.

J. R. Jackson, a South Central Bell lineman who lives in Montevallo, was driving on Highway 119 toward Moore's Crossroads to help a fellow employee replace some wires which had fallen across the road.

About half a mile out of Montevallo, Jackson spotted a group of people standing around the scene of an automobile accident.

Pulling his truck to a stop, Jackson got his first-aid kit and ran to the scene of the accident. A woman and two teenage girls were lying on the ground beside the car; one woman was crushed between the dash of the car, and a young boy of pre-school age was beside her.

Taking account of the situation, Jackson instructed the by-standers to help him aid the people. From his first-aid kit he took out strips of gauze and directed certain people how to apply pressure to the gashes and cuts of two of the women lying of the ground. He also showed them how to keep the victims in a position so that blood from their cuts could not drain into their mouths.

Checking further, Jackson discovered one of the women was having trouble breathing, and so he forced open her mouth, thus removing foreign matter, and pressed a bandage on her bleeding head. He then turned his attention to another of the victims lying on the ground, and began applying pressure to one of her wounds. Jackson stood by until an ambulance came.

Most people would have figured they had helped enough by this time. Jackson didn't. Responding to a patrolman's request to ride in the ambulance, Jackson helped pick the woman up and put her on a stretcher. Climbing into the back of the ambulance, he started on his way to the Shelby County Memorial Hospital in Alabaster, still applying pressure to the woman's wounds. Near Siluria she stopped breathing.

Recognizing this, Jackson started applying mouth-to-mouth resuscitation and continued it the rest of the remaining distance to the hospital.

Billy Rockco, owner of the Hoffman-Rockco Funeral Home in Montevallo, and driver of the ambulance, said later, "If it hadn't been for him, she wouldn't have made it

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Harpersville plans town limit expansion

By Marcia M. Sears

Harpersville is hoping to expand.

Mayor J. W. Donahoo told the Reporter this week, "We've been talking about it for at least four years and decided to take the action this term of the legislature."

After a four-week period of legal advertising, Representative Tom Stubbs will introduce bills to call for an election of the persons living in the proposed areas, Donahoo said.

As proposed, the Town will extend the limits about a mile toward Childersburg and a mile toward Birmingham from the present limits. The expansion is planned along the route of Highway 280. The larger area includes several hundred acres of land toward Birmingham, Donahoo said. Width of the remaining expansion varies, but is approximately one-fourth mile along the sides of the highway in both directions.

Donahoo feels that the response to an election will be favorable. He indicated that 94 per cent of the people in one area want to be included and 84 per cent of those in the other are in favor of expansion.

He indicated that most of the persons already receive gas, water and police protection from Harpersville at present and would like to feel they are not taking "a free ride." The Town has no cigarette or sales tax as many county towns do. Donahoo said that the Town is planning to buy a fire truck and hopes to provide fire protection in the future.

An election will be costly, the mayor said, but he feels that everyone should be given the opportunity to express himself "in the American way".

WEIGHING IN THE BEEF - - In a skill learned during the school year, Bennie Davis is working as a butcher at Jones Food Mart in Columbiana. He will return to SCHS this fall, but will continue to work part-time.

Town of Alabaster sets goal of future certification

Getting "certified" is a goal the Town of Alabaster is after. It could mean thousands of dollars in federal grants. This is why Alabaster has joined the march toward certification along with many other towns and counties across the United States.

A prime requirement is to have a plan for future growth and development. Mayor L. C. Payne told the Reporter Friday that Mrs. Nadia Cameron, a city planner with the State of Alabama will have a plan to present to the Town Council within the next few weeks. Mrs. Cameron has been studying Alabaster's needs for several months.

Payne said that County Planner Paul Yeager is also working with the city.

A sewerage system application is "in the mill" Payne said,"but it requires so much money it scares us."

Town Clerk, Mrs. Hazel Griffith, looked up some records at the Reporter's request and said that two building permits were issued in June in Alabaster: to W. M. "Mac" Farris and Stephen Walker. In July a permit was issued to the P&T Food Center for an addition to the super market.

The private nursing home which was announced early last spring has not yet been started, Mrs. Griffin said, and no request has been received for a building permit at City Hall.

A new business in the Shopping Center is scheduled to open soon, Mrs. Griffith said. An application for license, water and gas has been received from Southern Footstore, Inc.

Orientation today at Alabama College

Summer orientation programs for Alabama College's fall crop of new students are under way, with the third of four sessions scheduled to begin Thursday, July 31.

During the three-day programs incoming students meet administrative, faculty and student leaders at Montevallo, and are conducted through enrollment preliminaries.

The orientation agenda includes group and individual conseling, placement testing, introduction to student government leaders and policies, and advanced registration for fall term classes.

A social highlight of each session is the barbecue cook-out hosted by AC's first couple - - Dr. and Mrs. Kermit A. Johnson. The cook-out is held on the grounds of the President's home on Flowerhill in Montevallo.

Other party and recreational activities are scheduled throughout the orientation program.

Area students attending the initial orientation session were: David Charles Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Bennett, Montevallo; Sherry Jo Clary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clary, Alabaster; Jerry Darryl Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Collins, Rt. 1, Siluria; Donna Gail Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Johnson, Pelham; Charlotte Leigh Marlow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Marlow, Helena; Barbara Jo Mote, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mote, Rt. 1, Calera; Kerry Lane Roach, parents are Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Roach, Rt. 1, Siluria.

Contract let for new PO

Alabaster's new post office building is a step cloer to reality. The contract has been let to Jake Shainberg of 4400 Poplar Avenue, Memphis, Tenn.

In a telegram that arrived last Friday noon from Congressman Walter Flowers and Senators John Sparkman and Jim Allen the announcement of its authorization was made.

As previously planned, the building will be located at the south side of First Avenue, West, and will have 4,140 square feet of floor space, 495 square feet of platform space and 15,748 square feet of parking space.

The building will be leased by the Post Office Department for 15 years plus 5 five-year options. Annual rental will be $8,370 and the estimated construction cost is $94,918.

The one story air-conditioned building should be completed by May, 1970, according to the official announcement.

Shainberg has engaged Standifer Brothers Construction Company of Alabaster to build the facility. Architect is Thomas E. Albin of Memphis.

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

John Henry Roberts, Jr. of Montevallo appeared before the Board of Revenue and Control at its meeting on July 22. He presented a request and proposal, seeking permission to become a fixed base operator at the Shelby County Airport.

In his proposal he stated his intent to form a corporation, Shelby Air, Inc. and to put up some buildings. If permission is granted by the Board, he would become the second fixed base operator at the county airport. The proposal was taken under advisement by the Board, but no definite action was taken.

The number of persons receiving free food under the USDA food program was up for the month of June in Shelby County although the state as a whole experienced a decline. There were 99 more Shelby Countians in June who received free food than in May. The number for May was 2,577 and for June it was 2,676. The program is administered in Alabama by the Department of Pensions and Security.

Judge Conrad M. Fowler vice-president of the National of the National Association of Counties is attending the meeting which is being held in Portland, Oregon, this week. He will return to his office in the courthouse Friday.

Fay Quick, Tax Collector for Shelby County, is spending this week in Valdosta, Ga. She will be back in her office Monday.

Columbiana issues 7 building permits

Seven building permits were issued by the Town of Columbiana during June for the construction of new homes.

Those receiving permits were: Buddy Kelly, Jesse Jones, J.C. Rasco, Arthur Burks, James Mallory, Quincy Mallory and Howell Horn, according to Town Clerk Mrs. Kathryn Franks. Mr. Luther Curlee told the Reporter that several permits were issued for home remodeling and one permit for commercial construction was issued in June, to Farm Bureau Insurance.

Permits are required for any construction estimated to cost more than $500.

During June Town policemen made 49 arrests, according to Officer Vincent B. Gaydon. He said that speeding, reckless driving, violation of the prohibition law, highway intoxication and no driver's license are the leading offenses.

Steel cans now contain carbonated soft drinks in 37 basic flavors, including such unusual ones as banana, blueberry, blackberry, coconut, peach, peppermint and tangerine.

SURVEYING FOR COUNTY - - Larry Ingram puts his high school math to work this summer as a member of the county survey party. He will return to Shelby County High School for his final year this fall.

Youth choir to sing in Wilsonville

The Youth Choir of the Zion Baptist Church of Mobile will present a Musicale entitled "PURPOSE" at the Wilsonville Baptist Church Thursday evening, July 31 at 7:30. The program will consist of Hymn-Anthems and Spirituals followed by the youth-oriented musical production. It is in response to "Good News", the widely accepted program which has been sponsored by the youth organizations throughout the county.

Youth directors at the Wilsonville church are Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Buchannon. The minister is the Reverend Frank Sims.

Harpersville Makes Plans For Revival

The annual revival at Harpersville Methodist Church will begin with Homecoming on August 3. The guest speaker for the eleven o'clock hour will be Mrs. Mattie Powell. All who attend are invited to bring a picnic lunch. The revival will begin Sunday night at 7:00.

Services will begin each week night at 7:30 p.m. the visiting speaker will be Rev. Milas Anders, pastor of the Wilsonville and Old Chapel Methodist Churches. Jimmy Gill will lead the song service each night.

Everyone is cordially invited and welcomed to come.

Baptist Church Monthly Sing

The Mountain View Baptist Church will be the place for the Saturday night (Aug. 2) community sing. The group will assemble at 7:30 and a musical program will be presented. The Haynes Family from Anniston will be guest singers and everyone is cordially invited to participate in this monthly musical.

Mrs. A.R. Murphree,Chairman

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Hampton D. Lee and wife, Exie Patrick Lee to the American National Bank of Birmingham (now known as National Bank of Commerce of Birmingham) on the 15th day of May, 1968, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Book 308, at Page 842, the undersigned American National Bank of Birmingham (now known as National Bank of Commerce of Birmingham) as mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the main entrance of the Court House at Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama,on the 25th day of August, 1969, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate situated in the town of Montevallo, Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lots 4,5, and 6 in Block G according to Map entitled "South Montevallo", as recorded in Map Book 3, Page 41 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.

This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.

American National Bank Of Birmingham
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Mortgagee

Albert E. Ritchey
Attorney for Mortgagee
7-31, 8-7, 14, 1969 †49.

State of Alabama
Shelby County

Notice is hereby given that a bill substantially as follows will be introduced in the Legislature of Alabama and application for its passage and enactment will be made, to-wit:

AN ACT

Relating to Shelby County; authorizing any bank situated within the county to open, establish, operate and maintain branch banks, branch offices or other places of business within a certain area within said county.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

SECTION 1. When permitted by its charter and bylaws and approved by the State Banking Department, any bank situated in Shelby County shall be authorized to open, establish, operate and maintain branch banks, branch offices or other places of business for the receipt of deposits, payment of checks and conducting a general banking business within the following described area in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit: said area being bounded on the south by County Highway No. 11; on the east by a line running parallel to and one-half mile east of U. S. Highway No. 280 as the same will be located when the present construction thereon is completed; on the north by the Jefferson County line; and on the west by a line running parallel to and one-half mile west of U. S. Highway No. 31; provided, however, no branch banks shall be established within 5 miles of any presently established bank.

SECTION 2. All laws or parts of laws which conflict with this Act are repealed.

SECTION 3. This Act shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor or upon its otherwise becoming a law.

July 31, Aug. 7, 14, 21, 1969 †66.

Calera police raid service station

Calera Police Chief Frank Wells led a raid last Friday afternoon which netted 85 cases of beer.

Everett Snell was arrested and charged with violation of the prohibition law at the Standard Oil station on Highway 25 about two miles west of Calera.

Snell has recently moved to the Calera area and lives near the filling station in a trailer, according to reports. He is now out on bond, according to Town Clerk George Holcombe.

Chief Wells was accompanied by Calera police officers Cecil Harris, C.P. Martin and the Chief Deputy of the Sheriff's Department, Joe Roden.

Jobs

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Superintendent of Education.

Following are the state rules for employing young workers during regular school sessions:

1. No boy or girl under 16 years of age may work before 7 a. m. or after 8 p. m., more than eight hours in any one day, or more than 40 hours in any one week. However, this does not apply to anyone 16 years or older.

2. No minor can work in any establishment where alcoholic beverages are sold, in pool rooms, or in messenger service.

3. Boys 12 years of age or older may sell newspapers, periodicals, etc., on the streets and in public places.

4. Boys and girls 14 and over may work in such jobs as sales, offices and service, but they must be at least 16 years old to work in such places as mills, factories, canneries, shops, laundries, mechanical establishments and the like.

5. Girls under 18 years of age may not work outside at drive-ins. However, boys 14 and older may do this type work.

The trouble with golf is that by the time you can afford to lose a ball, you can't hit it that far.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Thula Glass

Mrs. Thula Glass age 88, of Calera died July 20th at Prattville General Hospital. Surviving are two sons: Vallie D. Glass, Birmingham, Van Glass, Jemison. Five daughters: Mrs. R. S. Barefield, Calera; Miss Ruth Glass, Montgomery; Mrs. Van B. Brody and Mrs. Jae Kelly, Mobile; Mrs. Jerry Alchies, Long Island N. Y.

Eleven Grand children and Thirteen great grand children, one brother, Mr. Charlie Seale Centerville: and one sister, Mrs. Lizzie Christian, Mobile.

Funeral services were held at Bolton funeral chapel Columbiana on July 22nd. Internment in Shelby Memory Gardens.

Rev Henry Simmons and Bro. Sonny Davis officiated.

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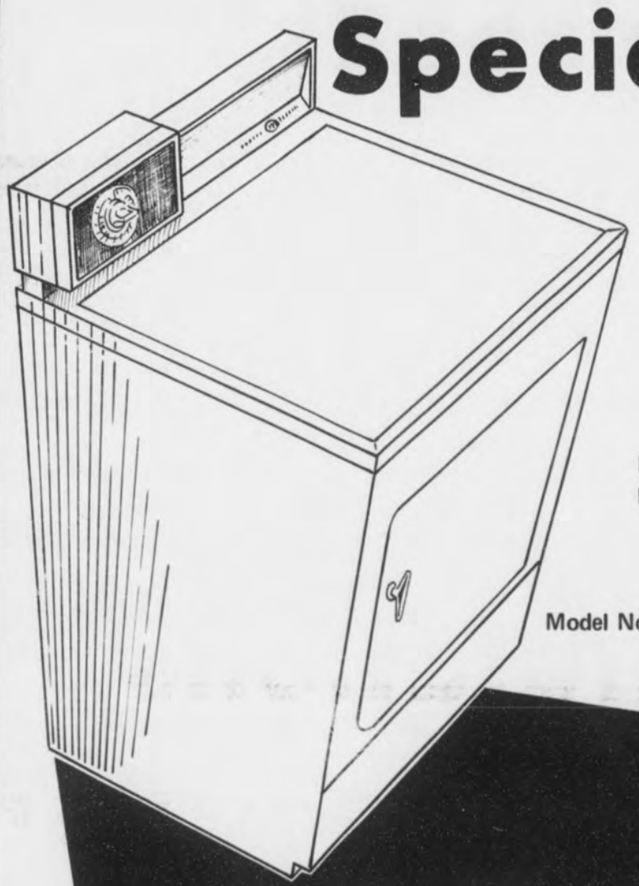

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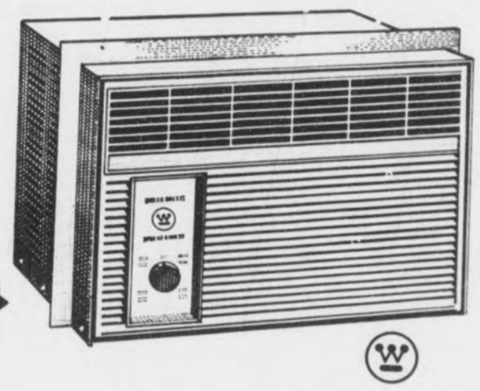

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CHICKEN-QUE WINNERS -- Gail Cox, Helena, holds her platter of barbecued chicken which won first place in the contest sponsored by the 4-H Council in cooperation with the Sears Roebuck Foundation. Other top winners are (from left) Melinda Hollis, Wilsonville; Tim Moody and John Mitchell both of Columbiana. The youngsters were judged on the way they cooked and the way the chicken tasted when finished.

Litter-bug campaign needs support from local citizens

Almost everywhere we go these days we hear of the "litter-bug" campaign now in progress along our highways, sponsored by our Governor and others interested in making Alabama more beautiful. Over the coffee cups this morning one civic minded local citizen suggested that we might be wise and apply this project to Columbiana - - especially needed on Sunday morning when - - anyone travelling through our town will observe the unsightly garbage cans in the front yards and - - in some instances they will find that some people, evidently waiting for a ride somewhere, have paused in the front yards of individual home owners for refreshments, and left bottles, beer cans, empty cartons and what have you as their "have - been - here" evidence. Let's declare a clean up, paint-up, fix-up week for Columbiana.

Perhaps the city fathers will make it official by issuing a proclamation. The Shelby County Fair is the next big event on our calendar of activities and visitors from all over the county will be coming into our town - - Let's get Columbiana ready and spread the welcome mat on Main for our guests at the time they make their annual visit in our town to view the exhibits and achievements of our neighbors and friends in their various avenues of agriculture, industry and home improvement projects.

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U. S. Army routine began for the following young patriots from Shelby County on July 15: David L. Brasher, Hubert C. Sheffield, Danny J. Massey, George H. Davis, Roger A. Bain, Hugh D. Comer and Larry W. Hall.

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Charles Duncan, son of the Rev. and Mrs. John Duncan, who is now stationed in Ft.Devens, Mass., was the week end guest of his parents. His friends and former classmates were delighted to share with them the privilege of greeting him during his short stay on Main.

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Mr. and Mrs. Homer Walton have returned from a week end visit with their son, Bud Walton, now residing in Columbus, S.C.

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Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cross, Mr. and Mrs. James Palmer, Michael Palmer, and Kenny McCord are enjoying a motor trip through the Smokies and Cherokee, N. C. this week.

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Dr. Morgan and Dr. Sam Shafferman, of Birmingham, who also have real estate interests in Montevallo and in Columbiana, were guests in our office last Thursday. Dr. Morgan has contracted for building apartment units in our town and has purchased a tract of land from Bill Billingsley for this purpose. It is reported that construction will begin at an early date. This will be heartening news to many people seeking a place to live in Columbiana.

SOCIETY PAGE AND PERSONAL MENTION

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Air battle foretold

In the year 1737, the celebrated English poet - - Thomas Gray wrote as follows:

"The time will come
When thou shalt lift thine eyes
To watch a long-drawn battle in the skies,
While aged peasants, too amazed for words
Stare at the flying fleet of wondrous birds.

England, so long the
Mistress of the Sea
Where winds and waves confess her sovereignty
Her ancient triumphs yet on high shall bear,
And reign the sovereign of the conquered air".

It will readily be seen the truth of this prophetic poetic utterance!

More Prophesies Come True

Since the fantastic, unbelievable - - even though you saw it - - acheivement of the "Men - on - the - Moon - Landing" and their return to earth "Splash-down" - - one wonders if Jules Verne - - now somewhere - in "Never - Never - Return Land" - - is not chuckling in his beard, as he recalls how long it has taken his fantasy to become a reality. It staggers even the most imaginative one of us to try and envision what the next 25 years will bring.

The similarities between our space craft and Jules Verne's space vehicle he dreamed up over a hundred years ago are fascinating; his vision of the future has been proven extremely accurate, and one can't help wondering just how this man could have accurately foretold the future which since the space ship's lunar landing has now passed into just another historic event.

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Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fore left Columbiana Saturday for a cross country trip to Dayton, Ohio, where they will be the guests of their son, Harvel Fore, Mrs. Fore and family. Following a few days stay there, the Harvel Fore Jr's will join his parents and all will continue on a camping trip which will take them to Canada.

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Regret to learn that our good friend Mrs. Jim McDow is a patient in Shelby Memorial.

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Mrs. Bernice Ticen's many friends, as well as those of us who work with her in the Reporter office, regret that she had to undergo surgery last Wednesday but are delighted to learn that her condition is satisfactory following the operation. During her absence, Mrs. Dan Bailey (Janice Ticen) is operating the intricate IBM mechanical devices which furnish our means of conveying to you the printed word each week known as the Reporter.

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Distinguished guests in the First Baptist Church, Sunday, included the Rev. A. L. Courtney and his family from Terry, Miss., guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Scroggins; and Mrs. Ann Wallace Glaze and her family from Athens, guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon B. Wallace.

The Rev. Courtney was guest speaker at the Sunday evening worship hour, and Mrs. Glaze, a gifted pianist - and organist - was a guest pianist at the eleven o'clock worship hour when two pianos and the organ were used to accompany the 34 voiced choir and congregation.

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Former residents seen on Main during the week end included: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davis of Birmingham; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nolen and family of Albertville and Dr. and Mrs. Bob Mullins and Christy.

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Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Killingsworth, formerly of Montevallo, were week end guests of her brother Yeager Horn and Mrs. Horn.

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The MYF members from Columbiana Methodist Church spent Monday sight seeing and enjoying a day of recreation activities at Six Flags Over Georgia. They were accompanied by the Rev. Burl Oliver, Mrs. McCord, Shirley Wallace, Anita Sloan and Brian Gordon.

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Buzz Walker who has been in a Bolivia Work Camp sponsored by the Methodist Youth of North Alabama Conference all summer, will return home, Sunday. Buzz is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Walker.

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Did you know that a state law provides a $500 fine and up to six months hard labor for littering or dumping trash?

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Richard Ozley, has returned from a week's visit in St. Louis due to the illness of his brother-in-law Carl Green.

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The Rec program in Columbiana will come to a close about August 16 which will give plenty of time to get the Rec Building in readiness for the Shelby County Fair which begins on August 25 and continues through August 30.

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It's a Boy

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wooten of Columbiana announce the arrival of a son who was born in Shelby Memorial on July 14, 1969. They have named the handsome little newcomer Jody Wayne.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Talton of Columbiana; and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Wooten of Calera.

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The lease on the Dollar Store's former location on the corner next to Jones' Food Mart, will expire August 1. The owner, Buck Falkner, will release further news regarding future use for this business property after this date. One thing for sure - - the building will be repainted - - and that is the good news a lot of folk have been waiting to hear.

OFFICE WORK - - Karen Brasher of Shelby learns the detailed work necessary in an attorney's office as part of her summer job. Her high school typing helped her find employment at the office of Wallace and Ellis, where she is also a receptionist and file clerk. At SCHS this fall she will be a junior.

High school students win scholarships

The following students from the High Schools in Shelby County have been awarded the Tom Stubbs College Scholarships for 1969. They are: ALABASTER HIGH: Charles A. Kemp; Alternate: Cora Lee Edwards: CALERA HIGH: Angela Golden, Deborah Glass; Alternates Donnie Tidwell, Andy Barrett: CHELSEA HIGH: George Hayes Lynn, Judith Carolyn Isbell; Alternates: Roy Edward Grantham, Marian J. Isbell: MONTEVALLO HIGH: Mack Aron Nix, Jr. Sharon Bridges; Alternates: Sherry Wright, Cathy Nix: PRENTICE HIGH: Gregory Cox, Jr.; Alternate: Diana Anita Coleman: SHELBY COUNTY HIGH: Ronnie Eggler, Rebecca Farris; Alternates: Nancy Pitts, Dwight Bentley: SHELBY COUNTY TRAINING: Alvin Cohill; Alternate: Irene Hall: THOMPSON HIGH: Allen Boyce Perry, Deborah Ann Johnson; Alternates: Donna Gail Johnson, Jerry Darryl Collins: VINCENT HIGH: Kathy Evans, Betty Jean Prince: W. A. JONES: Carolyn Faye Gordon; Alternate: Countress Yvonne Wallace.

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Dr. Robert Bentley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Davis Bentley Sr., is engaged at the present time in discharging his military obligation to Uncle Sam's air borne boys who are stationed in Camp Pope, Fayette, N. C.

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Mr. and Mrs. Don Weber and their son, Don Jr., following a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Elliott, have returned to their home in Wilmington, Delaware.

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AT FLORIDA HORSE FARM - - Nancy White, of the White Quarter Horse Farm at Chiefland, Fla., shows Shelby County 4-H Horse Club members one of her horses. The Club toured the Florida horse country last weekend. From left, Susan McEwen, Ann McEwen, Sally Israel, Miki Mahan, Miss White and Jim Hall.

Miss Nell McCann to receive diploma

Miss Nell Frances McCann, daughter of Mrs. Bommar Davis, Route one, Siluria, is one of 46 young ladies who will graduate from the Ida V. Moffett School of Nursing, Birmingham Baptist Medical Centers, in commencement to be held at the Dawson Memorial Baptist Church, Birmingham, on Thursday evening, August 7.

The commencement address will be given by Dr. Edwin L Crosby, Chicago, Illinois, director of American Hospital Association.

Graduates will be introduced by Miss Elizabeth Calhoun, director of the Ida V. Moffett School of Nursing, and diplomas will be presented by L. R. Jordan, Executive Director, Birmingham Baptist Medical Centers.

MISS NELL McCANN

New Hope News

By Mrs. J. M. Denson

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Shepherd with their children came from Orlando, Fla. to spend this week as house guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dunaway.

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Joel Mullins of Huntsville is visiting his Grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cross for two weeks.

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Mrs. Dora Bailey was painfully injured in Montgomery when riding in her sister's car which was hit from the back.

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Mrs. Althea Anderson who was the guest of Mrs. James Rutherford and other relatives here for the week end has returned to her home in Prattville.

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A wedding of interest to friends in the area was that of Brenda Kelly and Eddie Jenkins which was held at the Oak Grove Presbyterian Church on July first.

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Mrs. Maude Phelps of Los Angeles was the guest of Mrs. Nina Templin and other friends Wednesday.

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Mrs. Flora Bishop came up from Tuscaloosa to visit the Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Bishop.

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Mrs. Ann Koeing spent several days in Opelika as guest of her brother, Mrs. William (Dubby) Winslett.

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Mrs. Sarah Winslett has returned from Argo, where she spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Day.

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Rachel Self of Montgomery is one of the attractive little visitors here this week, and she is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Billy Sorrell and family.

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Jane Winslett is in Center Point visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harold Winslett.

Among the recent Shelby County visitors to the U S S Alabama, moored in Mobile Bay, were Miss Martha Sue Barkley of Montevallo and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis R. Knowles and Donna of Calera.

Freddie Bailey is in Orlando in training with the U. S. Marines.

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The revival services at the Presbyterian Church on Cahaba Valley Road will be held at 7:30 p. m. beginning Aug 3 through Aug. 8. Dr. Morris Pepper of Scottsboro is the visiting evangelist.

Simmsville News

By Mrs. Cora Kitson

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Fleisch have moved to Miami. They sold their home to Mr. and Mrs. Murray.

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Mrs. Ruby Hodges' father is a patient at Shelby Memorial.

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Barbara Lang is visiting her husband, Jerome in Hawaii during R & R from Vietnam.

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The Shelley Cain house had visitors from Kent, Ohio recently, Judy and Don Barratt. Coming from Memphis to visit the Cains were Janette and Dale Young and children, and Virgil and Donna Kitson from Monroe, La. with their children.

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Mrs. James Lee is hospital bound. The community's best wishes go with her.

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Mrs. A. Kendricks, Gail and son Gary are vacationing in the Smoky Mountains.

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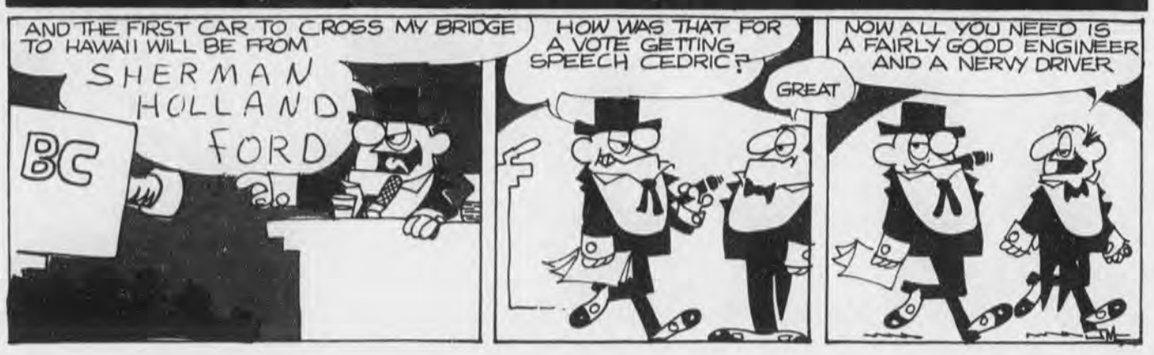

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7-10,17,24,31/69 †47

Legal Notice
Estate of Luther Gentry Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 15 day of July, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Doris Gentry
Administratrix of the Estate of Luther Gentry, Deceased
7-17,24,31,'69 †55

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This day came Mrs. Hazel O'Neal, Guardian of Richard T. Davis, a minor and files his account, vouchers, evidence and statement for Partial settlement of his said Guardianship.
It is ordered that the 14 day of August, 1969, be, and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 12 day of July, 1969.
Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
7-17,24,31'69 †53.

Legal Notice
Estate of Dolly Trippett, Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 9th day of July, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Blanche C. Powell
1801 - 2nd Avenue North,
Clanton, Alabama.
7-17,24,31,/'69 †50.

Legal Notice
Estate of Stanley Kleindienst, Jr. Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 14 day of March, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Mittie G. Kleindienst
Executrix of the Estate of Stanley Kleindienst, Jr., Deceased
7-17,24,31,'69 †54.

Legal Notice
Estate of Lotitia P. Davis Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 23rd day of July, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Helen P. Randall
Administratrix of the Estate of Lotitia P. Davis, deceased 7-31, 8-7,14, 1969 †62.

Legal Notice
Estate of E. J. Keith Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 23rd day of July, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
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Our thanks especially to Rev. Henry Simmons and Bro. Sonny Davis
Children and Grandchildren
of Mrs. Thula Glass

A BILL
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AN ACT
Section 1.
When approved by the State Department of Banking, a bank situated in an area described as follows: North of Shelby County Roads Nos. 11, 44 and 52 and the Eastern boundary being U. S. Highway 280, and the Northern boundary being the Jefferson — Shelby County line. The bank located in this hereinbefore described area at the time of the passage of this act is hereby authorized to establish, operate and maintain within the area limits hereinbefore spt out a branch bank, branch office or other place for receiving of deposits, payment of checks, and conducting a general banking business.
Section 2.
All laws or parts of laws which conflict with this act are repealed.
Section 3.
This act shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the governor or upon its otherwise becoming law.
7-10,17,24,31, 1969 †48.

LEGAL NOTICE
Anchor Post Products, Inc. Texas hereby gives notice that they have completed contract with the State of Alabama for construction of Project No. CJF-000B(017) Fourth Division in Coosa, Macon, Shelby, Talladega and Tallapoosa Counties, and that the State has set the date for final settlement as August 31, 1969. All claims should be filed at our office in Birmingham, Alabama. 6506 - 1st Avenue South before date set for final settlement.
Anchor Post Products, Inc. Of Texas
7-24,31,8-7,14,'69 †59

Legal Notice
Administrator's Settlement Notice
The State of Alabama, Shelby County
PROBATE COURT,
July 17, 1969
This day came Winnie Leland Gardner, Administrator of Robert Edward Lee, deceased and files his accounts, vouchers, evidence and statement for final settlement of his said Administration.
It is ordered that the 28 day of August, 1969, be, and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 17 day of July, 1969.
Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
7-24,31,—8-7, 1969. †57

State of Alabama
Shelby County
Notice is hereby given that a bill substantially as follows will be introduced in the Legislature of Alabama and application for its passage and enactment will be made, to-wit:
AN ACT
Relating to Shelby County; authorizing any bank situated within the county to open, establish, operate and maintain a branch bank, a branch office or other place of business with a certain area within said county.
BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:
SECTION 1. When permitted by its charter and bylaws, and approved by the State Banking Department, any bank situated in Shelby County shall be authorized to open, establish, operate and maintain a branch bank, branch office or other place of business for the receipt of deposits, payment of checks and conducting a general banking business within the following described area in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit: said area being bounded on the south by County Highway No. 11; on the east by a line running parallel to and one-half mile east of U. S. Highway No. 280 as the same will be located when the present construction thereon is completed; on the north by the Jefferson County line; and on the west by a line running parallel to and one-half mile west of U. S. Highway No. 31; provided, however, no branch bank shall be established within 5 miles of any presently established bank.
SECTION 2. All laws or parts of laws which conflict with this Act are repealed.
SECTION 3. This Act shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor, or upon its otherwise becoming a law.
7-24, 31, 8-7,14, 1969 †60.

LEGAL NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the Alabama Highway Department will hold a Public Hearing, if requested, on August 29, 1969 at 2:00 PM at Recreation Building in Harpersville, Alabama. The purpose of this hearing would be to provide an opportunity for interested persons to participate in determining the need for, and location of, a Federal-Aid highway by presenting views on proposed alternative highway locations and the social, economic, and environmental effects of those alternate locations, and to consider the consistency of this highway project with the goals and objectives of such planning as had been promulgated by the Community, City, Town or Village, either Incorporated or Unincorporated in Shelby County which the highway project may go through or bypass. This Public Hearing will be held if, and only if, there is a public desire for the Hearing as expressed by a written statement to
W. P. Dejarnette
Division Engineer
Alabama Highway Department
P. O. Box 432
Alexander City, Alabama 35010
by August 14, 1969, requesting that the Public Hearing be held.
This Public Hearing will be held on the entire length of Project S-376 whose description is as follows:
Begin at a point on US-280 approximately 1.0 mile east of Shelby County Road No. 27 to a point on US-280 approximately 1.5 miles east of intersection of Alabama 25 with US-280 at Harpersville.
Maps showing alternate highway locations through this corridor are available for inspection at the State Highway Department Office at Resident Engineers Office, Camp Childersburg, Childersburg, Alabama.
Relocation assistance programs for persons who may be displaced by this project will be discussed at the Public Hearing.
The State Highway Department will accept written statements and other exhibits in place of, or in addition to, oral statements made at the Public Hearing. Such statements and/or exhibits may be submitted prior to, at, or within 10 days after the Public Hearing. These statements and/or exhibits should be submitted to
W. P. DeJarnette
Division Engineer
Alabama Highway Department
P. O. Box 432
Alexander City, Alabama 35010
This Public Hearing is for the purpose of fulfilling the requirements of the Federal-Aid Highway Act, Title 23 United States Code, Sections 101, 128 and 315, and PPM 20-8 dated January 14, 1969.
7-24, 31, 69 †58

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF SHELBY
Notice is hereby given that a bill substantially as follows will be introduced in the Legislature of Alabama and application for its passage and enactment will be made, to-wit:
Notice is hereby given in accordance with Article 4, Section 106 Constitution of Alabama, that application will be made to the Legislature of Alabama for enactment of a local law applicable to the Town of Harpersville in substance as follows:
An Act to alter, re-arrange and extend the boundaries and corporate limits of the town of Harpersville so as to incorporate certain territory as described herein, to-wit:

Begin at the SE corner of the present Harpersville Town limits, which point is the SW corner of the NW¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence run East along the South line of said NW¼ of the SE¼ a distance of 660 ft, more or less, to the NW corner of the E½ of the SW¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34; Thence run South along the West line of said East ½ of the SW¼ of the SE¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the South line of Sec. 34; thence run East along the South line of said Sec. 34 a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the NW corner of the NE¼ of the NE¼ of the NE¼ of Sec. 3, T-20-S, R-2-E; thence run South along the West line of said NE¼ of the NE¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 660 ft; more or less, to the SW corner; thence run East along the South line of said NE¼ of the NE¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 660 ft, more or less, to the West line of Sec. 2, T-20-S R-2—E; thence run South along the West line of said Sec. 2 a distance of 660 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of the NW¼ of the NW¼ of Sec. 2, T-20-S, R-2,E; thence run East along the South line of said NW¼ of the NW¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the SE corner; thence run South along the West line of the SE¼ of the NW¼ of said Sec. 2 a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the SW corner; thence run East along the South line of the SE¼ of the NW¼ and the SW¼ of the NE¼ of said Sec. 2, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the SE corner of said SW¼ of the NE¼;
thence run North along the East line of said SW¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less to the NE corner; thence run West along the North line of said SW¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the NW corner; thence run North along the East line of the NE¼ of the NW¼ of said Sec. 2, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the NE corner; thence continue North along the East line of S½ of the S½ of the SW¼ of Sec. 35, T-19-S, R-2-E a distance of 660 ft, more or less, to the NE corner; thence run West along the North line of said S½ of the S½ of the SW¼ a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the North West corner; thence run North along the East line of Sec. 34, a distance of 1320 ft., more or less, to the NE corner of the S½ of the NE¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence run West along the North line of said S½ of the NE¼ of the SE¼, of Sec. 34, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the NW corner; thence run North along the East line of the N½ of the NW¼ of the SE¼ and the S½ of the SW¼ of the NE¼ of said Sec. 34, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, thence run West along the North line of the S½ of the SW¼ of the NE¼ of Sec. 34, a distance of 1320, ft, more or less, to the NW corner, and a point on the East line of the present Town limits; thence run South along the West line of the S½ of the SW¼ of the NE¼ and the NW¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34, and the present Town limits line, a distance of 1980 ft, more or less, to the point of beginning; situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Also Begin at the SE corner of Sec. 21, T-19-S, R-2-E, and a point on the present city limits line; thence run North along the East line of said Sec. 21 a distance of 2656.73 ft. to the NE corner of the SE¼ of said sec. 21; thenceturn an angle of 90 deg. 13 min. to the left and run West along the North line of said SE¼ a distance of 2718.40 ft. to the NW corner of said SE¼; thence turn an angle of 89 deg. 48 min. to the right and run North along the East line of the SE¼ of the NW¼ a distance of 1338.64 ft. to the NE corner of said ¼ ¼ Sec; thence turn an angle of 89 deg. 35 min. to the left and run West along the North line of the S½ of the NW¼ of Sec. 21 a distance of 2727.98 ft. to the West line of Sec. 21; thence continue West along the North line of the S½ of the NE ¼ and the S½ of the NW¼ of Sec. 20, T-19-S, R-2-E a distance of 5280 ft., more or less, to the West line of said Sec. 20; thence run South along the West line of said Sec. 20 a distance of 3978.45 ft. to the SW corner of said Sec; thence turn an angle of 92 deg. 39 min. to the right and run West along the North line of Sec. 30, T-19-S, R-2-E a distance of 2690.00 ft. to the NW corner of the NE¼ of said Sec. 30; thence run South along the West line of the East ½ of Said Sec. 30 a distance of 3960 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of the N½ of the SE¼ of said Sec. 30; thence run East along the South line of said N½ of the SE¼ a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the West line of Sec. 29, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence run South along the West line of said Sec. 29 a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of said Sec. 29; thence run East along the South line of said Sec. 29 a distance of 3960 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of the East ½ of SE¼ of said Sec 29, and the West line of the present Town limits; thence run North along the West line of the E½ of the SE¼ of said Sec. 29, and the present Town limits line, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the NW corner of said E½ of the SE¼; thence run East along the North line of said E½ of the SE¼, and the present Town limits, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the West line of Sec. 28, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence continue East along the South line of the NW¼ of said Sec. 28, and the present Town limits, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the SE corner of said NW¼; thence run North along the East line of said NW¼ and the present Town limits, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the South line of Sec. 21, R-19-S, R-2-E; thence run East along the South line of said Sec. 21, and the present Town limits, a distance of 2699.26 ft, to the point of beginning, situated in Shelby County, Alabama.
July 24,31, Aug 7,14, 1969 †61.

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Whistling through the–

Heart of Dixie

By Ed Blake

Soap box derby racing got off to a good start last Saturday in Shelby County.

The hard part in any project is getting started. For the ten boys who drove their racers in the derby, it was driving that first nail. For the sponsoring Jaycees and county Chevrolet dealers, it was formulating plans for a grand finish.

Both groups received the checkered flag.

Sure, there were a few rough edges that only appear when you are involved in that first experience. Those can be expected; however, the total success of the derby overshadowed the most critical eye.

At times it is hrad to visualize the finished product. We have now seen a soap box derby – for most of us, our first. We now recognize the derby as an even greater potential.

When we are asked to help in the derby next year, we will have memories of last Saturday in Calera. The thrill of seeing youngsters competing and the thrill of seeing the men of the county striving toward a common goal.

Let's keep 'em rolling.

Mr. and Mrs. Bardy Isbell of Calera, Rt. 1 sent in the above picture of a young fisherman and a big fish. Mike McGennis, 11, is holding a 17 and a half pound yellow catfish that he caught on a trotline below Mitchell Dam.

MORTGAGE
FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the terms of that mortgage executed on the 7th day of June, 1966, by Reggie N. Brasher and wife Connie Brasher to Jim Walter Corporation which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, in Record of Mortgage, Book 301, Page 426, 427, and default continuing, and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the following described property will be sold at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the Courthouse door of said County, during the legal hours of sale, on the 28th day of August, 1969.

Commence at the Southeast corner of the Northeast ¼ of the Southwest ¼ of Section 29, Township 19, Range 1 West, run thence West along South line of said ¼ Section, 365 feet to the Point of beginning. Run North along Coy B. Brasher line a distance of 120 feet, turn West and parallel to South line of said ¼ Section and run a distance of 200 feet; thence turn North and parallel to West line of said ¼ section a distance of 90 feet; thence turn West and parallel to South line of said ¼ section to a point on West line of said ¼ Section. Said point being 210 feet North of the Southwest corner of said ¼ Section. Turn South and run 210 feet to Southwest corner. Turn East along South line of said ¼ section a distance of 965 feet to the Point of Beginning. Situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt and cost of foreclosure, and will be conducted by the Assignee of the mortgage, Mid=State Homes, Inc.

R.A. Norred, Attorney
Birmingham 3, Alabama
7-24,31, – 8-7,14,'69 †56.

Legal Notice
Estate of W. E. Lovelady, Jr. Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of July, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

D. H. Lovelady
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of W. E. Lovelady, Jr., dec'd
7-17,24,31 - '69 †52.

TOURNAMENT WINNER - - Howard Hall, president of the Alabama College Golf Club, congratulates tournament winner Robert Kato during the awards banquet held Sunday evening in Alabaster. (Photo by Jack House)

Robert Kato wins golf tournament

Robert Kato of Alabaster won championship honors last Sunday climaxing two weeks of match play in the Alabama College Golf Club tournament.

Ed Guy of Montevallo placed second in the tournament. Winners of the flights were F. P. Givhan of Montevallo, first flight; John Kent of Siluria, second flight; Jack D. House, of Montevallo, consolation in second flight; and Harvey Rochester of Montevallo, third flight winner.

Rev. Gardner Walker of Siluria won the medalist trophy.

Howard Hall, president of the Alabama Golf Club, served as master of ceremonies during the awards banquet which followed the tournament finals Sunday.

C. P. "Red" Walker, Shelby County sheriff, was the guest speaker at the banquet and made the presentation of trophies.

Steve Davis and Bill Rigdon also participated on the program.

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Buxahatchee Dogfight

The team of Jim Carden, Arthur Davis, Fred Gleason and Bobby Loftin won first place Sunday in the golf dogfight at Buxahatchee Country Club near Calera.

Members of the second place team were Jim McElroy, Wayne Rasco, George Roy, and Dr. Thomas Slaughter.

Jackson

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to the hospital alive."

(Editor's note: In this accident, the driver, a grandmother from Hueytown was killed. Her daughter from out-of-state also died. Of the four grandchildren in the car, two have been discharged from the hospital and two are still in serious condition at University Hospital.)

Show me a man who makes no mistakes and I will show you a man who doesn't do things - - Theodore Roosevelt, 26th president.

Mortgage Foreclosure
Notice

Default having been made in the terms of that mortgage executed on the 9th day of August, 1967, by Monroe Dowdell and wife, Eva Mae Dowdell to Jim Walter Corporation which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, in Record of Mortgage, Book 306, Page 814-5, and default continuing, and by birtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the following described property will be sold at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the Courthouse door of said County, during the legal hours of sale, on the 9th day of September, 1969.

Commence at the SW corner of the above described SE¼-SW¼ and in an easterly direction along the south line of said quarter-quarter run a distance of 424.58 feet; thence turn an angel of 77 deg. 10' to the left for a distance of 42.41 feet to the point of beginning; thence continue along the last named course for a distance of 210.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 77 deg. 41' fot the right for a distance of 210.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 102 deg. 18½' to the right for a distance of 210.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 77 deg. 41½' to the right for a distance of 210.0 feet to the point of beginning.

Said property being subject to an easement from the NW corner of said property to the public road. Said easement being 20.0 feet wide and 185.0 feet long and extending from said property to the public road for an access to said property. Property situated in the SE¼-SW¼ of Section 36, Township 20 South Range 3 West. For a source of title see Deed Book 249 Page 371.

Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt and cost of foreclosure. And will be conducted by Assignee of said mortgage, Mid-State Homes, Inc.

R. A. Norred, Attorney
Birmingham, Alabama 35203
7-31,8-7,14,21, 1969 †63.

Good Morning

Talking about women talking

By Milton Bird

Bub treated us to dinner, Mockingbird and I, at Fran's Restaurant on the highway above Pelham. It was a nice place, clean as a little boy's ears on Sunday morning, with food that was cooked to be eaten and not tossed in the garbage can for some fellow's hogs over the mountain. The ladies were pretty enough and the service was pleasant enough, and for three guys who had spent the morning chasing up and down the mountain back of The Cloth Barn hunting land lines that store-bought air, oozing out of a little box in the wall, was something to be thankful for.

The crowd was hungry, and quiet. Folks usually are when the food is good. Most folks are. Unless, as was the case today, you wind up in hearing distance of two nice old ladies who talk everywhere and anywhere, as if talking made the world go round and they were personally responsible for it's turning.

They came in, dressed in their Sunday best, and sat down at the table next to us. And then they started talking, like maybe they had to get the words out so they could get the food in. Boy, how they talked. They stopped the war in Viet Nam and wrote the peace. They did away with demonstrations, and turned the schools back over to school folks. They talked about their operations, and what the doctors would spend the money for, and what they would have spent it for if they hadn't got sliced and sewed up. They ate a lady named Sue alive, and hung a lilly on a Mrs. Jones, and wept bitterly for a biddie named Josephine whose John suddenly became 16 instead of 60 and took off down a lilac trail.

They were still talking when we left, and probably still are, somewhere in our big and beautiful world. But we had land lines to find, and time was flying.

Outside, while Bub was paying the bill, Mockingbird let out a little laugh. Just a little noise at first, until he thought about it, and then it bubbled over and splashed out like water splattering on a rock.

"They were talkers," he said, laughing again. The way a guy will when something keeps slipping back into his mind, reminding him of other things, long past and almost forgotten, that come back now, as if yesterday had turned into today.

"They made me think of Aunt Mae Lavell and Mrs. Maude Minor," he said. "Those two nice ladies could talk, especially Aunt Mae, and Mrs. Maude wasn't far behind. One day Mr. Lamp brought Maude down to spend the day with Aunt Mae. He was on his way to Vincent, on his wagon, and would pick her up on his way back that afternoon."

"Seeing them outside, Aunt Mae hurried out to the wagon, stood for a minute with her hands in her apron pockets, and called: 'Come out here Zolly. It's Lamp and Maude. You can talk a little mite before you go to the field.' "

"Zolly came out and stood on the porch, fiddling with his overall suspenders. He spoke to Maude, and waited a little minute, and said to Lamp: 'I want you to come back to see us, Lamp. I'm gonna tell you now because these are the last words I'll get to say'."

Derby

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Armstrong.

Quarterfinals – Keith Alexander defeated Steve Golden; Phillip Robinson defeated Kenneth Robinson, and Steve Barrow defeated Doug Street.

Semi-finals – Steve Barrow drew a bye, Keith Alexander defeated Phillip Robinson, and in the elimination race Phillip Robinson defeated Steve Barrow.

Finals – Keith Alexander defeated Phillip Robinson.

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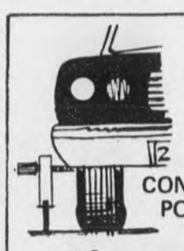
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TYING MOULDING - - Teenager Echol Lee Nix has a summer job at one of the nation's leading moulding plants — Brown Moulding Co. of Montevallo. Wearing hand protectors, he ties bundles of finished moulding for shipment. This fall he will be a senior in high school.

DENTIST'S ASSISTANT - - Dana Whetstone, who will be a junior next year at Thompson, develops X-ray films at Dr. Ramer's office in Alabaster. She is gaining experience through her summer job in what she hopes will be her future profession.

YOUTHFUL ENTREPRENEUR - - Paul Henry, 15, runs the concession stand at the Alabaster Recreation Club pool with his brother Donnie. Paul is considering using his summer earnings for school clothes this fall. The boys' agreement with the Club is on a 60-40 basis.

Montevallo News

Mrs. Eddie Mahaffey of Aldrich has been invited to attend the ceremony commemorating the 150th anniversary of the signing of the original constitution of the State of Alabama.

Mrs. Mahaffey is the great-great-granddaughter of one of the original signers of the 1819 constitution, Melkijah Vaughan.

The ceremony will be held August 2 at 2 p.m. in Huntsville.

On the same date in 1819, 44 delegates from the 22 counties in the Alabama Territory gathered in Huntsville to approve the constitution.

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Friends of Kathryn Ann Turner, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Henry F. Turner, will be happy to know that she is progressing favorably after an operation for a ruptured appendix at St. Vincent's on Friday. She will remain in the hospital for several days.

Dr. Richard O. Ramer announces the opening of his office for the practice of general dentistry in the Porter Building, Alabaster, Alabama. 663-0458

PAINTING FOR THE COLLEGE - - High schoolers Larry Coleman (l.) and Thomas Conwell of Montevallo are painting Ramsay dormitory as part of their summer work at Alabama College. Both will return to high school this fall. (AC News Photo)

News from Westover

BY MRS. ELSIE JONES

It is "prime" vacation time still and we have our share of people "going places". Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strother spent the Moonday week-end in Panama City visiting friends. Miss Naomi Hatcher is visiting her sister Mrs. Butch Carr in Wilmington, New Jersey. Mrs. N. F. Wortham is taking an extended vacation visiting in Charlotte, North Carolina, Wilmington, New Jersey, and Jacksonville, Florida. "Grandpa" Wilkowski will leave Thursday to fly to Tacoma, Washington, for a visit with relatives.

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Recent visitors in the home of Mr. W. S. Dobbs was the family of Mrs. Evola Ammons, of Wooster, Ohio. Mrs. Ammons had just returned home when she was called back for the funeral of her sister, Mrs. W. S. Dobbs.

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Mrs. Dellie Stone of the Shelby Memorial Nursing Home is a charming visitor in the home of the I. D. Stone's this week. Mrs. Stone radiates cheer and sunshine wherever she is, and it is a joy to visit with her whenever one can. I understand that she is one of the most cheerful and inspiring residents of the home. Her fingers are always busily working making attractive and useful "doodads".

Mrs. William Elliott (Leta) is ill in the Veterans' Hospital in Birmingham. I understand that she has been moved, or will be moved, this week to the University Hospital for further tests. Mrs. Elliott is one of our popular and busy matrons, and her many friends are wishing for her a speedy recovery.

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At the Shelby Memorial Hospital at this time are Mr. John White, Mrs. Minnie Morrison, Mrs. Lexie Stewart, Mrs. Boozer Kelly, and Mr. Willie Lee Gardner. Our sympathy and prayers are with each of these.

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The members of the Westover Homemaking Extension Club are keeping busy these days, with their projects and meetings. Last Thursday, the officers of the Club met with Miss Cotney at the home of Mrs. Elsie Jones. On Tuesday, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. George Collins attended the Homemakers luncheon, at Columbiana.

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Friends are relatives of Mrs. W. S. Dobbs were saddened with her death last Saturday, July 26, at the Shelby Memorial Hospital, after a long illness. Mrs. Dobbs, age 79 years, was a native of St. Clair County, but had spent most of her life living in the Vincent - Harpersville - Westover area. Mrs. Dobbs is survived by her husband, one daughter, Mrs. I.D. Stone, and one granddaughter, Miss Dorothy Stone; one brother, Theo Knight, of Atlanta, Georgia; four sisters – Mrs. Lee (May) Rhodes, of Birmingham, Mrs. Dolly Shrader, of Vincent, Mrs. Evola Ammons, Wooster, Ohio, and Mrs. Effie Pitts, Talladega; and a large number of nieces and nephews.

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Funeral services were held at the Harpersville United Methodist Church, conducted by Revs. Bob Garrett, D. C. Wills, and Bob Collier. Burial was at the Harpersville Cemetery. Pallbearers were: Herman Knight, Herman Garrett, Jimmy Canada, Carl Shrader, Billy Bradshaw, and Rudolph Dobbs.

Goodhope sets singing

On Sunday August 3 there will be an all-day singing with dinner on the grounds and homecoming at the Goodhope Methodist Church in the Kingdom. The Gospel Carriers Trio from Graysville will sing during the afternoon.

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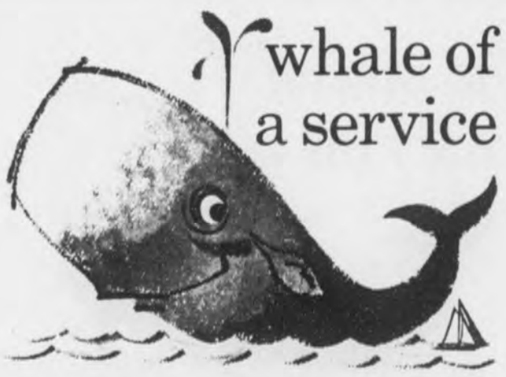
JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

Want to get the Christmas spirit in early August? Then hurry in and look through the 1969 album of personalized greeting cards which we have just received from California Artist. If you thought they were lovely last year you will need a new adjective for them; gorgeous or the like. And something new has been added; Christmas notes and note paper, and mini-cards for such things as open house or Christmas parties. Fine imprinting of name available, but not required. Do come in soon so we can share our enthusiasm with you.



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SURVEYING DAMAGE - - William Stalling, lieutenant of the Alabaster Volunteer Fire Department, looks over the charred remains of Cardwell Furniture Company's warehouse in Alabaster. The firemen contained the blaze and kept it from spreading to adjoining businesses. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Alabaster furniture warehouse fire causes estimated $100,000 damage

A fire Wednesday night, July 30, caused approximately $100,000 damage to Cardwell Furniture Company's warehouse located in the west Alabaster business district.

Ronnie Johnson, Alabaster Fire Chief, said the volunteer firemen responded to the alarm at 9:50 p.m. Wednesday night and found the tin building engulfed in flames.

Six two-and-one-half inch lines were laid to the fire and firemen brought the blaze under control within 45 minutes, according to Johnson.

The Alabaster volunteer firemen were assisted in fighting the blaze by bolunteer fire units from Pelham, Calera, Siluria and Columbiana. Johnson said the fire was extinguished between 3 and 4 a.m. Thursday; however, some firemen were on duty until noon Thursday.

Johnson said the fire apparently started near the center of the building in an area where sofas were stored. Apparently the fire had been burning from two to three hours before the building exploded and flames leaped an estimated 200 feet into the air.

Bobby Cardwell said the building and contents were a total loss. Between $8,000 and $9,000 worth of furniture in the warehouse belonged to customers who were buying the furniture on a lay-away plan. Insurance covered the customer's furniture, Cardwell said.

Personal belongings of the Cardwell family stored in the building were not covered by insurance, Cardwell indicated.

Plans are to rebuild the warehouse in the same location, Cardwell explained. He said estimates for rebuilding the structure are almost double the original cost of the building when it was built 18 years ago.

"We have no idea what caused the fire," Cardwell said. "If the fire marshall knows, he has not told us," he added.

SIGNS OF CHANGE - - Mrs. Linda C. Mahan (seated left), pre-enrollment counselor at Alabama College, joins a trio of Shelby County students to view a sign of major change at Montevallo. Shown at Alabama College during recent summer orientation activities for new students are: (l-r), Willard Harrison, Helena; Rebecca Ann Farris, Columbiana; and Phillip Dale Littlefield, Shelby. They will return to campus on Sept. 14 as freshmen at the University of Montevallo. The name and status of the 73-year-old institution officially changes on Sept. 1. (AC News Photo)

E.C.A. employees strike for recognition of union

Management of the Elastic Corporation plant in Columbiana found a strike on their hands Monday morning. None of the production workers at the non-union plant crossed a picket line that was set up at 5:30 a.m.

Albert de Loach, international representative of the United Textile Workers of America, as spokesman for the employees on Monday, said the only issue in the strike is seeking recognition of the union as bargaining agent for the employees. De Loach lives in Childersburg and works at Beaunit Fibers.

He said the decision to strike was made Sunday afternoon by "people within this plant." He told the Reporter, "All the employees with perhaps a few exceptions are members of the union now."

He indicated the strike will continue as long as necessary to get union recognition and negotiation.

On Tuesday morning, Joe Murray, top executive of the plant, said, "We plan to petition the National Labor Relations Baord for an election among the employees." He indicated the company was "not against an election, in fact we are looking forward to an election."

Murray indicated that every machine in the plant was running Tuesday with "more than enough people to keep them running."

He said approximately 50 of the 200-member production force reported for work Tuesday morning. Union vice-president Johnnie E. Brown of Atlanta, who took over as union spokesman Tuesday, disputed this.

Brown is remembered in the county as a union leader during the labor trouble at Beaunit Fibers in Childersburg in February, 1968.

Brown told the Reporter he thinks it is time for the company to make a move.

The Reporter asked Brown what caused the strike at the Elastic plant. He replied, "A strike is caused 99 per cent of the time by not having decent working conditions: that includes pay conditions, seniority, anything you'd have in a union contract. He also mentioned the "dictatorial attitude of a company, threatening to fire people every time they turn around."

The Elastic Corporation is a subsidiary of Chelsea Industries.

The official company position was given in a statement by Joe Murray Monday afternoon. The text of his statement follows:

"The United Textile Workers Union has called some of the employees out at a strike at the Elastic Corporation plant. The Company is open today and will remain open for business. The machinery is running and will continue to do so.

"Our employees overwhelmingly rejected this same union two years ago in a secret ballot election. We feel that it is not in the best interests of the employees and of the company to have this union represent them.

"We also feel that the vast majority still feel as they did two years ago. A number of our employees have called in to state that they signed union cards only after being threatened.

"Many have called today to ask when they should come in to work. We definitely plan to continue operations and have told the employees of this position.

"If employees do not return to their jobs, the company will begin recruiting new employees as replacements.

"We are mystified as to why some of these striking employees are so vehemently opposed to their current labor setup.

"During the past few years, we have made a lot of progress by cooperating with one another in working together.

"Every year of the last three years, we have increased the number of paid holidays. We also recently put into effect a pension plan.

"All but ten percent of our production area is air conditioned, including an additional 10,000 square feet recently completed.

"We have made major improvements in material

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ON STRIKE - - Two women employees of the Elastic Corporation of America display signs to passing motorists in front of the Columbiana plant. The picket line was formed Monday morning at the plant located on Highway 70.

STRIKING FOR RECOGNITION - - Employees of the Elastic Corporation of America sit in the shade waiting to see if the company will recognize the United Textile Workers of America as bargaining agent for production workers at the plant.

Fowler's election noted in Record

WASHINGTON – Election of Shelby County Probate Judge Conrad M. Fowler as president of the National Association of Counties was noted this week in the Congressional Record.

Senator Jim Allen called the Senate's attention to the election conducted in Portland, Oregon, during the 34 Annual Conference of the National Association of Counties.

Senator Allen said, "I need not remind Senators that problems of county governments are problems also of the Federal Government . . . the Senate can appreciate the importance of outstanding leadership in the efforts to find constructive solutions to problems facing the counties.

"On this score", Senator Allen said, "the National Association of Counties is indeed fortunate in enlisting the broad qualities of leadership of Judge Conrad M. Fowler in the capacity of president for the coming year . . . the cause of more effective county government will be significantly advanced under his guidance and competent leadership."

JUDGE C. M. FOWLER

Fowler elected national pres.

Shelby County Probate Judge Conrad M. Fowler was elected president of the National Association of Counties at the annual convention of the group in Portland, Oregon last week.

The association is composed of county governing officials from all counties in the United States.

Fowler has served the association in other capacities since he became Shelby County probate judge in 1959. During the past year he has been vice-president of the association.

Grand jury selected Mon.

The grand jury for the summer session of Circuit Court was selected Monday. Acie Langston, Rt. 1, Helena is serving as foreman, and Sara C. Crumpton is the clerk.

Members of the grand jury are: Solon McGinnis, Harpersville; William Boatwright, Helena; Duel Brasher, Sterrett; Reba Patterson, Columbiana; Mary Barrett, Centreville; Alfred Horton, Columbiana; Raymond Thornbury, Shelby;

Margaret Martin, Maylene; Donald Whitfield, Camp Branch; John H. Gallups, Harpersville; John H. Bentley, Siluria; J. C. Sumners, Harpersville; Ralph Douglas, Calcis; R. M. Brasher, Leeds; J. W. Huett and William K. Berryfield.

Mrs. J.T. McDow dies in hospital

Funeral services were conducted from the First Baptist Church in Columbiana Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock for Mrs. Mildred Tipsword McDow, one of Columbiana's most beloved matrons who died in Shelby Memorial Hospital Monday afternoon, August 4, following a brief illness. The Rev. Raymond Scroggins, officiated.

Mrs. McDow was a teacher in the Intermediate Department of the Baptist Church and active in other organizations of the church, school and community.

She is survived by husband J. T. McDow, two sons: Jim McDow, Jr., Ricky McDow; one daughter, Patti McDow of Columbiana; mother, Mrs. W. A. Tipsword, Trowbridge Nursing Home, Jacksonville, Fla.; one brother, Harold Tipsword, Camp Springs, Maryland; two sisters: Mrs. C. A. Veley, Jr., El Paso, Texas; Mrs. Mary Lois Riley, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

The interment was at Shelby Memory Gardens in Columbiana.

COSTLY TARGETS - - County Engineer Jimmy Ray displays two stop signs that have been destroyed by gun shots recently along Shelby County highways. In addition to creating a hazard to motorists, each mutilated sign costs the county taxpayers $18.

Highway vandalism costs tax payers

A survey by the Alabama Highway Department on Interstate 65 in Autauga, Chilton and Shelby counties showed that in only seven months after a contract for signing was completed at a cost of $124,688.50, the signs along this highway were in need of maintenance because of vandalism. Maintenance cost in such a short time after completion was $1,923.33. Keep in mind this cost was for only one section - 46 miles - of one interstate system.

The interstate system is not the only site picked out by the "idiots" who choose to deface and destroy public property along our highways.

Only five years ago, the State of Alabama has an estimated 110,500 signs along the then 9,488 miles of State maintained highways. At that time, in a one-year period, the Maintenance Bureau replaced or repaired 23,515 signs along the highways. The sickening fact is that 5,268 of this number - 22.4% - was due to vandalism.

A description of the cause for replacement showed such things as: malicious bending, marking, reflectorization damage and malicious damage by vehicles, shot with firearms and stolen. This indicates that those responsible for this

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C. B. Sydes died Sunday

C. B. Sydes, 61, of Pelham died on Sunday, August 3, of an apparent heart attack at Shelby Memorial Hospital.

A native of Clay County, Mr. Sydes moved to Montevallo in 1951 where he was in the insurance business. Later he became Town Clerk of Alabaster and in 1963 was appointed operator of Oak Mountain State Lake.

He was a long time member of the Shelby County Democratic Committee and was an active campaigner for George Wallace. A veteran of WWII, he was a member of the Central United Methodist

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Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

A bill providing for a second judge for the 18th Judicial Circuit was widely predicted to pass the legislature this session.

The 18th Judicial Circuit is composed of Clay, Coosa and Shelby Counties. Of the three, Shelby County has by far the greatest number of cases. Each county under law has the same number (3) of court sessions each year. Some courthouse observers feel that Shelby County needs more time for its court cases because of heavier dockets than the other counties.

It is assumed that the second judge in the circuit would be appointed by the governor from among Shelby County resident lawyers, if the bill becomes law.

According to Bill Clark, Shelby County's Veterans Service Officer, the Annual Work Conference of the Alabama Department of Veterans Affairs will be held in Montgomery August 18, 19 and 20. His office here in Columbiana in the courthouse annex will be closed during the time he is attending this school of instruction.

The highlight of the Conference will be an address by Gov. Albert Brewer at 10:30 a.m. Monday, Aug. 18.

The entire Conference will be under the supervision of Walter C. Head, Jr., Director of the Alabama Department of Veterans Affairs who says: "The continued success of the veterans programs in Alabama, which means more than $150 million annually to Alabama's economy, is largely dependent upon a corps of well-informed Veterans Service Officers at the local level, and this Work Conference will enable Mr. Clark to be better prepared to serve the veterans and their dependents in Shelby County."

The office in the courthouse will re-open Aug 21.

Members of the Shelby County Jury Commission met in the courthouse Saturday and made preparations to begin filling the jury box. This task involves visiting each Beat in the county and procuring names of eligible citizens for this civic duty.

R. W. Lawley, Chairman, of Rt 1, Marvel, told the writer that this assignment had to be completed by Dec. 20 -- and that he and other members of the commission, who include Frank Wilder and Mrs. Fonza Jackson, would begin work immediately. W. A. Thomason is Clerk.

The summer term of the Shelby County Circuit Court opened in Columbiana at ten o'clock Monday morning with a heavy docket set for the three weeks term of the court scheduled. W. L. Gilliland and Ed Garrett are in charge of attending officials in the courtroom, and Tom Stinson is bailiff for the Grand Jury which is also in session.

At Monday's session all cases were settled out of court or continued until the Wednesday session of court.

The case charging James D. Coleman, of Birmingham, with violation of the prohibition law (Highway Intoxication) and carrying a pistol without a permit will be heard before City Court Judge Tom Stinson, August 9.

Following Coleman's arrest by Police Chief Billingsley on July 29, he was released on bond.

Report from Sheriff's Department: July 15 to July 31: Malicious injury to animal, 2: Court order, 8: Driving while intoxicated, 8: Buying, receiving stolen property, 2: Runaways, 2: Highway intoxication, 12: Burglary, 3: Disturbing peace, 1: public drunkenness, 4: Violation of prohibition law, 11: reckless driving and drinking, 8: assault and battery, 8: assault, 2: resisting arrest, 2: alias, 9:

Escape from Kilby, 1: forgery, 1: no driver's license, 3: attempted rape, 2: grand larceny, 2: speeding, 1: carrying pistol without permit, 3: disturbing the peace, 1: peace proceedings, 2: drunk in auto, 1: manslaughter, 1: issuing worthless checks, 1: carnal knowledge, 1: possession of still, 1.

A total of 330 papers were served by sheriff's deputies during the two-week period.

Letters to Editor

Montgomery

I extend to you, and members of your staff, my heartiest congratulations on receiving an award for the best feature story from the Alabama Press Association.

This is a distinct honor, and one which I am sure is very richly deserved. Always know that I am extremely proud of the many outstanding contributions you are making in the field of Journalism and to the State of Alabama.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,
Albert P. Brewer
Governor

Montgomery

Congratulations to you and your staff on the fine showing you made in the Alabama Press Association Better Newspaper Contest recently. I am always delighted to see such professional efforts rewarded in such a fine manner.

With kindest regards and best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,
Bob Inman
Press Secretary

Columbiana

I am delighted to see that you and your staff are bringing merited recognition to The Shelby County Reporter which is one of Alabama's ten oldest newspapers.

Please allow me to congratulate all of you for your work in winning recognition in the General Excellence, Best News Story and Photo Feature classifications. This recognition from the Alabama Press Association is truly a well deserved honor.

I think, too, that The Reporter staff is to be congratulated on the improvements that have been made in the "behind-the-scenes" process of producing The Reporter each week. The equipment producing the cold type and photo work is now comparable to any used in much larger plants in the Birmingham area.

I am sure you will continue to work to make The Reporter one of Alabama's best weekly newspapers. You have my best wishes as you so actively continue in this county-wide enterprise.

Yours truly,
Luther F. McGiboney

Montgomery

Congratulations on your excellent showing in the Alabama Press Association competition. I knew the Reporter had to be up at the top. You have certainly done an outstanding job with it.

Best regards.

Sincerely,
Ed Ewing

Washington, D.C.

Through my years of public service, I have maintained that Alabamians have been blessed by a weekly press that is strong, foresighted and dedicated to the welfare of the State. I am willing to say that no other state has a finer group than our weekly newsmen.

It is with this in mind, therefore, that I was pleased to see how well you and your paper stood out in the annual Alabama Press Association's 1969 Better Newspaper Contest. I know from looking over the list of awards that the competition was stiff.

I want to offer you my personal congratulations for a job well done.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Sincerely,
James B. Allen

Washington, D.C.

Please let me take this opportunity of congratulating you and your associates at THE SHELBY COUNTY REPORTER upon your receipt of the awards presented recently at the Alabama Press Association Convention. I am certain that these honors reflect a great deal of hard work on the part of all of you, and I know that you are already looking forward to next year's conpetition.

With kind regards and best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,
Walter Flowers

OEO budget approved

A budget of $484,000 has been approved locally for the Eleventh Area Office of Economic Opportunity for the coming year.

The application has now gone to the Atlanta OEO office for final study and approval.

A new service submitted in this year's proposal for the three-county Bibb, Chilton and Shelby area is called "Economic Development". Dean Upson will administer this phase of the program.

As described in the application, the objective will be to help struggling and impoverished people get into a position to help themselves. Groundwork will be laid for business co-ops and help secured for marketing. One main objective is to help secure employment for those without jobs. The office will serve as a point of coordination for job development. Securing loans for young people to attend college and helping elder adults obtain basic education are also included in the program.

AA to meet Thursday

The regular Thursday night meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous, and interested friends in this program, are requested to be present in the City Hall at Alabaster at 8 o'clock.

Keldon Stanford at band camp

Keldon Stanford, Jr. of Helena is participating in the 17th annual summer band camp at the University of Southern Mississippi. The camp is a two week musical vacation, featuring almost every area of interest to the high school bandsman.

Sydes

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Church of Alabaster.

Mr. Sydes is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ima Mayo Sydes; one son, C. Mayo Sydes, Chicago; two grandchildren; three brothers and five sisters.

Funeral services were held at the Elmwood Chapel with burial in Elmwood Cemetery in Birmingham.

FRANCIS E. LEONARD, SR.

A. BUTLER CARDER

Leonard, Carder to assist Civitans

Civitans representing 74 clubs in central Alabama will meet Saturday in Demopolis for their first council meeting of the Civitan year.

The program is planned for family members as well as Civitans themselves.

Appointed to work with the Chilton and Shelby County Civitan Clubs are Lt. Governor Francis E. Leonard, Sr. of Columbiana. He will work with Clanton, Cahaba Valley, Helena, Jemison and Thorsby Clubs.

Lt. Governor A. Butler Carder of Wilsonville will work with the Calera, Columbiana, Chelsea, Central (Alabaster), and Wilsonville Civitan Clubs.

Boy Scouts, Scoutmaster tapped by order

Four Columbiana Boy Scouts and the Scout Master were tapped for membership in the Order of the Arrow, one of Scouting's highest honors. The ceremony was held in conjunction with a week-long camp for 160 scouts at Camp Arrowhead the last week in July.

Scout Master Bob Hume and Scouts Alan Hume, Jimmy McCullers, Jeff Hill and Rhett Vick received the award which is given to honor campers.

During the week eleven members of the Columbiana troop earned the mile swim award. In addition, work for 18 merit badges was completed.

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Dr. Lott appointed regional judge

Dr. John B. Lott of Montevallo, has been appointed a regional judge for the National Council of Teachers of English Achievement Awards Program for 1969. Judging committees, composed of teachers of English from both college and high schools will evaluate the writing skills and literary awareness of over 7,500 selected high school students.

Dr. Lott is chairman of the English Department at Alabama College.

The Achievement Awards competition is part of the comprehensive program of the N.C.T.E. to improve instruction in English language and literature at all levels throughout the nation's schools. The NCTE is a professional, nonprofit organization of English teachers whose membership and subscribers now include more than 135,000 teachers from primary grades to graduate school.

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Annual Shelby County Fair scheduled for August 25-30

The twentieth annual Shelby County Fair will be held August 25 - 30, according to its sponsor, the Columbiana Kiwanis Club.

As in past years, the Fair will be located on the grounds south of the high school in Columbiana.

Casey Hardison is serving as chairman of the Fair. Committees and chairmen for the exhibits are:

Beef and Dairy Exhibits, W. M. Clark; Extension Homemaker Club Exhibits, Miss Marian Cotney; 4-H Club Exhibits, John E. Jones and Peggy Prucnal; Hog Exhibits, Joel Thompson; Farm Products Exhibits, Sam Pierce; Art Exhibits, Barney Isbell; Commercial Exhibits, Ross B. Mullins.

Anyone desiring to enter exhibits is urged to contact exhibit chairmen or Mr. Hardison.

Eight Extension Homemaker clubs are planning to have exhibits at the Shelby County Fair. The Ebenezer, Columbiana, Westover, Klein, South Calera, Helena, Montevallo and Pelham Clubs announced their plans at the quarterly meeting of the County's Clubs last week.

Mrs. John R. Martin of Maylene announced that five new clubs have been formed in the county and several more are expected to be formed in the near future.

The county library will be the Council's project for the year and Mrs. F. L. McCoy of Pelham, chairman of the project, said plans are underway to add materially to the library's supplies.

Mrs. Mason Cumberland of the Pelham Club reported to the Council that plans for the annual Christmas Party for Nursing Home residents are underway.

Members from the various clubs have made 50 ditty bags for the Red Cross to send to servicemen in Vietnam.

Mrs. Edgar Whitfield of Helena announced plans for a Club-sponsored trip to Atlanta in the fall.

After the business was completed the group of 46 toured the partially completed new county library building with county librarian Mrs. Cecile Leonard.

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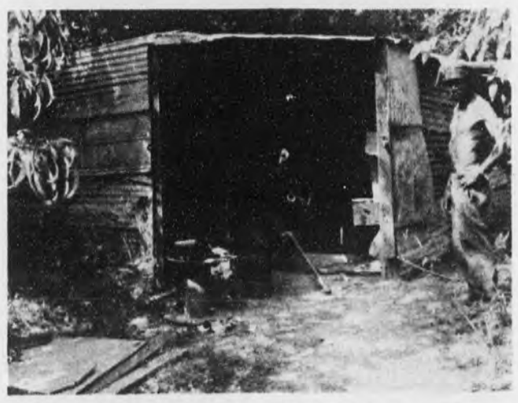

ALDRICH DISTILLERY - - Albert Falkner stands near the barn where five stills were found in operation, when Montevallo Police Chief Robert Boyd led a raid last week. Falkner was charged with distilling and is now out on $500 bond.

Montevallo News

By Bert Seaman

A son was born to Sp/4 and Mrs. Eddie Potts in Kassel, Germany on July 9. The baby was named William E. Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Pendelton wigh daughters Debbie and Pam are vacationing in Key West, Fla. this week.

Mrs. M. E. Lazenby has recently returned from a two week vacation during which she attended the biennial family reunion held in Kasson, Minn.

Rev. and Mrs. H. Frank Ledford with granddaughters Jeanne and Cindy Meissen are vacationing at Lake Junaluska, N. C. where Rev. Ledford is attending a leadership conference.

Mrs. Betty Yancey and her sons Raymond, Randy, Ronnie and guest David Seaman are spending the week at Gulf Shores.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Kyser of Hollywood, Fla. were here for a family reunion on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnston with daughter Mary and Lolly Seaman left Monday to vacation in South Carolina.

Masonic Conference

The Shelby County Masonic Conference will meet in regular communication with Shelby Lodge No. 140 F&AM Saturday August the 9th at 1:00 P.M. at the Masonic Hall in Columbiana, all Master Masons are invited.

Highway

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destruction are dangerous to the lives of others and the society in which they live.

The cost to the Alabama taxpayers for the stupid acts of the clowns who carried out this destruction was $60,141.00 exclusive of installation cost.

Today it is estimated that $70,000 is needed annually to replace or repair the 5800 damaged or stolen signs along our highways due to vandalism.

If you have the feeling all this is being done by teenagers - forget it. Reports show that 37% of this damage is caused by gunshot. Today's younger generation is not, as a general rule, classed as hunters. In addition, 58% of the signs are defaced and another 5% stolen.

If you see a "cute" slogan on the concrete piers of a highway in Alabama, don't laugh. It will cost you and me money to correct the damage. Money that could be spent on medical research to save the lives of people like the late Pat Trammell; people who would contribute to our state - not tear it down.

There's a law. It reads like this: "Any person who willfully destroys, knocks down or removes any milestone, post, board or guideboard, set upon the road or highway, or willfully defaces, alters, or destroys any letter of figures thereon, must, on conviction, be fined not less than ten, nor more than fifty dollars, and may also be imprisoned in the county jail or sentenced to hard labor for the county for not more than thirty days. Rules of the Road (1927, p. 348)".

The citizen must take a good look at his personal actions toward this type of destruction. Since, obviously, the person who does this type act will never act responsibly, it falls the lot of citizens to try to prevent it. Report to local authorities where you find a stolen sign. Most people brag about having such a sign, and think it is amusing.

Communities where hunting is a big seasonal activity can carry out civic programs to bring out this problem - 37% damage caused by gunshot - to the members of its community.

There are many other ways to help this situation, but the best method is by being a responsible citizen.

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

Summer is going by unbelievably fast, and we begin to fear that September first will find us with things undone that we told ourselves in June we would have plenty of time to accomplish. But we have our new everyday greeting cards ordered from Norcross, so that those of you who have enjoyed our large selection in the past, will find bright new items by September.

We should have an ample supply of back-to-school items for teachers and pupils. And we still have a month to plan and buy for fall. So guess we won't worry at the Falcon Book Store in Montevallo, as the summer days fly by.

Good Morning

A great story teller

By Milton Bird

Pop was a great story teller. Sitting around the fire, with Granny knitting, he always had a story to tell on a cold winter night. Maybe, and most of the time he did, he would tell a story he had told before, adding little details that had slipped his mind before. And, sometimes, when we least expected it, he wouldn't tell a story at all.

I guess it was because, after more years than most folks live, time had caught up with him. It was just the way it was, on a cold winter night, high on a hill overlooking town, nearly fifty years ago.

I can see him now, sitting in front of the log fire, punching at the logs with an iron poker, with the sparks scattering over the hearth. Now and then, from out of the north, a little puff of wind would dart down the chimney. It would chase after the sparks and scatter them over Granny's knitting basket.

And Granny would fuss, in a sort of loving way, and Pop would grin, watching me out of the corner of his eye. He would poke the logs again and the wind would come back, catching the sparks, and Granny would move back a little, holding her basket close to her lap.

Far off, town-way, there would come the sound of a dog. And then another, farther off. And another, over about the high school.

"Did I ever tell you about Sam Upshaw?" Pop said, putting the poker aside.

Granny looked up from her knitting, a little frown wrinkling her brow. She looked at me and the frown hung on for a minute and then slipped away with the wind. She started to say something, and waited, and then let the words slip away, like maybe it wouldn't be wise.

"I guess you haven't," I fibbed. And Granny looked back at me. A trace of a smile played on her mouth now. But she still didn't say anything.

And then, above the sound of the wind outside, and the noise from the dogs, town-way, another sound slipped into the room. A little throaty sound, like a bee makes in a jug, or a man makes, when sleep catches him unaware, sitting in his chair in front of a warm log fire.

"Bless his heart," Granny whispered, her eyes still on her knitting.

Yep, sometimes when we least expected it, he wouldn't tell a story at all.

Calera News

Eason Mitchell of Calera will represent Birmingham Southern at the 11th Management Training Seminar of the Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity August 23-28 at Ball State University in Muncie, Indiana.

Among the topics to be presented before the 400 attending the seminar are "Fraternity, Its Relevance in Today's University" and "Student Activism, Its Role on Today's Campus."

Dr. Richard O. Ramer announces the opening of his office for the practice of general dentistry in the Porter Building, Alabaster, Alabama. 663-0458

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MISS HATTIE LUCAS

Miss Hattie Lucas to wed BC Crocker

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Lucas of Montevallo announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Hattie Lucas and B C Crocker, son of Mr. and Mrs. A C Crocker of Montevallo.

Grandparents of the bride-elect are Mrs. Hattie Lucas and the late Mr. Clay M. Lucas of Calera and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin L. Hill of Lanett.

Mr. Crocker is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Columbus N. Crocker of Perry County and Mrs. Nellie Foster and the late Mr. James W. Foster of Perry County.

Both Miss Lucas and Mr. Crocker are graduates of Montevallo High School.

The wedding will be held at the Calvary Hill Baptist Church, located on Highway 119 north of Moore's Cross Roads. Rev. L. C. Barnard will officiate at the 7:30 p.m. ceremony on August 14.

All friends and relatives are invited to the wedding and to the reception following which will also be held at the church.

After Rehearsal Choir Party

Following the regular Tuesday evening choir rehearsal at the Baptist Church, a social hour, hosted by Director Gaines Hyche, was enjoyed in the Education Building. It was truly an enjoyable hour filled with chatter among congenial friends sparkling with quick repartee. "Sip and Dip", cake, coffee, iced punch and what have you, was served, as far as delectable refreshments were concerned. All members agreed that this was an ideal way to enjoy an informal evening; and this method of entertaining will likely be adopted, from now on at regular intervals, with various members acting as hosts, when these "long-time-together" musicians decide that a bit of recreation is needed.

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The Rev. and Mrs. A.L. Courtney (Myra Scroggins) who were guests of her parents the Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Scroggins, were forced to cut their visit short due to the illness of his mother. The Courtneys reside in Terry, Miss., and have a wide and warm circle of friends in Columbiana who wish for Mrs. Courtney a speedy recovery.

Society Page And Personal Mention

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

'Good Morning'

Say It With A Smile

"Yours may not be the way of larger good,
Shining in radiance to the startled world;
Perhaps life holds you in the brotherhood
Of the obscure, who walk with banners furled.

But through the common place of deeds expressed
Your heart's high purpose may be felt adorning
The days unseen, but subtly manifest
As you pass by and smile and say – "GOOD MORNING"!

We do not know who wrote the above poem. We only know that there is always something happily inspirational when you pass by -- smile -- and say that one little word -- "GOOD-MORNING" --! It begins the day on just the right note, and -- this week, having been proclaimed "National Smile Week" -- it seems especially appropriate that we begin our section of this paper by calling your attention to the fact.

Various poems and songs have been written using as a theme -- a smile. For instance; "The Sunshine of Your Smile" sung by vocalists as an appropriate wedding song -- "Smilin' Thru" - recently featured by Joe Fenney on the Welk program; "He Smiled on Me" -- a sacred number by the widely known Twohig - O'Hara song writing team. It was they who wrote the internationally known sacred number entitled: "I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked". "The Shadow of Your Smile" is another currently popular number. And last, but by no means least, the immortal "Smiles" (that make you happy) song used universally for years and still frequently heard over TV programs. It was written by my

good friend, J. Will Callahan who has since passed on -- but the song continues to live and gladden the hearts in a war-weary world.

A number of you may recall meeting this celebrity when he spent a week in our home some years ago. During this time we had the privilege of collaborating with him on six songs which we were in the process of getting ready for the publishers when he died. We still have these manuscripts, approved by him, and we may -- some day -- follow through with his plans for same.

At any rate, it has been said: "You can't defeat a smile". So, try smiling this week and watch your pathway and that of your friends grow brighter because of it.

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Maid of Cotton?

Will Shelby County be represented in the Maid of Cotton parade this year? This is the "coffee-cup-tossed-around-chatter" this morning as the dead line nears for interested contestants to line up for this annual event which is always a highlight of the Shelby County Fair.

We contacted the Farm Bureau and learned that applications have been sent to several parties interested – but so far the applications have not been returned. May we call your attention to the fact that Aug. 15 is the deadline for all contestants entering this event?

MR. AND MRS. FRANK KENDRICK

Kendricks celebrate 61st anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kendrick, of Chelsea, were recently honored when their children – Mrs. Elvie Shirley, Mrs. Freddie Ferguson, Mrs. Bernice Moore, of Chelsea; Mrs. Lillian Moore of Montevallo, Mrs. Jean Rowell, Detroit, Mich.; Barney Kendrick, Bessemer, and Wilton Kendrick of Oneonta, hosted a dinner party in recognition of their 61st wedding anniversary. The dinner was held at the Kendrick home in Chelsea.

This event also marked the 82nd birthday of Mr. Kendrick. It was a gala occasion for the Frank Kendricks. Not only were their seven children present to extend their gifts of remembrance and good wishes but, to liven up the occassion, there were 20 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren to make merrier this most unusual family celebration.

Whitney's "gin" is short for "engine."

Miss Milford feted at lingerie shower

Miss Elizabeth Milford, bride elect of Phillip Baer was recently honored at a lingerie shower given by Mrs. Lex Ozley and daughter, Mrs. Finis Poole of Murfreesboro, Tenn. at the home of Mrs. Ozley in Calera.

The serving table was laid with a white lace cloth over pink satin and small bunches of lilies of the valley tied with pink satin ribbons were placed at each corner of the table. The center piece was a wedding cake which was made from towels and designed by Mrs. Wayne Kious of Murfreesboro, Tenn. Pink tapers in silver candelabra, decorated with garlands of summer flowers were placed on either side of the centerpiece.

The guests were served ice cream from miniature flower pots which were garnished with chocolate shavings and decorated with small artificial flowers. Finger sandwiches, petits fours, nuts and punch completed the refreshments.

The gifts were presented to the bride by Lucinda Jane Poole from a table decorated with a group of dolls dressed in various styles of lingerie.

For the occassion Miss Milford chose a summer cotton with which she wore a corsage decorated with minature articles of lingerie, a gift from the hostesses.

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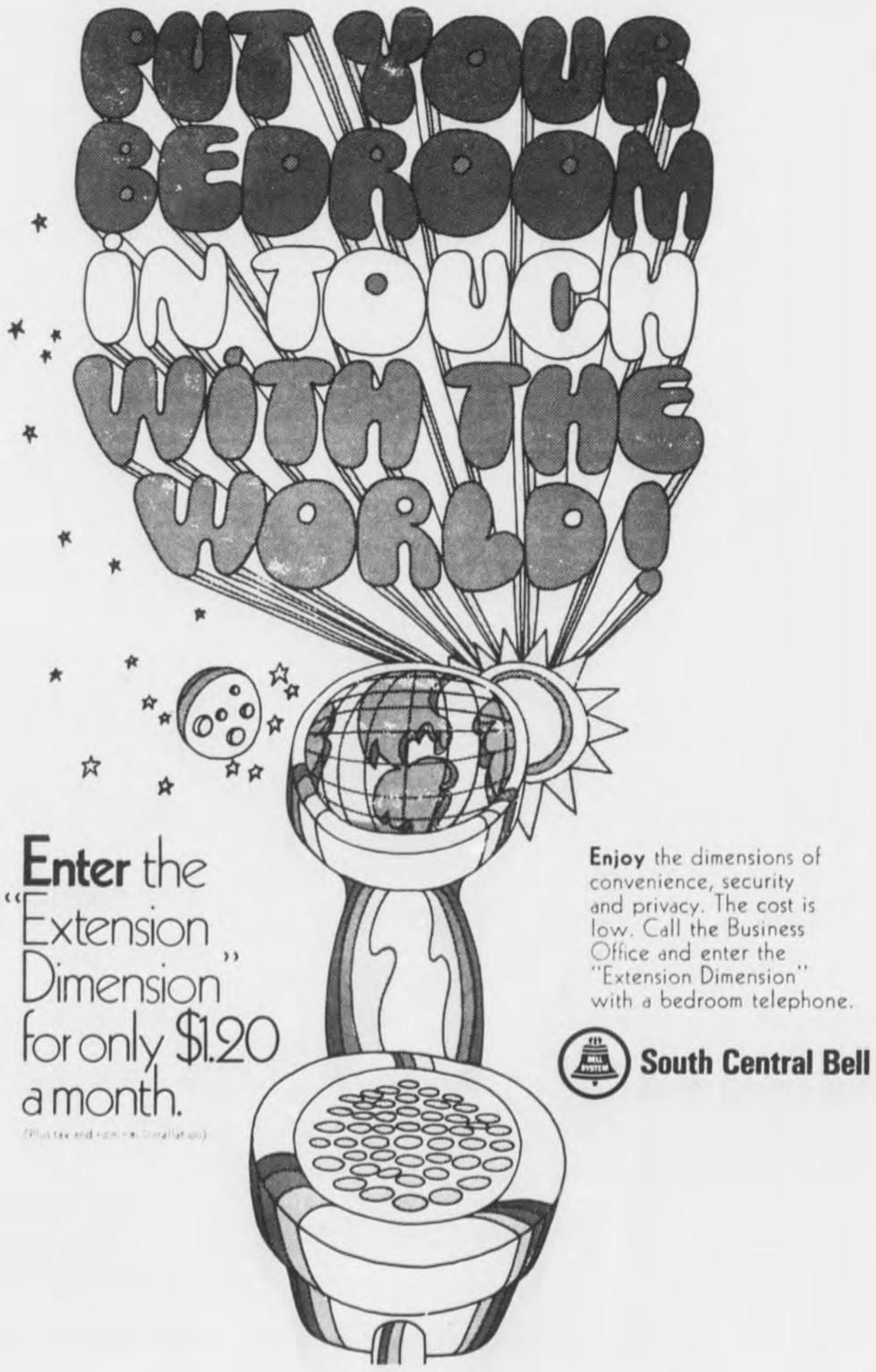

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Columbiana personals

The annual Falkner reunion – one of the largest family reunion events in Shelby County, will be held in Gadsden this year during August. This is always a colorful affair and we will tell you more about it when we obtain the facts from Fay Falkner Quick who is enjoying a vacation this week with her son Capt. Gene Quick and his family in Valdosta, Ga.

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It is reported that the Chesser's are expanding their popular restaurant in Chelsea to accommodate 40 more people than can now be seated. This will be good news to many people who have had to stand in line to enjoy the delectable food and gracious hospitality always generously dispensed by our long-time friends, "Lloyd and Margaret" Chesser.

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Taking a last fling at a summer vacation this week are Mr. and Mrs. Preston Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Shortnancy, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Farmer and family. All are free-wheeling along the highways leading to mountains in Tennessee, and the beaches in Florida.

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Mrs. Bobby Franks (Mabel Joiner) and Mrs. Dixie Shealey, who have been in Shelby Memorial for surgery, are now convalescing in their homes in Columbiana. This item is a good news one for their many friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilks (Elizabeth Lyon) are enjoying a European trip which will take them to seven countries before their return to the states.

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Sgt. and Mrs. J. H. Brasher (Locia Pratt), and their lovely little daughter, Marissa, were recent guests in the homes of their parents, Mrs. Lorene Pratt and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brasher.

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We regret to learn that Johnny Rush, Jr., a member of the graduating class from SCHS last May, is a patient in Shelby Memorial. Johnny has been a life guard at the 500 Club Swimming Pool all summer and is a talented member of the Baptist Church Choir.

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Mrs. Grace Bristow Glass, who has been with the Rux Carter Insurance Agency for the past 11 years, has resigned her position to join her husband, Onnie Glass, in operating a recently purchased gas station, located near Shelby where they will reside.

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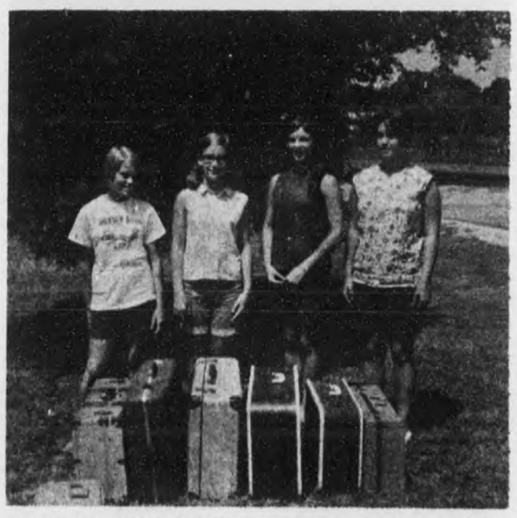
A cordial "welcome home" is ringing around Main this week as Ronny Conn, just home from Viet Nam greets his family and friends after serving in this war torn country for the past year. Ronny and his wife (Sara Mooney) have an apartment in the Doc Armstrong home.



RETURN FROM CAMP - - Columbiana girls (from left) Sherri Knight, Wanda Ray, Lisa McLeroy and Sandy Knight spent last week at Camp Chula Vista (Wonder Book Camp) in Pell City.

County PTA Council to hold one-day course

Herman R. Moore, President of the Shelby County PTA Council, has announced that a one day course of instruction will be held in the auditorium of the Columbiana Methodist Church, on August 13 with registration beginning at 9 o'clock A.M. The luncheon will be a covered dish affair and the instruction will end at 2 o'clock P.M.

Mrs. Henry W. Schaffner, Director, 5th District, will be in charge of the program and guests will include Mrs. Edwin D. Griffis, State 1st Vice-president and Mrs. John Bruce, State 2nd vice-president.

Topics scheduled for discussion will be of special interest to local PTA presidents and all officials and individuals who are concerned with PTA objectives. All parents, instructors and members of the PTA are urged to be present.

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Members of the Junior Department from First Baptist Church enjoyed a bus ride to Six Flags over Ga. last week. Several other groups are planning to visit this popular entertainment area – but take this tip from me - and arrange to go before Labor Day – as after that date - the park will be open only on weekends through November 30.

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Conrad Fowler, Jr. was guest speaker at a Youth Rally held in the Canaan Baptist Church last Sunday evening. Mr. Fowler is in wide demand as an impressive and forceful speaker and those who had the privilege of hearing him on the above named occasion say "he was great"! That about sums up the speaker and his meaningful message.

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Glad to learn that Mr. J. W. Curtis, who continues ill at Baptist Medical Center is reported to be resting comfortably.

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Florida beaches have lured many folk from Columbiana this summer. This week, should you be strolling around Panama City, you would likely see Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rasco and Kim, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Rasco and their family enjoying fishing, swimming and boating.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones, Janet and David Jones are enjoying a vacation in the Tennessee mountains this week.

With our men

Marine Private First Class Leslie W. Hope, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert E. Hope of Route 1, Shelby is serving in the Republic of Vietnam.

He is assigned to the First Battalion, Third Marine Regiment, Third Marine Division.

As part of the Third Marine Division's mission, the battalion is conducting sweep and clear operations just south of the Demilitarized Zone.

Steelworker Second Class Harold D. Griffin, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Griffin of Route 1, Chelsea, is serving in Vietnam with Naval Mobile Construction Battalion (MCB) 133.

The battalion's base camp is at Camp Wilkinson six miles southwest of Hue, ancient imperial city of Vietnam.

On its third Vietnam tour since being recommissioned in 1966, the Seabee battalion will engage in hundreds of construction projects to support U. S. and Allied combat operations throughout the five northernmost provinces of the republic.

Boilerman Second Class John M. Wilson, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. M.C. Wilson of Route 1, Siluria, is serving aboard the guided missile destroyer USS Waddell, is currently on extended operations with the U. S. Seventh Fleet in the Western Pacific.

Rondal E. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Anderson of Rt. 2, Montevallo, has been promoted to sergeant in the U.S. Air Force.

Sergeant Anderson, a radio operator at Maxwell AFB, is assigned to a unit of the Air Force Communications Service.

The sergeant is a 1965 graduate of Montevallo High School. His wife, Linda, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Hosmer of Alabaster.

Army Private First Class John W. Jordan, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Jordan, Vincent, arrived in Vietnam in June and was assigned as a member of the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment.

Charles W. Eggler, son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Eggler, Rt. 1, Wilsonville, has been promoted to technical sergeant in the U. S. Air Force.

The sergeant is a 1956 graduate of Vincent High School. His wife, Glenda, is the daughter of Mrs. Mattie A. Walton of Rt. 1, Sterrett.

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Complainant vs. Henry J. Morris
Respondent

In this cause it being made to appear to the Register by affidavit that the Defendant is a non-resident of Alabama, and that his postoffice address is unknown, and further that in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Shelby County Reporter a newspaper published in Shelby County, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring Henry J. Morris, the said Respondent to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 5 day of September 1969, or in thirty days thereafter a decree Pro Confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Columbiana, Alabama, this the 4 day of August, 1969.

L. G. Fulton, Register
8-7,14,21,28, 1969 †68

Legal Notice
Estate of Lotitia P. Davis Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters of administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 23rd day of July, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Helen P. Randall
Administratrix of the Estate of Lotitia P. Davis, deceased 7-31, 8-7,14, 1969 †62.

Legal Notice
Estate of E. J. Keith Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 23rd day of July, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Leia Keith
as Executrix of Last Will & Testament of E. J. Keith, deceased 7-31, 8-7,14, 1969 †65.

LEGAL NOTICE

Anchor Post Products, Inc. Texas hereby gives notice that they have completed contract with the State of Alabama for construction of Project No. CJF-000B(017) Fourth Division in Coosa, Macon, Shelby, Talladega and Tallapoosa Counties, and that the State has set the date for final settlement as August 31, 1969. All claims should be filed at our office in Birmingham, Alabama. 6506 - 1st Avenue South before date set for final settlement.

Anchor Post Products, Inc. Of Texas
7-24,31,8-7,14,'69 †59

Legal Notice
Administrator's Settlement Notice
The State of Alabama, Shelby County
PROBATE COURT,
July 17, 1969

This day came Winnie Leland Gardner, Administrator of Robert Edward Lee, deceased and files his accounts, vouchers, evidence and statement for final settlement of his said Administration.

It is ordered that the 28 day of August, 1969, be, and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.

Witness my hand this 17 day of July, 1969.

Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
7-24,31,—8-7, 1969, †57

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF SHELBY

Notice is hereby given that a bill substantially as follows will be introduced in the Legislature of Alabama and application for its passage and enactment will be made, to-wit:

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Article 4, Section 106 Constitution of Alabama, that application will be made to the Legislature of Alabama for enactment of a local law applicable to the Town of Harpersville in substance as follows:

An Act to alter, re-arrange and extend the boundaries and corporate limits of the town of Harpersville so as to incorporate certain territory as described herein, to-wit:

Begin at the SE corner of the present Harpersville Town limits, which point is the SW corner of the NW¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence run East along the South line of said NW¼ of the SE¼ a distance of 660 ft, more or less, to the NW corner of the E½ of the SW¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34; Thence run South along the West line of said East ½ of the SW¼ of the SE¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the South line of Sec. 34; thence run East along the South line of said Sec. 34 a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the NW corner of the NE¼ of the NE¼ of the NE¼ of Sec. 3, T-20-S, R-2-E; thence run South along the West line of said NE¼ of the NE¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 660 ft; more or less, to the SW corner; thence run East along the South line of said NE¼ of the NE¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 660 ft, more or less, to the West line of Sec. 2, T-20-S, R-2—E; thence run South along the West line of said Sec. 2 a distance of 660 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of the NW¼ of the NW¼ of Sec. 2, T-20-S, R-2,E; thence run East along the South line of said NW¼ of the NW¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the SE corner; thence run South along the West line of the SE¼ of the NW¼ of said Sec. 2 a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the SW corner; thence run East along the South line of the SE¼ of the NW¼ and the SW¼ of the NE¼ of said Sec. 2, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the SE corner of said SW¼ of the NE¼;

thence run North along the East line of said SW¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less to the NE corner; thence run West along the North line of said SW¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the NW corner; thence run North along the East line of the NE¼ of the NW¼ of said Sec. 2, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the NE corner; thence continue North along the East line of S½ of the S½ of the SW¼ of Sec. 35, T-19-S, R-2-E a distance of 660 ft, more or less, to the NE corner; thence run West along the North line of said S½ of the S½ of the SW¼ a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the North West corner; thence run North along the East line of Sec. 34, a distance of 1320 ft., more or less, to the NE corner of the S½ of the NE¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence run West along the North line of said S½ of the NE¼ of the SE¼, of Sec. 34, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the NW corner; thence run North along the East line of the N½ of the NW¼ of the SE¼ and the S½ of the SW¼ of the NE¼ of said Sec. 34, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, thence run West along the North line of the S½ of the SW¼ of the NE¼ of Sec. 34, a distance of 1320, ft, more, or less, to the NW corner, and a point on the East line of the present Town limits; thence run South along the West line of the S½ of the SW¼ of the NE¼ and the NW¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34, and the present Town limits line, a distance of 1980 ft, more or less, to the point of beginning; situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Also Begin at the SE corner of Sec. 21, T-19-S, R-2-E, and a point on the present city limits line; thence run North along the East line of said Sec. 21 a distance of 2656.73 ft. to the NE corner of the SE¼ of said sec. 21; thenceturn an angle of 90 deg. 13 min. to the left and run West along the North line of said SE¼ a distance of 2718.40 ft. to the NW corner of said SE¼; thence turn an angle of 89 deg. 48 min. to the right and run North along the East line of the SE¼ of the NW¼ a distance of 1338.64 ft. to the NE corner of said ¼ ¼ Sec; thence turn an angle of 89 deg. 35 min. to the left and run West along the North line of the S½ of the NW¼ of Sec. 21 a distance of 2727.98 ft. to the West line of Sec. 21; thence continue West along the North line of the S½ of the NE ¼ and the S½ of the NW¼ of Sec. 20, T-19-S, R-2-E a distance of 5280 ft., more or less, to the West line of said Sec. 20; thence run South along the West line of said Sec. 20 a distance of 3978.45 ft. to the SW corner of said Sec; thence turn an angle of 92 deg. 39 min. to the right and run West along the North line of Sec. 30, T-19-S, R-2-E a distance of 2690.00 ft. to the NW corner of the NE¼ of said Sec. 30; thence run South along the West line of the East ½ of Said Sec. 30 a distance of 3960 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of the N½ of the SE¼ of said Sec. 30; thence run East along the South line of said N½ of the SE¼ a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the West line of Sec. 29, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence run South along the West line of said Sec. 29 a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of said Sec. 29; thence run East along the South line of said Sec. 29 a distance of 3960 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of the East ½ of SE¼ of said Sec 29, and the West line of the present Town limits; thence run North along the West line of the E½ of the SE¼ of said Sec. 29, and the present Town limits line, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the NW corner of said E½ of the SE¼; thence run East along the North line of said E½ of the SE¼, and the present Town limits, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the West line of Sec. 28, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence continue East along the South line of the NW¼ of said Sec. 28, and the present Town limits, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the SE corner of said NW¼; thence run North along the East line of said NW¼ and the present Town limits, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the South line of Sec. 21, R-19-S, R-2-E; thence run East along the South line of said Sec. 21, and the present Town limits, a distance of 2699.26 ft, to the point of beginning, situated in Shelby County, Alabama.
July 24,31, Aug 7,14, 1969 †61.

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7-31,8-7,c.

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How they ever flood my soul."
Signed: Everett Cofer

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF ALABAMA
Shelby County

Notice is hereby given that a bill substantially as follows will be introduced in the Legislature of Alabama and application for its passage and enactment will be made, to-wit:

AN ACT

Relating to Shelby County; authorizing any bank situated within the county to open, establish, operate and maintain a branch bank, a branch office or other place of business with a certain area within said county.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

SECTION 1. When permitted by its charter and bylaws, and approved by the State Banking Department, any bank situated in Shelby County shall be authorized to open, establish, operate and maintain a branch bank, branch office or other place of business for the receipt of deposits, payment of checks and conducting a general banking business within the following described area in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit: said area being bounded on the south by County Highway No. 11; on the east by a line running parallel to and one-half mile east of U. S. Highway No. 280 as the same will be located when the present construction thereon is completed; on the north by the Jefferson County line; and on the west by a line running parallel to and one-half mile west of U. S. Highway No. 31; provided, however, no branch bank shall be established within 5 miles of any presently established bank.

SECTION 2. All laws or parts of laws which conflict with this Act are repealed.

SECTION 3. This Act shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor, or upon its otherwise becoming a law.

7-24, 31, 8-7,14, 1969 †60.

Mortgage Foreclosure
Notice

Default having been made in the terms of that mortgage executed on the 9th day of August, 1967, by Monroe Dowdell and wife, Eva Mae Dowdell to Jim Walter Corporation which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, in Record of Mortgage, Book 306, Page 814-5, and default continuing, and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the following described property will be sold at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the Courthouse door of said County, during the legal hours of sale, on the 9th day of September, 1969.

Commence at the SW corner of the above described SE¼-SW¼ and in an easterly direction along the south line of said quarter-quarter run a distance of 424.58 feet; thence turn an angel of 77 deg. 10' to the left for a distance of 42.41 feet to the point of beginning; thence continue along the last named course for a distance of 210.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 77 deg. 41' fot the right for a distance of 210.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 102 deg. 18½' to the right for a distance of 210.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 77 deg. 41½' to the right for a distance of 210.0 feet to the point of beginning.

Said property being subject to an easement from the NW corner of said property to the public road. Said easement being 20.0 feet wide and 185.0 feet long and extending from said property to the public road for an access to said property. Property situated in the SE¼-SW¼ of Section 36, Township 20 South Range 3 West. For a source of title see Deed Book 249 Page 371.

Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt and cost of foreclosure. And will be conducted by Assignee of said mortgage, Mid-State Homes, Inc.
R. A. Norred, Attorney
Birmingham, Alabama 35203
7-31,8-7,14,21, 1969 †63.

MORTGAGE
FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Hampton D. Lee and wife, Exie Patrick Lee to the American National Bank of Birmingham (now known as National Bank of Commerce of Birmingham) on the 15th day of May, 1968, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Book 308, at Page 842, the undersigned American National Bank of Birmingham (now known as National Bank of Commerce of Birmingham) as mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the main entrance of the Court House at Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, on the 25th day of August, 1969, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate situated in the town of Montevallo, Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lots 4,5, and 6 in Block G according to Map entitled "South Montevallo", as recorded in Map Book 3, Page 41 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.

This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.

American National Bank Of Birmingham
(now known as National Bank of Commerce of Birmingham)
Mortgagee
Albert E. Ritchey
Attorney for Mortgagee
7-31, 8-7, 14, 1969 †49.

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BY ED BLAKE

Cheer up you 5,000 fishermen.

For the past several weeks we have been getting very few reports of catches along Lay Lake. We know the fish are there and in great numbers, but the hot weather has been keeping the fish deep and many of the fishermen home.

We still have promise of a couple more hot months but the fishing should begin picking up.

There is one fisherman that has been really scoring on crappie in the vicinity of the narrows on Lay Lake. From the information that we have been able to collect, he is fishing about 20 feet deep and pulling out giant crappie in large numbers.

Bream fishing is also improving. Fishermen fishing in the vicinity of Camp Okomo are returning to spots where they caught bream this spring on the beds, pulling out in about four feet of water and using crickets to get the bream on the line.

This is an encouraging time of the year for fishermen. You know fishing is going to get better as fall approaches and can remember those brisk afternoons last fall when the bream were really biting around the willow islands along Lay Lake.

How many people are fishing in Shelby County?

We checked by the probate office last week and were given these figures. Through July these were 5,405 fishing licenses sold. They were 5,224 rod and reel licenses sold, 59 pole and line licenses and 122 life-time licenses.

These figures do not include the number of youngsters under the age of 16 who are not required to buy a fishing license.

We were talking with Conservation Officer Doyle Wood the other afternoon about the prospects for dove hunters this season. He said he has seen a good many doves around the county but was unable to make a firm prediction without knowing what affects the recent dry weather had on grain crops.

Strike

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handling and housekeeping.

"From the standpoint of working conditions I think we have one of the best plants in this area. We have made every effort to solve all reasonable complaints which have been raised by the employees.

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TROPHY WINNERS - - Members of the Thompson High School majorette squad which won first place in the National Baton Twirlers Association contest recently at the University of Tennessee are (front row from left) Ann Taylor and Debbie Henderson, (back row from left) Peggy Snyder, Denise Lawson, Head Majorette Margaret Sandifer, Linda Hamner and Donna McQueen. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Westover residents jubilant over new water system

by Mrs. Elsie Jones

Jubilant is the word which expresses the feelings of almost all of the residents of Westover this week as the words "We got water" resounded in the homes. We salute the members of the Water Board and the members of the community who have faithfully contributed their services through these anxious months (even years) when at times the problems which had to be faced seemed almost insurmountable. Yet, they knew that it was a venture which must be completed to satisfy the needs of our citizens and to nourish a growing and thriving community.

Preston Moore is the Chairman of the Board, and has acted as inspector of the work progress. Alfred Alverson is treasurer. Bill Osborne is a member of the Board.

Since the news that water had been found in abundance, the water project has been extended into the Chelsea area and to the Chelsea school. The number of customers which were initially enrolled has been more than doubled within the past year. This is a most worthwhile accomplishment and we do wish to recognize the efforts of each person involved.

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Mrs. Maggie Muse and Mrs. Eva Landers have undergone surgery at the Shelby Memorial Hospital this week. For each of them, we wish a rapid recovery. Mrs. Landers was moved from a Birmingham Nursing Home to the hospital on Monday. Mr. James Sherrill had ear surgery at the Baptist Medical Center, Montclair, this week, also.

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Revival Services will start at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Monday, August 11. Rev. Howard A. Kilpatrick, of Auburndale, Florida, is conducting these services. Rev. Kilpatrick assisted in the revival here last summer.

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Miss Beth Acton has been busy most of ths summer in camp-work. She returned home last week. Three of her friends -- Debbie Milling, of Jackson, Mississippi, Eunice Armstrong, of Jacksonville, and Marsha Vandegrift, of Odeonville, came home with her. Other recent guests in the Acton home were Mr. and Mrs. Marcel McKee, of Jackson, Miss., who were enroute to Atlanta and other points on their vacation.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strother and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Arledge visited the James Hatcher family in Marietta last weekend. They brought the grandson, Allan Hatcher, home with them for a few weeks.

Mrs. William Elliott (Leta) is recovering nicely from surgery at the Veterans' Hospital last week.

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Visitors in the Roy Stinson home this week are Mr. and Mrs. Durwood M. Stinson, and family, of Ypsilanti, Michigan.

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I called on Charlie Bailey on Monday night to check on him, for he had told me last summer that he intended getting drunk the day that the water was turned on, if "pure water would make one drunk." He informed me that he had turned his on last Friday, just after the Health Department had okayed the water supply. The Baileys have been hauling their drinking water from Birmingham for six years.

Little League sponsors dance in Vincent

The East Shelby Little League Auxiliary will sponsor a square and round dance at the Vincent National Armory next Friday evening, August 8, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. J D. Jones will furnish the music for the dance. No admission will be charged but donations for this project will be solicited.

Your patronage and presence will be appreciated.

Litter program gets response

The Public Relations Office of the Alabama Highway Department received the following postal card this week:

Eutaw, Ala. 7-28-69

Good Morning –

Ask owner of blue car, Alabama license number (correct number withheld) why they threw litter on Highway 43 **twice** north of Warrior River Bridge about a mile apart. Woman driver & woman passenger in front & 2 children in rear seat. Of all people – it would appear women would not want to add filth and refuse on our beautiful highways.

(signed)
A Passing Motorist

Action such as this is excellent, however, the people discarding the trash must be informed or apprehended on the spot. Do your part. The Alabama Highway Department's Anti-Litter Campaign is having a definite effect on the State's litter problem, and people now have a place to call on when they are seeking support for this cause. This is evident, since this correspondence was addressed to the "Anti-Litter Office" of the Alabama Highway Department.

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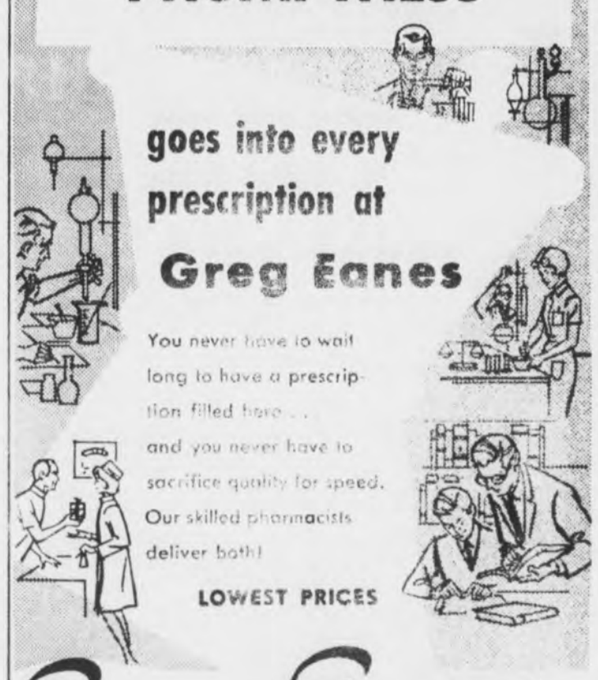

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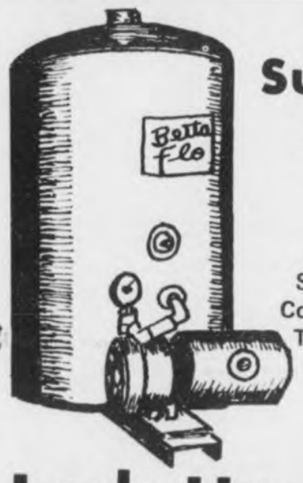

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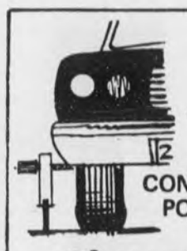
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Local opinion included--

Results of questionnaires tallied

By Congressman Walter Flowers

Several months ago I mailed a voter questionnaire to postal patrons in the 5th District. To date thousands of replies have been received, and I would like to take this opportunity of thanking each one of you who took the time to respond.

Because of this tremendous interest and response, I plan to send out similar questionnaires at least once during every session of Congress. I feel that this will help in staying in close contact with the people of our district, and will better able me to serve as your Representative in Congress.

The results have been tallied and are listed below so that you may see how your opinions compare with those of others responding:

1. Do you favor the Safeguard Anti-Ballistic Missle System as proposed by the President?
   Yes – 64.1% No – 11.7% No Comment – 24.2%
2. Would you like to see the Post Office Dept. converted to a private non-profit corporation?
   Yes – 66.3% No – 25.4% No Comment – 8.3%
3. Federal judges are now appointed for life. Should they have their appointments reviewed every few years by the Congress?
   Yes – 89.0% No – 8.8% No Comment – 2.2%
4. Would you favor an increase in the personal exemption of Federal income tax from $600 to $1,200?
   Yes – 92.1% No – 6.0% No Comment – 1.9%
5. Do you favor lowering the voting age to 18?
   Yes - 40.1% No – 56.4% No Comment – 3.5%
6. Would you favor a gradual change to a completely volunteer military force from our present system?
   Yes – 39.6% No – 53.5% No Comment – 6.9%
7. Do you favor the admission of Communist China to the United Nations?
   Yes – 15.1% No – 79.9% No Comment – 9.0%
8. Electoral College – Do you favor;
   a. Abolish it and elect the President by direct popular vote? Yes – 59.3%
   b. Apportion the electoral votes of each state on the basis of the candidates' vote in that state? Yes – 21.3%
   c. Award electoral votes by congressional districts? Yes – 9.0%
   d. Leave as it is? Yes – 10.4%
9. Vietnam – Do you favor:
   a. Renewed bombing of North Vietnam if the Paris peace talks fail? Yes – 43.8%
   b. A gradual withdrawal of U.S. troops regardless of the outcome of the Paris negotiations? Yes – 22.4%
   c. A coalition government in Saigon, including the Viet Cong? Yes – 9.1%
   d. Continued military aid to the South Vietnamese government? Yes – 24.7%
10. What issue facing our nation concerns you the most?
    Vietnam – 21.4 Domestic crime and riots – 43.8%
    Inflation – 21.6% Other – 13.2%

Among other issues most often named in the tenth question were: waste in government spending, excessive taxation, and lack of morality.

I invite your coments on this or any other matter of interest to you. Write me as follows: Congressman Walter Flowers, Washington, D. C. 20515.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the terms of that mortgage executed on the 7th day of June, 1966, by Reggie N. Brasher and wife Connie Brasher to Jim Walter Corporation which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, in Record of Mortgage, Book 301, Page 426, 427, and default continuing, and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the following described property will be sold at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the Courthouse door of said County, during the legal hours of sale, on the 28th day of August, 1969.

Commence at the Southeast corner of the Northeast ¼ of the Southwest ¼ of Section 29, Township 19, Range 1 West, run thence West along South line of said ¼ Section, 365 feet to the Point of beginning. Run North along Coy B. Brasher line a distance of 120 feet, turn West and parallel to South line of said ¼ Section and run a distance of 200 feet; thence turn North and parallel to West line of said ¼ section a distance of 90 feet; thence turn West and parallel to South line of said ¼ section to a point on West line of said ¼ Section. Said point being 210 feet North of the Southwest corner of said ¼ Section. Turn South and run 210 feet to Southwest corner. Turn East along South line of said ¼ section a distance of 965 feet to the Point of Beginning. Situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt and cost of foreclosure, and will be conducted by the Assignee of the mortgage, Mid-State Homes, Inc.

R.A. Norred, Attorney
Birmingham 3, Alabama
7-24,31, – 8-7,14,'69 †56.

Cotton spurred the Industrial Revolution in England.

RETIRES - - Miss Clara Crim retired from Siluria Mills on August 1 after 30 years of service as a battery hand in the weaving department. She is a native of Shelby County and now resides at Siluria, Rt. 1.

Siluria man space engineer

Mr. and Mrs. Herman W. Wooten, who live near the Smokey Road, Rt. 1, Siluria, have had special interest in the space program. Their son, Lynn B. Wooten of Andover, Mass., has worked as an engineer with RCA Airborne Systems since 1957, on radar and electronic counter measures for the space program.

He has degrees from Tulane University and the University of Pennsylvania.

Reach family plans reunion

The family and friends of Sam Reach of Siluria, Rt 1, will gather at his home on Sunday, August 17, to hold a reunion and to observe the passing of his 83rd birthday. All friends and members of this family are cordially invited to bring a basket lunch and share this occasion with him.

With our men

Army Specialist Four Oliver D. Collum Jr., 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver D. Collum, Route 1, Calera, was assigned as an electrician with the 20th Engineer Brigade in Vietnam, July 8.

His wife, Linda, lives on Route 1, Thorsby.

* * * *

Army Major Dudley J. Budrich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Budrich of Route 1, Valleydale Road, Helena, is serving in Viet aboard the USS Mt. McKinley.

The Mt. McKinley is the flagship of Amphibious Group Three which controls the amphibious forces of the U. S. Seventh Fleet.

He is serving on the staff of Rear Admiral E. M. Rosenberg.

State of Alabama
Shelby County

Notice is hereby given that a bill substantially as follows will be introduced in the Legislature of Alabama and application for its passage and enactment will be made, to-wit:

AN ACT

Relating to Shelby County; authorizing any bank situated within the county to open, establish, operate and maintain branch banks, branch offices or other places of business within a certain area within said county.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

SECTION 1. When permitted by its charter and bylaws and approved by the State Banking Department, any bank situated in Shelby County shall be authorized to open, establish, operate and maintain branch banks, branch offices or other places of business for the receipt of deposits, payment of checks and conducting a general banking business within the following described area in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit: said area being bounded on the south by County Highway No. 11; on the east by a line running parallel to and one-half mile east of U. S. Highway No. 280 as the same will be located when the present construction thereon is completed; on the north by the Jefferson County line; and on the west by a line running parallel to and one-half mile west of U. S. Highway No. 31; provided, however, no branch banks shall be established within 5 miles of any presently established bank.

SECTION 2. All laws or parts of laws which conflict with this Act are repealed.

SECTION 3. This Act shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor or upon its otherwise becoming a law.

July 31, Aug. 7, 14, 21, 1969 †66.

LEGAL NOTICE
PROBATE COURT

Estate of Thelma Laxson Dearing Deceased.

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 4th day of August, 1969 by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Harry William Dearing, Jr.
Executor of the Estate of
Thelma Laxson Dearing, Deceased
8-7,14,21, 1969 †69

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Alabama Highway Department is considering giving approval on July 30, 1969 of major design features pertaining to the location described in advertisements and would have been presented at a Public Hearing opportunity for which was advertised in the June 12 and 19, 1969 issues of the Shelby County Reporter.

The description is as follows:

Construction of an interchange off of and adjacent to Interstate 65 at Shelby County Airport. Beginning at station 15+00 on County Road 87 in NW¼ of NW¼, Section 32 and ends at 40+00 in NW¼ of SW¼, Section 29, T-29-S, R-2-W in Shelby County. All information concerning this route request is available for public inspection at the office of Resident Engineer, State Highway Department, located at Camp Childersburg, Childersburg, Alabama.
8-7,69 †67

Card of Thanks

We deeply appreciate the many kindnesses and sympathy shown us at the time of our recent sorrow by our friends and relatives in Calera and the employees of the Baggett Transportation Co.

Family of Troy Cephus Flippo

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CALERA RECREATION WINNERS - - Ricky Cairns (right), co-ordinator of the recreation program in Calera, is shown above with division winners. They are (from left) Leslie Holcombe, third place winner; Pat Childers and Kenny Dale Cost, second place winners; and Tim Watley and Tommy Lucas, first place winners. Trophies were awarded to the young athletes during a party climaxing the program last Friday in Calera.

Alabaster, Siluria compete for water service expansion

By Marcia M. Sears

Which town will send water to Moore's Cross Roads – Siluria or Alabaster?

A conflict over water line extension came to light Monday when mayors of the two towns appeared before the county Board of Revenue to request easements through county property.

Jack Farmer, Mayor of Siluria, told the Board that Siluria had been making plans for some time to extend water down Highway 119 and for a distance both east and west of the highway. Siluria's plan includes the Smokey Road, the Hawkins' Iron Road, Elliottsville, Ebenezer community, and Moore's Cross Roads.

Alabaster's Mayor, L. C. Payne, said that Alabaster plans to serve the same area as an extension of the line it is running to Dogwood and Maylene.

Fast growing Thompson High School has created a critical sewerage system problem for Siluria. The Town has a federal grant of $42,000 available and has requested additional funds from the Farmer's Home Administration. The government agency recommends Siluria expand its water system to qualify for the loan.

Siluria's engineering has been nearly completed for the water extension, based on pledges signed last spring by about 75 residents of the disputed area.

Alabaster said it has petitions and $2,200 in connecting fees that it collected in July from persons in the same area.

Farmer told the Board he did not know of Alabaster's plans for water extension down Highway 119, until very recently. Farmer indicated he had advised Payne of Siluria's need to extend lines there in early summer.

Both towns have also asked the State Highway Department for easements along Highway 119. A highway engineer told the mayors Monday that both towns could have easements if they wanted.

For the county, the problem is complicated by the expected population expansion. A decision here would affect later decisions to be made in other sections of the county.

As Board Chairman Fowler said, "Our responsibility is to try to see the best system to serve the needs of the people outside the municipal areas." He pointed out, "The people outside city limits don't have a city council to go to -- they have to come to us."

Fowler suggested the Board should have engineering proposals on the exact specifications the two towns have in mind, including the number of fire plugs, size of pipe, etc.

Alabaster intends to run water lines and natural gas

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County education board plans vocational high school

The county's application for a vocational high school has been sent to the proper authorities in Montgomery and Washington by the Board of Education.

Assistant Superintendent Edward "Ted" Lansford told the Reporter that plans for the proposed school have been worked out in detail. Both a teaching program and an architect's drawing have been submitted for funding by the State Department of Education and the Appalachia program.

Lansford conducted studies of population, educational levels and needs of industry in the county to back up the figures used in the application.

An enrollment of 979 is projected for the 1970-71 school year if the vocational school is approved. Lansford pointed out that 2,107 resident school-age students in the county are disadvantaged and could profit from courses at such a school.

Among the statements used to substantiate the county's request for funding were:

"A large portion of the existing labor force does not possess the skills required by modern industry and commerce." "Only 60 per cent who enroll in the first grade finish high school in the county."

"Of high school graduates, 20 per cent continue their education; 50 per cent of those entering colleges and universities finish. Therefore, only about six per cent of our youngsters get prepared for a specific occupation."

Lansford expects that enrollments in business education courses at the school would draw 165 students the first year, followed in popularity by auto mechanics and home economics with 100 each. Other courses planned would have between 40 and 60 students the first year, including electricity, cosmetology, refrigeration and air conditioning, diesel and farm machinery, radio-tv repair and electronics.

A one-mill tax would have to be approved by the voters of Shelby County as the county's contribution toward funding the school.

The County Board of Education has an option on 20 acres of land in the Columbiana area as the proposed site for the school, subject to approval of the State Department of Education.

Alabama College awards degrees

Alabama College will award bachelor and graduate degrees to some 105 candidates in summer commencement activities at the Montevallo campus Friday evening.

Principal speaker at the 7:30 p.m. program in Palmer Auditorium will be Dr. Eric Rodgers, Dean of the Graduate School at the University of Alabama in Tuscaloosa. Dr. Rodgers' address is entitled "Our Changing World".

The 1969 summer program will see the last group of students receive degrees from Alabama College. On Sept. 1 the 73-year-old institution changes name and status becoming the University of Montevallo.

Members of the graduating class, their families and guests will be honored at a reception in Reynolds Hall following the graduation program.

Candidates for degrees from Shelby County are:

Master of Arts in Teaching: Wilson Cratie Corbett, Elsie S. Hilton, Montevallo; Richard S. Gilliam, Calera; Frederick F. Gleason, Jr., Siluria; Kathleen B. Owens, Helena.

Bachelor of Arts: Miriam Jean Daniel, Sharon F. LaBorde, Johnny Shivers, Robert D. Walters, Montevallo, Emily Jean Baker, Wilsonville, Joe Wayne Springer, Calera.

Bachelor of Science: Wallis A. Harrison, Lawrence R. Jones, Margaret S. Maher, Richard R. Patterson, Jr., Montevallo; Phillip Hugh Oakes, Vincent; Sharon Ruth Pitts, Helena.

Store opens in Alabaster

The first retail store devoted exclusively to footwear in the county will have its grand opening in the Alabaster Shopping Center today.

Southern Footstores, Inc., operated by Richard Pharo will handle all types of shoes for all members of the family.

Pharo is a veteran of 20 years with the U. S. Air Force, having served in Europe, Thiland and Vietnam. He is a Birmingham native, married with three children.

The shoes sold in the store will be manufactured by Endicott-Johnson, the third largest shoe manufacturer in the world.

TROPHY WINNERS - - Members of the Calera Babe Ruth team (from left) Gary Hadaway, Mickey Crawford and Steve Golden display trophies earned for outstanding participation in the program. Hadaway and Golden were selected All-Stars and Crawford led the Calera team in hitting.

Calera youths win trophies in recreation program events

Tim Watley and Tommy Lucas received trophies Friday for first place finishes in their division of the Calera summer recreation program.

Receiving second place trophies in their division were Pat Childress and Kenny Dale Cost. Third place winners were Hank Pearson and Leslie Holcombe.

Placing among the top five finishers were Corky Harris and Mickey Crawford in the teenage division and Dale Palmer, Ricky Crawford and Dale Brasher in the boys division.

Fifty boys participated in the program consisting of weekly tournaments under the direction of Ricky Cairns, summer program coordinator.

The Calera summer recreation program closed Friday with a party for all participants climaxing a very successful year, according to Cairns.

The main attraction of the program was the swimming pool where an average of 75 children and adults attended daily. Supervised swimming lessons were conducted at the pool for eight weeks by Cairns and Tim Whatley.

Pool attendants this year were Mrs. Billy Geeslin, Tim Watley, Steve Golden, Sharon Scott, Bruce Humphries and Gary Hadaway.

The recreation center, under the supervision of Linda Salmons, was open to all Calera children during the summer.

Rueben Hayes managed the Calera Babe Ruth team. Mickey Crawford led the team in hitting and Gary Hadaway and Steve Golden were selected all-stars.

Members of the Calera Park and Recreation Board are Dr. Thomas Slaughter, chairman; Warren G. Findley, treasurer; William Watts, councilman; A. V. Parmer, member in charge of pool; and Mrs. Phyliss Holcombe, member in change of recreation hall.

Roberts seeks board approval

John Henry Roberts of Montevallo asked the county Board of Revenue Monday to grant him authority to become a fixed base operator at the Shelby County airport.

If granted, he would be the second operator at the facility. Dick Miree was awarded the first contract when the airport went into operation a few years ago.

Roberts proposed to build ten enclosed T-hangars and an administration building.

The county would have to extend a road and provide other work to provide access to Roberts' proposed buildings.

Board chairman Conrad Fowler noted the county cannot grant an "exclusive" contract because the airport was built with public funds. He noted the requirement for a fixed base operator include offering flight instruction, fuel for general aviation needs, four rental planes, charter service, repair service with licensed mechanics and a full range of services during daylight hours.

Under the present contract the county receives 1½ cents for each gallon on gasoline sold, a percentage of hangar rent and other considerations. The Board expressed disappointment that revenue from the airport is much lower than predictions had indicated it would be.

The Board asked Roberts to furnish a detailed proposal in writing.

Dick Miree appeared before the Board in the afternoon. No definite action was taken by the Board Monday on the matter.

Alabama stamp now available

Now that the new Alabama stamp is in circulation picturing the camellia and yellow hammer as the state's official flower and bird, we havybeen asked when the camellia was adopted as the state's official flower. As we recall this incident, there was quite a controversy over changing the state's flower when it was brought up in legislative halls, but the camellia finally won out

Grand Jury backs tax

The one-cent proposed county tax on gasoline was endorsed by the grand jury last week. After hearing an account of the road revenue situation by the chairman of the Board of Revenue, the grand jury urged the voters to approve the tax when an election is held on the matter in September.

The grand jury commended the county governing body for purchasing a loud speaker system for the court room.

It also recommended that measures be taken to secure prisoners properly in the county jail. Concern was expressed about the number of prison excapes both from the jail and while doing hard labor for the county.

Of the 77 cases presented to the grand jury, 23 were dismissed as "no bills", two were continued and the remaining 52 cases were returned as felonies.

Judge Ingram issues temporary injunction

"We're here and we're going to be here" is the way one striker at the Columbiana Elastic Corporation put it Tuesday morning.

Picketing continued as the strike entered its second week for recognition of the United Textile Workers of America as bargaining agent.

Several incidents occured during the week which prompted the company to obtain a temporary injunction against the U.T.W.A. and 39 named persons. Circuit Judge Kenneth Ingram issued the injunction Saturday, enjoining those named from eight specific acts.

The first prohibited the use of threats, intimidation, assault, force and violence against those who continue to work at the plant.

Other acts enjoined included throwing nails on company driveways, abusive or threatening phone calls, chasing employees as they travel to and from work, blocking company driveways, damaging personal property and throwing objects at the homes of company employees.

During the week preceding the injunction five or six warrants were filed in the Sheriff's office by persons on both management and labor sides of the issue. Among charges were assault and battery, presenting weapons, carrying concealed weapons and throwing tacks on the company driveway.

Reports indicate that the National Labor Relations Board will conduct a hearing on August 22 to set a date for an election among the employees to determine if the majority want to be represented by the U.T.W.A.

The election probably cannot be arranged before the middle of September.

Joe Murray, Manager of the Elastic Corporation, said that two full shifts were working as of Tuesday at the plant and several new workers have been hired. He added that more of the regular employees are returning each day.

The plant normally has between 175 and 200 employees engaged in the manufacture of many varieties of elastic webbing.

SUMMER REFLECTIONS - - A hot August sun reflects from the shimmering surface of Oak Mountain State Lake as a diver heads for the refreshing clear water. The mountain lake is a favorite spot for Shelby Countains and people from the surrounding area to spend the day soaking up the sun, swimming, boaring and fishing. (Photos by Ed Blake)

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

Sound equipment for the courtroom has been ordered from Turner Communications Co., Inc. of Birmingham. The system will consist of an amplifier, two sound columns and four microphones at a cost of $765.

Vacations at the Turner Company and use of the courtroom during the past three weeks have prevented installation of the equipment. It is understood that the system will be installed as soon as possible.

Sheriff's deputies arrested Walter C. Scroggins of Columbiana who was charged with assult with attempt to murder last weekend. Bond was set at $3,000. The alleged incident took place on the Egg and Butter Road.

A raid in Shelby resulted in the confiscation of several cases of beer and whiskey. Dewey Carden was arrested in connection with the case.

Water

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lines in the same trench. Siluria's plan does not include gas. W. M. Farris, Chairman of Alabaster's Gas and Water Board indicated at the meeting, "We'd like to serve Siluria. We could do it cheaper because we're in the business." He also said Alabaster has added Pea Ridge to its water and gas extension plans.

Alabaster floated a bond issue in early spring when it took over the work planned by the Dogwood Water Authority and has begun laying pipe to Dogwood. Alabaster's position is that with money already available, it can offer service sooner to the Highway 119 area.

Siluria Mills formerly operated the water system for the entire town of Siluria, but it turned it over to the Town some time ago. The Thompson School complex has always been furnished water at no cost, town spokesmen said.

At present, none of the homes in Siluria have water meters but are charged flat rates up to $3.50 per month for water and sewerage.

Further consideration of the matter will be made by the county Board of Revenue next Monday.

IT'S A GIRL!

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith of Jemison are the parents of a baby girl born July 31. They have named this "little new-comer" Rejeana Jeanna. She weighed seven pounds and eleven ounces.

Prizes for winners–

Fair exhibits open for entries

Beef, hog and farm produce exhibits for the Shelby County fair are now open for entries.

Hereford and angus bulls and heifers are $5 per entry. All hogs are $5, including Landrace, Yorkshire, Hampshire, Duroc and Crossbreed.

Farm products, corn, hay, pumpkin, squash, apples, watermelons and peanuts have $3 first prize, $2.50 second, and $1.50 third. All canned fruits, peaches, pears, apples, apple sauce, and blackberries are $2 first prize, $1.50 second prize, and $1.00 third.

First prize for canned vegetables is $2.00, second $1.50, and third $1.00. Entries in this catagory include tomatoes, snap beans, soup mixtures, tomato juice, field peas, white lima beans, carrots, cream style corn, okra, white peas, colored limas, squash and beets.

A $2.00 first prize, $1.50 second and $1.00 third prize accompany canned preserve winners, including pears, peaches, figs, watermelon rind, apples, strawberries and blackberries.

Canned jellies, blackberry, grape, apple, scuppernong, plum and pepper, have a $2.00 first prize, $1.50 second and $1.00 third.

Canned pickles, fruit or vegetable, have a $2.00 first prize, $1.50 second, and $1.00 third.

Potted flower winners earn a $2.00 first prize, $1.50 second and $1.00 third for African violets, flowering begonia, cactus, Sultana, miniature tree, palm, ferns, and begonias.

Each art entry will receive $1.50 for exhibiting his work, and $4.00, $3.00, $2.00 prizes go to first, second and third. Classes for entry are out-door scenes, still life, arrangements, china, ceramics and pen and ink.

Executive branch overhaul receives backing from Brewer

by Phil Smith

A bill to prepare the way for a complete overhaul of the executive branch of government in Alabama is high on the list of those being promoted in the Legislature by Governor Albert Brewer.

This legislation, being sponsored in the Senate by C.C. "Bo" Torbert, Jr. of Opelika, would create a commission of citizens and Legislators to make a thorough study of the administration of state government. The commission would consult with management experts, and would prepare bills for the executive branch revision in time for the 1971 Regular Legislative Session.

With the number of state boards, agencies, and commissions approaching 200, and with more being created every time the Legislature meets, the administrative structure of state government in Alabama has grown completely out of hand.

Not even the governor has the staff or the legal means at his disposal to keep informed fully on the activities of all these groups, and to ensure that they act only in the best interests of the state. In many instances, once the particular agency or board has received its appropriation, there are no further checks and balances on it whatsoever except through court action.

This cumbersome machinery has grown over the years without any rational pattern. Its effect is to weaken state government in Alabama beyond all reasonable bounds, and at the same time to create the possibility of serious bureaucratic abuses of the public.

Most of these various boards have the power to make rules and regulations which are just as effective and just as important as Acts of the Legislature, but without the legislative safeguards built into the constitution. By their very nature, most of them work without the glare of publicity that falls constantly on the Legislature and on the governor.

Some drastic simplification of this whole structure is necessary so that public sentiment will actually control these groups, through publicly elected officials in the Legislature and in the governor's office.

Governor Brewer and many Legislators recognize this problem, and intend to see that its solution gets a start in this session of the Legislature.

Youths join dairy assoc.

Five county youth have joined the junior membership of Holstein-Friesian Association of America. Mike Howard, Sterrett; Len Lacey, Siluria; Robin Miller, Vincent; Corey B. Moore, Sterrett; and Calep Nelson Morris of Columbiana are among the 13,800 members of the organization.

Requirements include completion of one year's work in a 4-H or vo-ag dairy project, and ownership of at least one registered Holstein.

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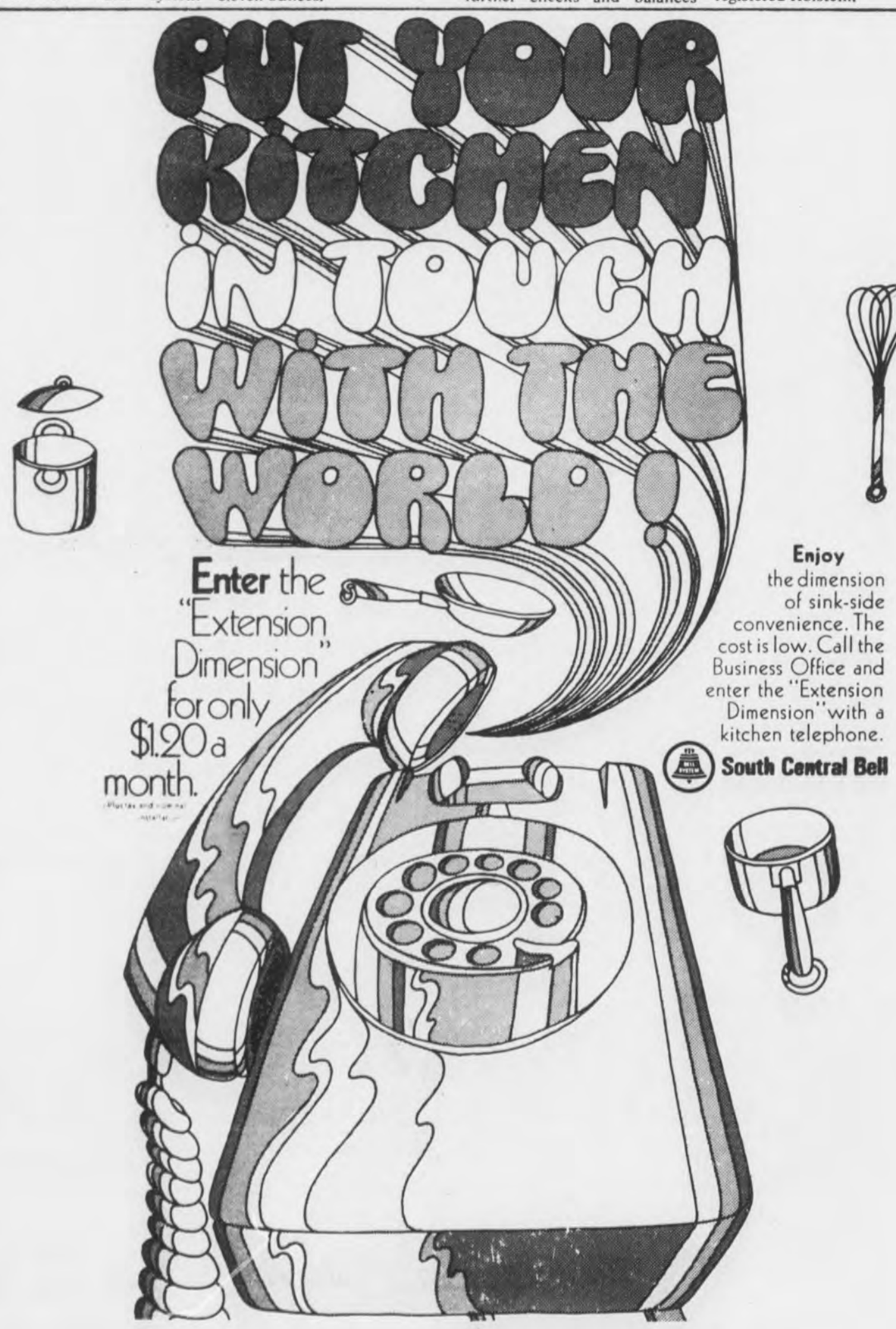

Legal Notice

Estate of Lotitia P. Davis Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters of administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 23rd day of July, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Helen P. Randall
Administratrix of the Estate of Lotitia P. Davis, deceased 7-31, 8-7,14, 1969 †62.

Legal Notice
Estate of E. J. Keith Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 23rd day of July, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Lela Keith
as Executrix of Last Will & Testament of E. J. Keith, deceased 7-31, 8-7,14, 1969 †65.

FORESTRY STUDY - - County 4–H members attending a forestry training meeting near Centreville are from left, Bobby Walker, Vincent; James Frost, Rt. 1, Calera; John Jones, extension farm agent; Jimmy McCullers, Columbiana and Jef Carroll, Helena.

Helena Civitan Club sponsors campaign

The Helena Civitan Club and the official personnel of the Town of Helena are jointly sponsoring a clean up campaign through the month of August.

The program began August 1, and will continue through August 30. The town-wide civic improvement includes clearing yards, painting and improving all property.

As an incentive to make Helena a cleaner and a more beautiful town in which to live, a $50.00 prize will be awarded to the individual owner who shows the greatest improvement; and a $25.00 award will go to the second highest achievement in this Clean-Up–Paint-Up–Fix-Up project.

Impartial judges have been selected who will make the final selection for the awards.

Training Union tours courthouse

The Training Union of the Florence Baptist Church toured the courthouse last Wednesday.

They observed a trial in progress and visited the jail. Later they toured the Shelby County Reporter, where the typesetting and addressing machines were demonstrated for them.

Mrs. Terry Stone, leader of the group, accompanied them.

Attending were: Joe Wheeler, Debra Stone, Connie Turner, Debbie Turner, Cindy Ray, Sidney Wheeler, Eddie Turner, Cathy Blevins, Misty Thornburg, Pam Hughes, Karen Ray, and Janice Coleman.

Chelsea Baptist Revival

Revival services will be held at the Pleasant Valley Free Will Baptist Church at Chelsea from August 17 to the 23rd. Services will begin at 7:30 p.m. each evening.

Rev. Thurmon Murphy will be the guest evangelist. Pastor of the church is Rev. J. J. Stab. Mrs. Mary Shirley is publicity chairman.

Workshop set at hospital

A diabetes workshop, for persons suffering from diabetes as well as for doctors and nurses will be held on Tuesday, August 19 at Shelby Memorial Nursing Home.

The Workshop, arranged by Mrs. Sue H. Baldwin, director of in-service education, will feature Dr. Roy F. Roddam as lecturer on diabetes. Dr. Roddam is the director of continuing medical education for Baptist Hospitals.

All interested persons are invited to attend the workshop in the nursing home dining area at 8.30 p.m.

LEGAL NOTICE
Estate of Mary Elizabeth Tatum, Deceased.
PROBATE COUR.

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of August, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

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As Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Mary Elizabeth Tatum, deceased. 8-14, 21, 28, 1969 †71

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Miss Anderson weds Michael D. Yessick

The wedding of Sherry Diane Anderson and Michael Dale Yessick of Alabaster took place Friday night at the Enon Baptist Church near Montevallo. The Rev. Horace E. Kimbrel officiated.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Lee Anderson. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Edgar Yessick.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an Empire gown of white satin peau de soie accented with lace appliques.

Susan Crow and Mrs. Thomas Neil Anderson were honor attendants. Bridesmaids were Anita Mahaffey and Brenda Milstead.

Steve Brandenburg served as best man. Tommy Anderson, Allen Logan and Butch White were ushers.

A reception at the church followed the ceremony.

After a wedding trip, the couple will be at home in Alabaster.

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The Merrell Lakeside home on Spring Lake was the scene of a congenial group during the past week end who enjoyed the gracious hospitality extended them by Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Merrell. They included Mrs. W. E. Finley, Selma, Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Johnson, Susan and Ken Johnson of Andalusia; M/Sgt. Bobby Johnson, Mrs. Johnson and daughters, Dena and Jerry, formerly of Ft. Bragg, who were en route to Phenix, Arizona.

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Mrs. Clayton Pruette, who resided in Columbiana during the time her late husband, Clayton Pruette, was pastor of the First Baptist Church, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ross B. Mullins, Wednesday. Mrs. Pruette now resides in Montgomery.

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Following a visit in the home of her kinsman H. M. Gordon and Mrs. Gordon, Miss Helen Ruth Copeland has returned to her home in New York.

Society Page And Personal Mention

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

New faces in town

Columbiana's age-old face is taking on a more attractive appearance this week and here's the reason why – progressive owners of down town property have ordered a paint up fix-up job for their commercial investments on Main.

We paused on our way to work this morning for a talk with our long-time friend W. T. Bradley who, with his corps of painters, was busily engaged in mounting ladders with buckets of paint, getting ready to wield their brushes in a complete renovation of commercial property on Main Street.

For instance, the Bradley Brothers stated that they had been engaged to paint the Buck Falkner property which includes the building formerly occupied by the Dollar Store and Curt's Cleaners. Also the Gordon property which includes the old postoffice building, Columbiana Cleaners, Leo Foster's Barber Shop, Fulton's Feed and Seed Store, Delilah's Beauty Shop and B-Lovely Beauty Shop. Perhaps there are other buildings on the agenda for a "paint-up-fix-up" job we have not heard about.

This movement on the part of these property owners, we hope, will start the ball rolling and stimulate a campaign for town-wide improvement of property and waste places.

Hundreds of visitors will soon be coming into our town to enjoy the Shelby County Fair. There will also be transient guests who will judge our town by her looks. If – as the old saying goes – "Cleanliness is next to godliness" – Columbiana – in some places – is a long way from "godliness".

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Miss Helen Ruth Copeland of New York City is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gordon.

Bill Clark, Veterans Service Officer, is attending a Work Conference in Montgomery this week. He will be back in his office Thursday, August 21.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harlin will fly to Miami, Saturday, for a belated vacation.

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Mr. and Mrs. Neal Stinson have returned home after spending a vacation in Goodlettsville, Tenn. where they were guests of their daughter Mrs. Jimmy Crabtree and Mr. Crabtree. They also visited relatives in Murfreesboro and Tullahoma, Tenn.

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Buster Suttle and three of his classmates at Yale University are camping out for a week in the Smokey Mountains near Gatlinburg.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Jones will host the "Youth Yaks" recreation activity at their home Thursday evening. The program will be directed by Gaines Hyche and a watermelon cutting on the lawn will follow the planned event.

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Regret to learn that Mrs. J. L. Davis is a patient in Shelby Memorial this week. Also Bruce Alverson, Mrs. Claudia Woolley and E. J. Sullivan.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leon Farr have returned from an extended visit in Texas and she has resumed her clerical position with Columbiana Five and Ten.

SUNNY FAY MOORE

ELIZABETH TAYLOR

Two seek crown as Maid of Cotton

Two contestants for the title of Shelby County Maid of Cotton were announced this week by the County Farm Bureau.

Miss Sunny Fay Moore, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Moore, Jr. of Sterrett is sponsored by the Vincent Ladies Quarterback Auxiliary. A graduate of Vincent High School, she will be a sophomore at the University of Montevallo this fall, majoring in elementary education.

At VHS she edited the annual, was the Girls' State representative, a member of the paper staff, the Spanish Club and FHA.

Miss Elizabeth Alison Taylor, 19, is being sponsored in the contest by the Montevallo Chamber of Commerce. A graduate of Montevallo High School, she represented the school at State Youth Government Day, and was a member of Tri-Hi-Y and an FHA recreation leader.

Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Taylor of Montevallo. She is majoring in home economics at the University of Montevallo.

A REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

We have been requested to seek information relating to the Harper family who are reported to have lived here years ago. If you know of anyone who can give us some authentic facts regarding Amelia Harper, Liza Harper, Harriet Harper or Johnny Harper, it will be greatly appreciated.

The same applies to inquiries regarding the Saxon family. Mail to my box number 827 at Columbiana or call 669-6217.

IT'S A BOY!

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Sheffield announce the arrival of a son who was born in Bessemer Memorial Hospital August 4, 1969. They have named the little new comer Jeffrey Allen. Grandparents in Columbiana are Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Sheffield.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Holcombe, George Jr., and Wayne Holcombe are enjoying a vacation in Panama City, Fla., this week.

Miss Graben to wed David M. Horton

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel V. Graben of Route 1, Helena announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Barbara to David Michael Horton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow W. Horton of Columbiana.

Grandparents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Colman Graben of Lineville and Mrs. S. C. Yates of Lanette and the late D. L. McDonald.

Mr. Horton is the grandson of Mrs. John T. Horton of Columbiana and the late Mr. Horton, and Mrs. A. J. Garrett of Clanton and the late Leroy N. Cain.

The wedding will be held in the First Baptist Church of Pelham on August 23 at 6:00 p.m.

All friends and relatives are invited.

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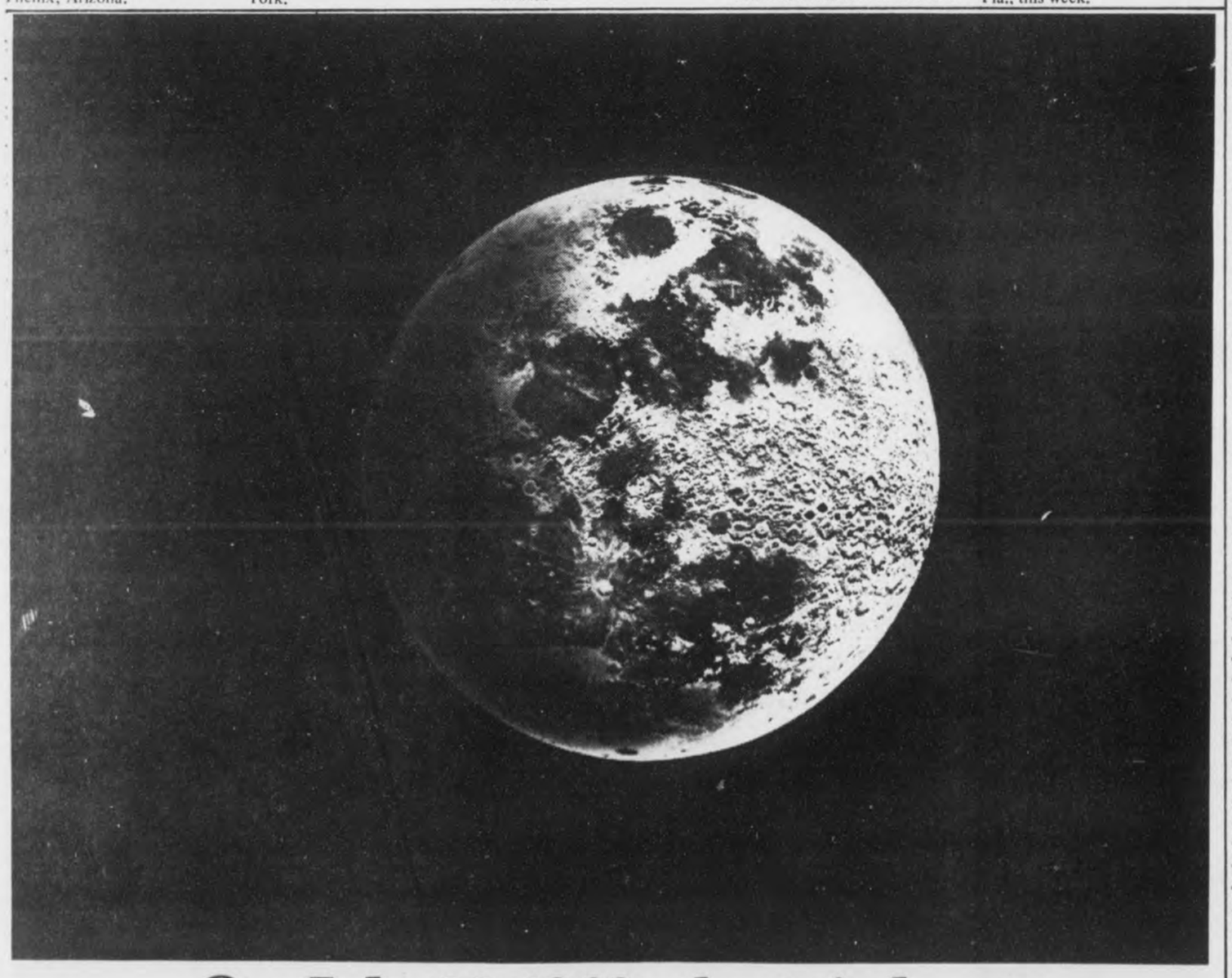
The Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Scroggins will leave for a two weeks vacation Aug. 21. Guest ministers will supply during his absence. On the evening of Aug. 24, at the regular worship hour, the Leon Westerhouse Music Evangelism Team will present a Sermon-in-Song service. On Sunday evening, Aug. 31, the choirs, under the direction of Gaines Hyche, will present several numbers, and the congregation will be allowed to suggest the rendition of their favorite hymns for this evening in music presentation.

Miss Fulton honored

Ante-bellum Arlington in Birmingham last Saturday furnished the setting for a luncheon and kitchen shower honoring Miss Dawn Fulton, bride-elect of Alan Suttle. Hostesses for this pre-nuptial event were: Mrs. Karl C. Harrison, Mrs. Harold Harlin, Mrs. Billy Smith, Sr., Mrs. Skipper Smith, and Mrs. Leon Meyers.

The luncheon table was centered with an arrangement of star shaped chrysanthemums in yellow and white. Following the delectable menu, gifts were presented the honoree and a tour of historic Arlington enjoyed.

Guests included: Misses Dawn Fulton, Anita Sloan, Nan Hill, Shirley Wallace, Charlene Falkner, Dianne Peyton; and Mrs. Johnny McGraw, Mrs. Allen Lee, Mrs. Frank Suttle, and Mrs. L. G. Fulton.



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Of course, the fact that electric heat costs less to install, doesn't need a chimney or flue and can actually boost the value of your home weren't the reasons for its choice. Our space agency had more to worry about than that.

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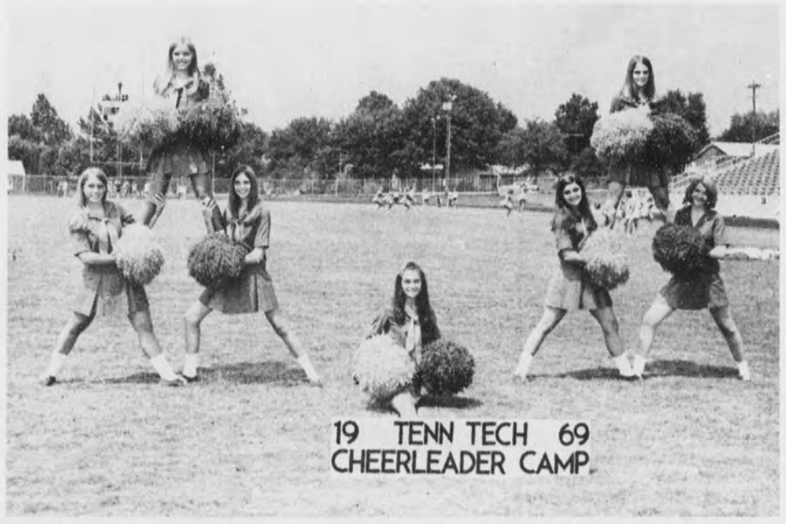

MONTEVALLO CHEERERS - - Members of the Montevallo High School cheering squad, who attended cheerleader camp recently in Cookville, Tenn., are (from left) Patricia Wyatt, Claire Tinsley, Judy Lien, Patti Lovelady, Jeanetta Corbett, Marilyn Winslett and Shirlene Morgan. The Montevallo Cheerleaders received ratings of excellent, honorable mention and three superior ratings from the judges.

Burks given housewarming

A housewarming for Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Burks was given Sunday, August 3rd at their new home in Columbiana.

Mrs. E. V. Headley greeted the guests and Mrs. Jack Dean and Mrs. Wayne Shaw gave an informal tour of the house.

The refreshment table was covered with an ecru cutwork cloth over green. Yellow gladolias and greenery decorated the table. An arrangement of bronze and yellow mums was in the living room. Mrs. Joe Smith and Mrs. Luther Dennis presided at the table.

Suitable flowers were used in the foyer and rest of the house.

Miss Joe Ann Higgins received the gifts and Mrs. Tina Ogle and Miss Janice Blackerby displayed the gifts.

Miss Debbie Burks registered the guests who called from 2 until 5 o'clock.

Hostesses included Mrs. Wayne Shaw, Mrs. Joe Smith, Mrs. E. V. Headley, Mrs. Jack Dean, Mrs. Luther Dennis, Mrs. Gerald Moore, Mrs. Tina Ogle and Miss Janice Blackerby.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Notice

Default having been made in the terms of that mortgage executed on the 20th day of July, 1963, by Bobby Joiner and wife, Judy Joiner to Jim Walter Corporation which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, in Record of Mortgage, Book 283, Page 792—3, and default continuing, and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the following described property will be sold at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the Courthouse door of said County, during the legal hours of sale, on the 28th day of August, 1969.

Begin at the Southeast corner of Noma Smith house; thene run North 43 degrees 00 minutes East for 110 feet to center line of Elotan Road for point of beginning; thence turn an angle 73 degrees right and down center line of said road 210 feet; thence turn 90 degrees left for 239 feet; thence turn an angle 90 degrees left for 210 feet; thence turn 90 degrees left for 239 feet to point of beginning, property located in NE¼ of NW¼ of Section 16, Township 21, Range 1 West, Shelby County, Alabama.

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R. A. Norred, Attorney
Birmingham, Alabama
35203

7-31, 8-7, 14, 21, 1969 †64.

LEGAL NOTICE
Estate of Ella Gardner Bearden Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of August, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

James R. Bearden
Executor of the Estate of Ella Gardner Bearden, Deceased
8-14,21,28, 1969 †70

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State of Alabama
Shelby County

Notice is hereby given that a bill substantially as follows will be introduced in the Legislature of Alabama and application for its passage and enactment will be made, to-wit:

AN ACT

Relating to Shelby County; authorizing any bank situated within the county to open, establish, operate and maintain a branch bank, a branch office or other place of business with a certain area within said county.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

SECTION 1. When permitted by its charter and bylaws, and approved by the State Banking Department, any bank situated in Shelby County shall be authorized to open, establish, operate and maintain a branch bank, branch office or other place of business for the receipt of deposits, payment of checks and conducting a general banking business within the following described area in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit: said area being bounded on the south by County Highway No. 11; on the east by a line running parallel to and one-half mile east of U. S. Highway No. 280 as the same will be located when the present construction thereon is completed; on the north by the Jefferson County line; and on the west by a line running parallel to and one-half mile west of U. S. Highway No. 31; provided, however, no branch bank shall be established within 5 miles of any presently established bank.

SECTION 2. All laws or parts of laws which conflict with this Act are repealed.

SECTION 3. This Act shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor, or upon its otherwise becoming a law.

7-24, 31, 8-7,14, 1969 †60.

Mortgage Foreclosure
Notice

Default having been made in the terms of that mortgage executed on the 9th day of August, 1967, by Monroe Dowdell and wife, Eva Mae Dowdell to Jim Walter Corporation which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, in Record of Mortgage, Book 306, Page 814-5, and default continuing, and by birtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the following described property will be sold at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the Courthouse door of said County, during the legal hours of sale, on the 9th day of September, 1969.

Commence at the SW corner of the above described SE¼-SW¼ and in an easterly direction along the south line of said quarter-quarter run a distance of 424.58 feet; thence turn angel of 77 deg. 10' to the left for a distance of 42.41 feet to the point of beginning; thence continue along the last named course for a distance of 210.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 77 deg. 41' fot the right for a distance of 210.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 102 deg. 18½' to the right for a distance of 210.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 77 deg. 41½' to the right for a distance of 210.0 feet to the point of beginning.

Said property being subject to an easement from the NW corner of said property to the public road. Said easement being 20.0 feet wide and 185.0 feet long and extending from said property to the public road for an access to said property. Property situated in the SE¼-SW¼ of Section 36, Township 20 South Range 3 West. For a source of title see Deed Book 249 Page 371.

Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt and cost of foreclosure. And will be conducted by Assignee of said mortgage, Mid-State Homes, Inc.

R. A. Norred, A**orney
Birmingham, Alabama 35203
7-31,8-7,14,21, 1969 †63.

State of Alabama
Shelby County

Notice is hereby given that a bill substantially as follows will be introduced in the Legislature of Alabama and application for its passage and enactment will be made, to-wit:

AN ACT

Relating to Shelby County; authorizing any bank situated within the county to open, establish, operate and maintain branch banks, branch offices or other places of business within a certain area within said county.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

SECTION 1. When permitted by its charter and bylaws and approved by the State Banking Department, any bank situated in Shelby County shall be authorized to open, establish, operate and maintain branch banks, branch offices or other places of business for the receipt of deposits, payment of checks and conducting a general banking business within the following described area in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit: said area being bounded on the south by County Highway No. 11; on the east by a line running parallel to and one-half mile east of U. S. Highway No. 280 as the same will be located when the present construction thereon is completed; on the north by the Jefferson County line; and on the west by a line running parallel to and one-half mile west of U. S. Highway No. 31; provided, however, no branch banks shall be established within 5 miles of any presently established bank.

SECTION 2. All laws or parts of laws which conflict with this Act are repealed.

SECTION 3. This Act shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor or upon its otherwise becoming a law.

July 31, Aug. 7, 14, 21, 1969 †66.

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF SHELBY

Notice is hereby given that a bill substantially as follows will be introduced in the Legislature of Alabama and application for its passage and enactment will be made, to-wit:

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Article 4, Section 106 Constitution of Alabama, that application will be made to the Legislature of Alabama for enactment of a local law applicable to the Town of Harpersville in substance as follows:

An Act to alter, re-arrange and extend the boundaries and corporate limits of the town of Harpersville so as to incorporate certain territory as described herein, to-wit:

Begin at the SE corner of the present Harpersville Town limits, which point is the SW corner of the NW¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence run East along the South line of said NW¼ of the SE¼ a distance of 660 ft, more or less, to the NW corner of the E½ of the SW¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34; Thence run South along the West line of said East ½ of the SW¼ of the SE¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the South line of Sec. 34; thence run East along the South line of said Sec. 34 a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the NW corner of the NE¼ of the NE¼ of the NE¼ of Sec. 3, T-20-S, R-2-E; thence run South along the West line of said NE¼ of the NE¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 660 ft; more or less, to the SW corner; thence run East along the South line of said NE¼ of the NE¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 660 ft, more or less, to the West line of Sec. 2, T-20-S, R-2—E; thence run South along the West line of said Sec. 2 a distance of 660 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of the NW¼ of the NW¼ of Sec. 2, T-20-S, R-2,E; thence run East along the South line of said NW¼ of the NW¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the SE corner; thence run South along the West line of the SE¼ of the NW¼ of said Sec. 2 a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the SW corner; thence run East along the South line of the SE¼ of the NW¼ and the SW¼ of the NE¼ of said Sec. 2, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the SE corner of said SW¼ of the NE¼;

thence run North along the East line of said SW¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less to the NE corner; thence run West along the North line of said SW¼ of the NE¼ a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the NW corner; thence run North along the East line of the NE¼ of the NW¼ of said Sec. 2, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the NE corner; thence continue North along the East line of S½ of the S½ of the SW¼ of Sec. 35, T-19-S, R-2-E a distance of 660 ft, more or less, to the NE corner; thence run West along the North line of said S½ of the S½ of the SW¼ a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the North West corner; thence run North along the East line of Sec. 34, a distance of 1320 ft., more or less, to the NE corner of the S½ of the NE¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence run West along the North line of said S½ of the NE¼ of the SE¼, of Sec. 34, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the NW corner; thence run North along the East line of the N½ of the NW¼ of the SE¼ and the S½ of the SW¼ of the NE¼ of said Sec. 34, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, thence run West along the North line of the S½ of the SW¼ of the NE¼ of Sec. 34, a distance of 1320, ft, more, or less, to the NW corner, and a point on the East line of the present Town limits; thence run South along the West line of the S½ of the SW¼ of the NE¼ and the NW¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 34, and the present Town limits line, a distance of 1980 ft, more or less, to the point of beginning; situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Also Begin at the SE corner of Sec. 21, T-19-S, R-2-E, and a point on the present city limits line; thence run North along the East line of said Sec. 21 a distance of 2656.73 ft. to the NE corner of the SE¼ of said sec. 21; thenceturn an angle of 90 deg. 13 min. to the left and run West along the North line of said SE¼ a distance of 2718.40 ft. to the NW corner of said SE¼; thence turn an angle of 89 deg. 48 min. to the right and run North along the East line of the SE¼ of the NW¼ a distance of 1338.64 ft. to the NE corner of said ¼ ¼ Sec; thence turn an angle of 89 deg. 35 min. to the left and run West along the North line of the S½ of the NW¼ of Sec. 21 a distance of 2727.98 ft. to the West line of Sec. 21; thence continue West along the North line of the S½ of the NE ¼ and the S½ of the NW¼ of Sec. 20, T-19-S, R-2-E a distance of 5280 ft., more or less, to the West line of said Sec. 20; thence run South along the West line of said Sec. 20 a distance of 3978.45 ft. to the SW corner of said Sec; thence turn an angle of 92 deg. 39 min. to the right and run West along the North line of Sec. 30, T-19-S, R-2-E a distance of 2690.00 ft. to the NW corner of the NE¼ of said Sec. 30; thence run South along the West line of the East ½ of Said Sec. 30 a distance of 3960 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of the N½ of the SE¼ of said Sec. 30; thence run East along the South line of said N½ of the SE¼ a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the West line of Sec. 29, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence run South along the West line of said Sec. 29 a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of said Sec. 29; thence run East along the South line of said Sec. 29 a distance of 3960 ft, more or less, to the SW corner of the East ½ of SE¼ of said Sec 29, and the West line of the present Town limits; thence run North along the West line of the E½ of the SE¼ of said Sec. 29, and the present Town limits line, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the NW corner of said E½ of the SE¼; thence run East along the North line of said E½ of the SE¼, and the present Town limits, a distance of 1320 ft, more or less, to the West line of Sec. 28, T-19-S, R-2-E; thence continue East along the South line of the NW¼ of said Sec. 28, and the present Town limits, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the SE corner of said NW¼; thence run North along the East line of said NW¼ and the present Town limits, a distance of 2640 ft, more or less, to the South line of Sec. 21, R-19-S, R-2-E; thence run East along the South line of said Sec. 21, and the present Town limits, a distance of 2699.26 ft, to the point of beginning, situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

July 24,31, Aug 7,14, 1969 †61.

MORTGAGE
FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Hampton D. Lee and wife, Exie Patrick Lee to the American National Bank of Birmingham (now known as National Bank of Commerce of Birmingham) on the 15th day of May, 1968, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Book 308, at Page 842, the undersigned American National Bank of Birmingham (now known as National Bank of Commerce of Birmingham) as mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the main entrance of the Court House at Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama,on the 25th day of August, 1969, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate situated in the town of Monte allo, Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lots 4,5, and 6 in Block G according to Map entitled "South Montevallo", as recorded in Map Book 3, Page 41 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.

This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.

American National Bank Of Birmingham
(now known as National Bank of Commerce of Birmingham)
Mortgagee

Albert E. Ritchey
Attorney for Mortgagee
7-31, 8-7, 14, 1969 †49.

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Four bedroom brick home in Indian Hills. Kitchen, dining room, living room, den, full basement. Approximately one acre lot. $39,500. Call Arthur Davis.

Two bedroom home in Pine Village, Lay Lake, near Shelby. Good water. Three extra lots. Call Arthur Davis

40 acres and new two-bedroom home with full basement. Spring Branch. Eight miles south of Montevallo. $15,000.

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Mrs. Viola Talton and children

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FOR SALE — 1967 Ford Fairlane 2-door hardtop, like new, low mileage. $1,295. Can be financed. Call 663-7767. 8-14, c.

FOR SALE — 1956 Plymouth Sedan — $195.00; 1965 station wagon Fairlane 500 — $1095.00. Call 669-6324 or 669-6336. 8-14, p.

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Legal Notices

LEGAL NOTICE
PROBATE COURT

Estate of Thelma Laxson Dearing Deceased.

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 4th day of August, 1969 by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Harry William Dearing, Jr.
Executor of the Estate of
Thelma Laxson Dearing, Deceased
8-7,14,21, 1969 †69

LEGAL NOTICE

Anchor Post Products, Inc. Texas hereby gives notice that they have completed contract with the State of Alabama for construction of Project No. CJF-000B(017) Fourth Division in Coosa, Macon, Shelby, Talladega and Tallapoosa Counties, and that the State has set the date for final settlement as August 31, 1969. All claims should be filed at our office in Birmingham, Alabama, 6506 - 1st Avenue South before date set for final settlement.

Anchor Post Products, Inc. Of Texas
7-24,31,8-7,14,'69 †59

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Obituary

Ibrey O. Hand

Funeral services for Ibrey O. Hand, 57, were conducted on August 1 in Tampa, Florida.

Mr. Hand was a native of Shelby County and moved to Florida several years ago.

He is survived by his widow, three daughters, three sons, two stepdaughters and one stepson, all of whom live out-of-state.

His seven sisters are: Mrs. Beatrice Malone, Mrs. Essie Cox, Mrs. Veomie Kiinstler, Maylene; Mrs. Madge T. Butler, Siluria; Mrs. Orphie Honeycutt, Birmingham; Mrs. Edith Morgan, Columbiana; Mrs. Zona Lakey, Grand Blanc, Michigan. He is also survived by one brother, R. M. Hand of Maylene.

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TENT FRAME - - Volunteers from several churches cooperate to put up the tent on the Helena school grounds for an area wide revival crusade. It will be held August 17 - 31, at 7:30 each evening with Frank Taylor as the evangelist. The finished tent will seat 1700 persons.

New Hope News

by Mrs. J. M. Denson

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Blackwell are leaving this week for a European Tour. While away they will visit France, Spain, Jerusalem and numbers of other places.

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Mr. Cecil Cowan of Bessemer visited Mr. and Mrs. Dudley McGuire on Cahaba Valley Road Wednesday.

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Mrs. Fabian Brashier and Mrs. Claude Winslett are spending several days in Ridgecrest, N.C. attending the W.M.U. Conference.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Davis have returned to their home in New Orleans after having been the guests of their daughter, Mrs. James Wright and family.

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The W.M.U. ladies of the Baptist Church organized a club for elderly matrons. They will enjoy a devotional and handwork, along with a social hour.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cross have returned from Huntsville where they spent the week end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Mullins.

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Mrs. Dora Bailey is improving at her home here after having surgery at the West End Baptist Hospital last week.

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Mrs. Owen DeShazo spent last week in the Carraway Methodist Hospital where she was in traction as the result of a slipped disc.

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Among other visitors here was Mr. Bill Self who came up from Montgomery to visit his sister, Mrs. Billy Sorrell and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Danny DeShazo have returned to their home in Atlanta after having been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Owen DeShazo and other relatives here.

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Mrs. Eddie Finch visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Maharry and other relatives in Birmingham Tuesday.

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The work on the extension of the auditorium of the Presbyterian Church is nearing completion.

Montevallo News

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Chapple of Brierfield, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sarah Ann, to Clifton Finis Lacey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton L. Lacey of Montevallo.

Miss Chapple is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie L. Rutledge of Brierfield and the late Mr. and Mrs. Son Cottingham.

Mr. Lacey is the grandson of the late Rev. and Mrs. George Woods of Montevallo and the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Lacey Sr. of Boothton.

Miss Chapple is a graduate of Henry D. Davidson High School in Centreville and Mr. Lacey is a graduate of Prentice High School in Montevallo.

The wedding will take place at 4 p.m. August 24 at Shiloh Baptist Church, Montevallo.

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John C. Owen of Montevallo presented a public trumpet recital last Friday on the University of Colorado campus.

Owen is an instructor of music at Alabama College and principal trumpeter for the Birmingham Symphony Orchestra.

A graduate of the University of Florida, Owen is working toward a Master of Music degree at CU.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fletcher spent several days last week vacationing in Panama City, Fla. Their daughter Judy is in San Jose, California, visiting her aunt.

Baptist Youth Revival

A Youth Revival will be held at Enon Baptist Church in Dry Valley. This revival will begin August 18 and continue through August 24. The morning services will start at 11:00 a.m., and the evening services will start at 7:30 p.m. The evangelist will be Roy Hall.

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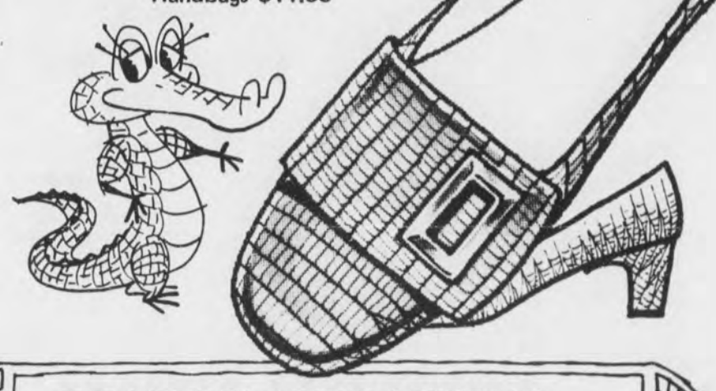

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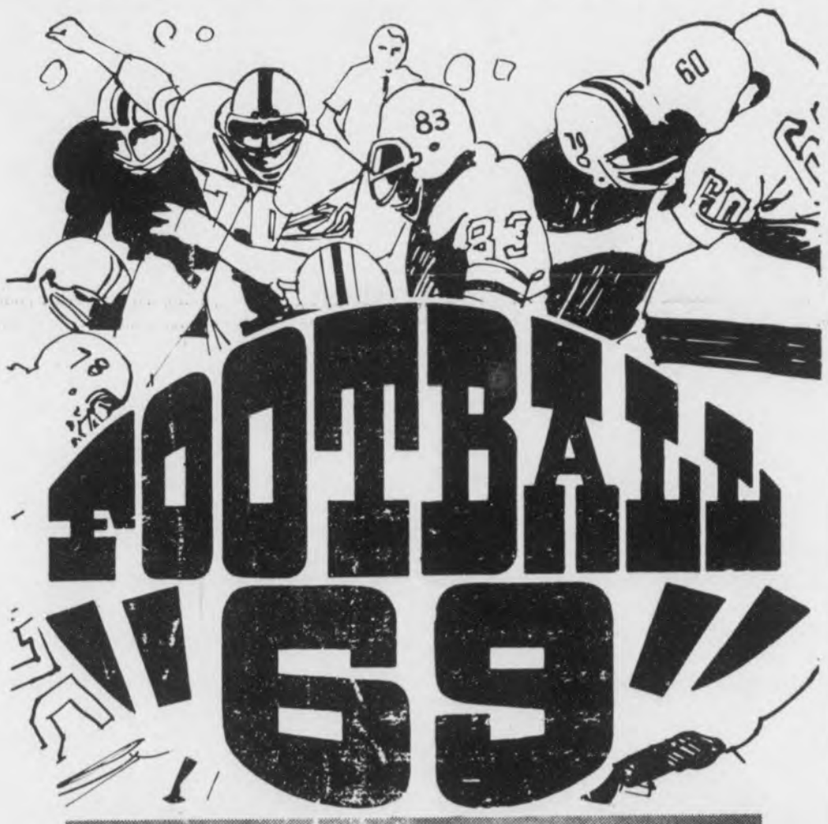

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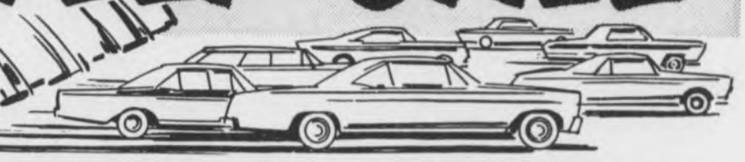

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Family income increases–

County retail sales up over $1 million in past year

Special to the Reporter from Park Row News Service

Shelby County's economy continued moving forward during the past year, according to a report on the nation's markets, just released.

Significant gains were chalked up in the local trading area as consumers, with more money at their command, indulged in large-scale spending.

The amount that they spent in the area, and what it meant for local retail merchants, are brought out in Sales Management's new "Survey of Buying Power".

The copyrighted report presents data on income and spending for every section of the country.

It shows that Shelby County residents had net spendable earnings in the year, after payment of their personal income taxes, of $56,284,000, as compared with the previous year's $54,613,000.

Just how much this represented, on a per-family basis, was determined by dividing the total income by the number of local households. It amounted, on average, to $6,052.

What did local residents do with their bigger incomes? The figures show that they spent more for furniture, bought more air conditioners, refrigerators and washing machines, purchased fancier foods and, in general, treated themselves more luxuriously.

Neither the surtax nor the higher cost of goods and services deterred them to a noticeable degree.

As a result, retail business in the area was good. Local merchants accounted for gross sales of $32,196,000, bettering the previous year's $30,513,000.

Each community is rated in the survey on the basis of the amount of retail business actually done, as compared with its estimated full capacity.

It does this through an "index of buying power," which takes into account income, population and sales.

Shelby County's index rating is .0112, indicating that it is capable of producing that percent of the nation's retail business.

Since it accounted for less than that last year, .0095 percent, the conclusion is that some of the local purchasing potential is yet to be achieved.

JOTS & TITTLES from the FALCON

When we told you recently about our new album of personalized Christmas cards, we failed to say that the place is the Falcon Book Store on Main Street in Montevallo, so we hasten to give you that address and ask you to come in soon and see these lovely cards.

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Default having been made in the terms of that mortgage executed on the 7th day of June, 1966, by Reggie N. Brasher and wife Connie Brasher to Jim Walter Corporation which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, in Record of Mortgage, Book 301, Page 426, 427, and default continuing, and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the following described property will be sold at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the Courthouse door of said County, during the legal hours of sale, on the 28th day of August, 1969.

Commence at the Southeast corner of the Northeast ¼ of the Southwest ¼ of Section 29, Township 19, Range 1 West, run thence West along South line of said ¼ Section, 365 feet to the Point of beginning. Run North along Coy B. Brasher line a distance of 120 feet, turn West and parallel to South line of said ¼ Section and run a distance of 200 feet; thence turn North and parallel to West line of said ¼ section a distance of 90 feet; thence turn West and parallel to South line of said ¼ section to a point on West line of said ¼ Section. Said point being 210 feet North of the Southwest corner of said ¼ Section. Turn South and run 210 feet to Southwest corner. Turn East along South line of said ¼ section a distance of 965 feet to the Point of Beginning. Situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt and cost of foreclosure, and will be conducted by the Assignee of the mortgage, Mid-State Homes, Inc.

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In this cause it being made to appear to the Register by affidavit that the Defendant is a non-resident of Alabama, and that his postoffice address is unknown, and further that in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Shelby County Reporter a newspaper published in Shelby County, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring Henry J. Morris, the said Respondent to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 5 day of September 1969, or in thirty days thereafter a decree Pro Confesso may be taken against him.

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Valley residents assigned new addresses

Residents of Cahaba Valley Road, and Valley Dale Road, between Caldwell Mill Road and Highway 280 found themselves with new addresses last week.

For years that area has been served by rural mail route 1 from Helena.

Better service for everyone was the reason given for the change. Birmingham postal officials found that the Altadena community, which had been served by Route 13, had enough residents to qualify for city mail delivery. This relieved the work on Route 13. At the same time, Helena's Route 1 was over-extended, and parts of it joined Route 13.

The entire area has shown tremendous population growth within recent years.

CHANGING ADDRESS - - Longtime Reporter correspondent Mrs. J. M. Denson of the New Hope community, was among those whose address changed last week from Rt. 1, Helena to Rt. 13, Birmingham. Population growth in the area made the change necessary, according to post office officials.

Textile workers face contempt of court charge

By Marcia M. Sears

Hearings began Tuesday charging four individuals and the United Textile Workers of America union with contempt of court for violating an injunction against violence at the Elastic Corporation plant in Columbiana.

Kenneth Ingram, Judge of the 18th Judicial Circuit, who issued the injunction last week, heard testimony throughout Tuesday afternoon on the events of last Friday night. He recessed the hearing at 5 p.m. to resume Wednesday morning.

Attorneys for Albert DeLoach, Bobby Ray Brasher, James Pate, Gerald Blackerby and the union asked the judge for a continuance so they could prepare their case. They said they intended to file for a removal to federal court, but Judge Ingram turned down the request.

Friday afternoon strikers from the Elastic plant were joined by members of other unions and effectively prevented about 80 employees in the plant from leaving. Albert DeLoach, U.T.W.A. representative, told the Reporter about 5 p.m., "We had a peaceful picket line. The company scabs ran over two of our pickets and we had to get an ambulance to pick them up."

Company officials appealed for police protection to assist the employees in getting out of the plant without violence. The crowd of persons outside the plant numbered between 200 and 300. According to testimony in Tuesday's court hearing, threats and rocks were aimed at persons attempting to leave.

Sheriff C. P. "Red" Walker told the Reporter his over-riding consideration was solving the situation without serious injury to anyone. He telephoned labor officials in Birmingham and asked them to talk with the crowd. One of these leaders was considered influential in cooling tempers.

Circuit District Attorney James Sharbutt came from his home in Vincent and brought with him police officers from Vincent, Harpersville and Wilsonville.

Harold Walden, Judge of the Law and Equity Court circulated among the crowd outside the plant, talking with them.

The assembling of police was considered by many to be painfully slow. The Governor authorized State Troopers

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Siluria receives approval on water line extension

The critical need for sewerage at the Thompson school complex in Siluria was the determining factor when the county Board of Revenue voted unanimously Monday to grant Siluria easements through county property to install water lines.

Both Siluria and Alabaster had asked the board for the right to extend water lines down both sides of Highway 119 to serve residents of Smokey Road, Elliottsville, and Moore's Cross Roads. Siluria had applied to the Farmers Home Administration for a loan for its sewerage system. The FHA had indicated the town needed to extend water lines to help pay for the sewerage system. To get favorable consideration for the loan, Siluria made plans to extend water to Moore's Cross Roads. Alabaster's plan did not include sewerage for the school.

E. C. Wooten said at the meeting yesterday, "It wouldn't be the thing to do to deprive Thompson High School and Siluria of sewerage."

Board chairman Conrad Fowler indicated that the Health department had almost denied Thompson the right to add classrooms last year because of the sewerage situation. Yet the population expansion in the area served by Thompson is so great the school continues to be the fastest growing school in the county.

The Board established that it would use the specifications of the water section of the State Health Department in any water expansion outside municipalities in the county.

Hackney workers go out on strike

Picket lines have gone up at the Hackney plants in Columbiana and Powderly. The issue, according to union spokesman Edward Atkisson of Alabaster is failure of the company to recognize a United Steelworkers contract.

The picket line in Columbiana went up at 5:10 p.m. last Friday, amid cheers from strikers at the Elastic plant a few hundred feet down the highway.

Hackney's Columbiana plant manufactures pressed steel fence fittings and galvanizing and it normally employs about 100 workers.

Atkisson told the Reporter the workers want more money, more safety devices, safety rules and a proper first aid room. He said, "Our intentions are to shut down both plants until Hackney comes to the bargaining table with us."

The status of the steelworkers' union is different at Hackney from the status of the textile workers union at the Elastic plant. Hackney workers have already voted to be represented by the United Steelworkers in an election held in August, 1968, while the Elastic workers turned down the U.T.W.A. in an election two years ago. The Hackney company however, is contesting the election in the courts.

Morris Hackney told the Reporter the company wants to hold another election in accordance with rules of the National Labor Relations Board. He indicated however, a lower court ruled against the company and the company is appealing this decision.

Hackney said Monday that both plants are still working.

Decision favors Nichols estate

A circuit court jury decided that no damages will be awarded after hearing arguments involving two suits totaling $300,000 against the estate of the late Clements E. Nichols.

Court proceedings held in Columbiana consumed two days last week. Jury foreman Howard Mooney announced the decision of the jury late Wednesday afternoon. The decision was in favor of the Nichols estate.

The two suits, each for $150,000, were filed last November and were the result of a Thanksgiving automobile accident occuring on State Highway 119 near Siluria.

The accident claimed the lives of Joey Arlen Isbell, age 10, and Bruce Glen Dawkins, age 8.

The suits were filed by the fathers of the two boys.

Officers investigating the accident indicated it was

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Lawmakers fail to meet goals

By Phil Smith

A sadness hangs heavy over legislative halls in Montgomery as members of the two Houses conclude their last few days in a session which almost has to be the last one in this term of office.

During this last few days these 139 men and 1 woman will have their last association together in this particular group as members of the Legislature. Some will return to the new Legislature in 1971, but then there will be new

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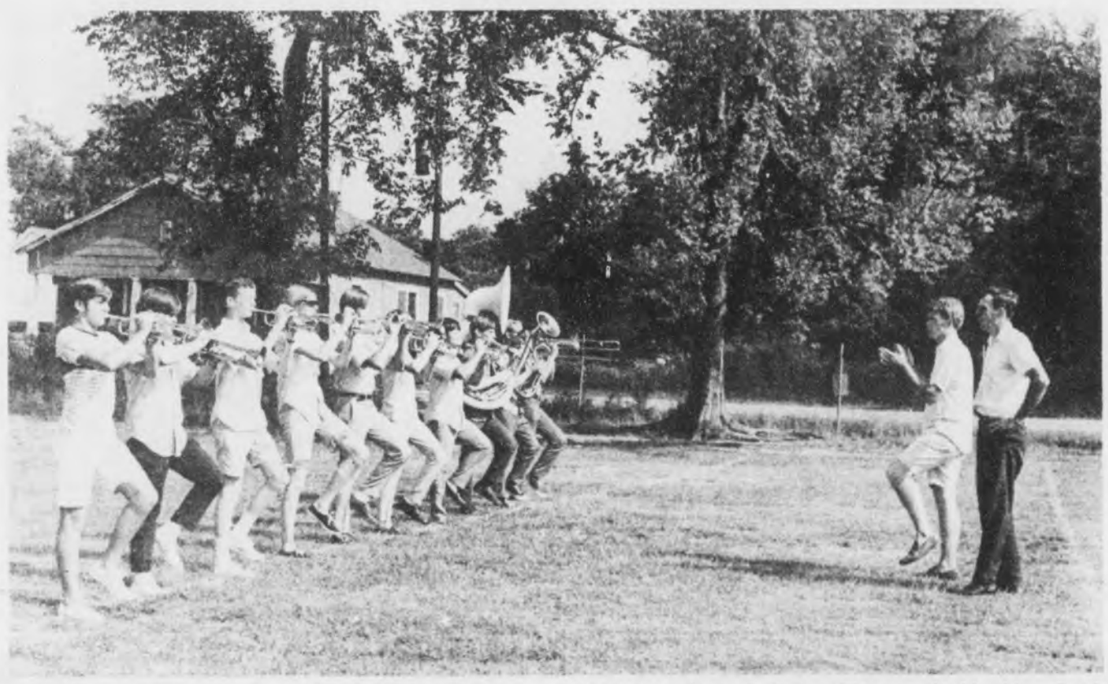


RIGHT IN STEP - - Barry Reed, first trumpet in Jacksonville State University's Marching Southerners, and Director Elson Hood drill members of the Thompson High School Band during Thompson's Marching Band Clinic held last week in Siluria. The clinic included highly specialized rehearsals in marching and playing.

New judgeship added in 1971

The 18th Judicial Circuit will have an additional judgeship beginning in January, 1971. The State Senate unanimously passed a bill authorizing the judgeship Tuesday afternoon.

The 18th circuit is composed of Shelby, Coosa and Clay counties. Shelby has by far the largest number of cases of the three and it is expected that the total case load will expand greatly in coming years.

It will be an elective office, as is the present judgeship. Persons who wish to run for the office must run in either the Democratic or Republican primary next year and in the general election.

Judge Kenneth Ingram of Ashland is the present judge of the circuit, appointed on the death of Judge A. L. Hardegree.

County gas tax bill awaits Senate action

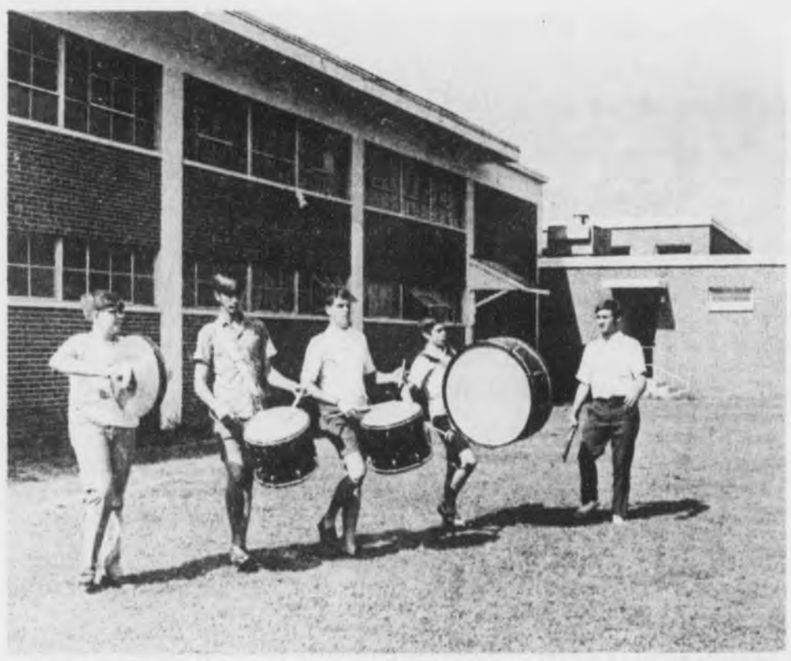
By Conrad M. Fowler
Chairman Board of Revenue

We receive inquiries as to the status of the bill in the Legislature to permit the voters of Shelby County to pass on the question of whether or not an additional 1-cent-per-gallon gasoline tax will be collected for Shelby County roads. The measure passed in the House of Representatives several weeks ago and is now pending in the Senate committee concerned with local bills.

It awaits a request from Senator McCarley to come before the Senate for final passage. Senator McCarley has given assurance that this bill will be passed. Following passage of the Act an election is to be held on the first Tuesday after 30 days following the Governor's signature.

Members of the Board of Revenue consider it their responsibility to inform the people of Shelby County that the county road system is going down, and without additional revenue the construction and maintenance program will leave much to be desired. It is the responsibility of the Board to call attention to the needs and to provide a solution. It is the responsibility of the voters as to whether or not the county road program be continued at a high level of performance.

Several months have passed since the gas tax was first proposed. This passage of time has but served to emphasize the seriousness of the need. We will endeavor to inform you of these needs so that you may weigh the need against your willingness to pay this increase in gasoline tax.



THOMPSON DRUMMERS - - Bob Dreyfus, bass drummer for the Marching Southerners, (at right) leads members of the Thompson High percussion unit in a drill during the clinic. Marching are (from left) David Whitley, Terry Powell, Freddy Anderson and Walter Calahan. The clinic will climax Friday night with a pop concert at the Thompson gymnasium at 7:30 p.m. (Photos by Ed Blake)

THE CHASE IS ON - - Some of the best coon hounds in Central Alabama are shown above in pursuit of a raccoon during the annual Coon-On-The-Log Contest sponsored last Sunday by the Mid-State Coon Hunters Association near Randolph. The water race was one of several events of the day. Many coon hunters from Shelby County entered their dogs in the contest. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Committee studies hunger, seeks solutions to problem

A committee to find and attack malnutrition in Shelby County is functioning under the chairmanship of Sam Pierce of Columbiana.

Pierce is in charge of the Farmers Home Administration here and is chairman of the Technical Action Panel for the county.

The third meeting of the committee was held last Wednesday with representatives of the Health Department, the Department of Pensions and Securities, the OEO, the news media, and nutritionists Dr. Rebecca Pate of Montevallo and Miss Marion Cotney of Columbiana in attendance.

The concensus of the group is that such malnutrition as exists in the country is caused by the individual's not knowing what foods offer the best nutrition and not knowing how to prepare certain foods.

Wilfull neglect as a cause of malnutrition is rare, according to health department nurses.

The Damper's Bottom community of Alabaster has been chosen as a pilot area to teach some basic rules of good nutrition and proper food preparation.

Miss Cotney outlined plans and recipes she has developed using the free foods distributed monthly to the county's poor. She will conduct a series of demonstrations in Alabaster showing preparation methods of nutritious but low-cost foods.

She reported that butter is being added to the list of free foods distributed this month. She also said that the oatmeal and scrambled egg mix are not well-used by many who receive them as free foods.

She has devised several recipes to promote the use of these foods, since they offer food values that are needed.

The churches of the county are forming committees to provide the needy with transportation for medical attention. Rev. Burl Oliver of the Columbiana Methodist Church is chairman of this effort.

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

Various officials in the courthouse are expressing opinions on the need for the City of Columbiana to add men to its police force. At present Columbiana has only two men. Other cities of comparable size in the county have six or seven police officers.

The need for additional patrolmen was accentuated this past week when sheriff's deputies were called upon repeatedly to patrol within the city limits of Columbiana.

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A burglary at Sammy's, a supermarket in Wilsonville, was investigated Monday night by Sheriff's deputies.

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Mobile home raided

Donald Morris was arrested Monday by Sheriff's deputies, according to Sheriff C. P. Walker. A raid was conducted on a mobile home Morris was occupying at a trailer park north of Pelham.

In his home were found a great number of narcotics obtained apparently through forged prescriptions, Walker said. Other items purchased locally on credit cards which were allegedly forged, were also found in the trailer. Morris was turned over to Jefferson County authorities who held a warrant for his arrest.

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Board of Revenue member J. E. "Ned" Bearden of Helena presented the Board with a certificate Monday noting that the county is free of brucellosis. The U. S. Department of Agriculture issued the certificate covering the dates July 13, 1969 to July 13, 1972. The dread disease affects cattle and swine.

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The Board authorized purchase of a blue flashing light for the top of the county automobile used by Chief Deputy Joe Roden.

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Board member Alton Parker of Vincent announced that a public hearing will be held August 29 at the Community Building in Harpersville at 2 p.m. The purpose of the hearing will be to allow people living in the area to express their opinions on the route to be taken by Highway 280 in the future.

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Board Chairman Conrad M. Fowler, who is President of the National Association of Counties, has been invited to attend the National Governor's conference in Colorado at the end of the month.

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Salster saws out of cell

The ease with which prisoners can break out of the Shelby County jail became an issue again this week. Brad Salster, of Columbiana, serving time at Kilby prison, was returned to the county to appear in court in connection with burglary and rape cases to be heard this week.

According to District Attorney James Sharbutt and Sheriff C. P. Walker, Salster apparently hid two parts of a broken hack saw in the soles of his shoes at Kilby. He removed the shoes before being x-rayed at the prison, then wore them to Columbiana.

Once inside a county cell, he sawed the bars, got out of the cell and was about to use a piece of the bar to attack a guard. He was overwhelmed in the corridor by another prisoner.

The most recent grand jury recommended that measures be taken to secure prisoners properly in the jail.

Offer not option

Last week the Reporter said that the County Board of Education held an "option" on 20 acres of land near Columbiana as the site for building the proposed vocational high school. According to Assistant Superintendent Edward Lansford, this should have read "offer". Lansford said that other communities have also offered land for the school, but as reported last week, the State Board of Education will make the final decision as to site, based on accessibility to all students in the county and on the concentration of population.

The County School Board does not have an "option" on any site.

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Editorial comment

Business, industry, education and in fact progress in all facets of society can only flourish in a peaceful, rational environment.

When something less exists, progress is severly impeded.

When law and order break down losses accrue not only to those directly involved, but to all interested parties and all too frequently to innocent bystanders, too. This has been demonstrated time and again in recent months, throughout this nation.

Riots on college campuses have had severe detrimental effects on higher education, everywhere.

Violence in cities has cost many lives, untold millions in property damage and has been nothing less than disastrous to certain businesses communities and careers.

It is an undisputed fact that the absence of law and order and violence go hand in hand in being detrimental to any community.

The "close call" to a break down in law and order in Columbiana last Friday should emphasize to all citizens that no community can be complacent and think "it can't happen here". It almost did happen here.

This newspaper is not advocating subservience on the part of any one or any group. This paper recognizes that honest differences of opinion exist.

Valid and varying differences are healthy. It is only through new ideas and the expression of different opinions that progress comes about.

This newspaper is suggesting, however, that differing opinions should be expressed around a conference table or through any of the time honored and acceptable means of communication: debate, discussion, vote, compromise.

The throwing of rocks, the intemperate use of automobiles, tresspassing on private property, failing to comply with laws and law enforcement officials is an unwarranted and unacceptable means of emphasis.

Our system of government ... Democracy ... has established many procedures for settling differences of opinion. The essential ingredient in all procedures has always been and still is law and order and respect for law and order.

Columbiana and Shelby County have an enviable reputation ... a reputation for maintaining a favorable climate for industry, business, education and pleasant living. One of the essential factors of this favorable climate is law and order.

A shortage of law enforcement personnel, the lack of a policy to cover certain circumstances, hesitancy to enforce court orders, the committing of irrational acts, the exhortations of radicals ... whatever the reason or reasons for the "close call" last Friday night ... it must not be permitted to happen again.

..... R.W.S.

Two nominated for maid contest

Diane Margaret Ross of Calera and Edith Nell Farris of Alabaster are nominees for Shelby County Maid of Cotton, it was announced this week by Mrs. Doug Wyatt, Chairman of the county Maid of Cotton committee.

The two entered the contest along with Elizabeth Taylor of Montevallo and Sunny Faye Moore of Vincent.

Miss Ross is a sophomore at the University of Montevallo and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Ross of Calera. At Calera High School she was president of the senior class.

Miss Farris is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Farris of Alabaster. A junior at Mississippi State College for Women, she was vice-president of the student body at Thompson High School and a member of the student council.

EDITH NELL FARRIS

Letters to Editor

Alabama Heart Association
Birmingham, Alabama

We have just closed our fiscal year and we are happy to report to your readers and the public which supports us that the 1969 Heart Fund had its best year yet. Subject to audit our 1969 Heart Fund total for the State stands at $336,500, an increase of more than $15,000 above last year.

Through your columns we wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our thousands of volunteer leaders and workers. These are the folks who took the time to plan, to organize and to conduct the 1969 Heart Fund. As 1969 State Heart Fund Chairman, I wish I could thank each individually for their effort.

And to the additional thousands of Alabamaians who – with their contributions – joined in our fight to conquer Heart Disease, let me express for myself and the official body of Alabama Heart, our great gratitude for their continuing and growing support of the Heart program of Research, Education and Community Programs.

Sincerely,
G. T. Nelson
State Chairman
1969 Heart Fund

THS holds orientation

The Thompson High School student council will hold an orientation program for all new students in the school auditorium on Friday, August 29.

Students who have not previously attended Thompson are urged to come from 8 to 9:30 a.m. There will be a general discussion of the policies of the school.

A tour of all facilities will be conducted, and students will meet the teachers. Refreshments will then be served.

The school council feels that this will benefit all new students and encourages attendance.

Shipments of galvanized steel sheets and strip (coated with zinc) almost doubled in the past 10 years, from over 2.8 million tons in 1958 to 5.2 million tons last year.

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KEITH FORDHAM

CORKY GOE

Youth revival set in Montevallo

Picketing youth will spearhead the Youth Revival at the Montevallo Baptist Church this evening at 6:30.

The language of picketing was chosen to emphasize the "March of Youth for Christ", according to the sponsors of the revival.

The two guest leaders are from Atlanta and are students at Samford University, Keith Fordham, speaker and Corky Goe, song leader.

A weiner roast and bonfire will kick-off the revival. All youth in the Montevallo area are invited and urged to attend.

The average aid to dependent children payment of $64.12 in June was made in behalf of 4.22 persons; this meant an average payment per recipient of $15.63.

Montevallo begins paving program

A $25,000 streets improvement program is scheduled to begin in Montevallo this week.

The Montevallo project is being financed by a redistribution of state gasoline tax funds. The money from the state is earmarked to be spent on municipal street improvements and cannot be used for any other purpose.

Low bidder on the project is Central Alabama Paving and Construction Company of Calera.

Improvements will be made to streets in Montevallo carrying the greatest amount of traffic.

The following streets are scheduled for resurfacing:

Middle Street from Main Street to Shelby County Road 17; Oak Street from Ashville Road to Middle Street (Methodist Church corner); the entire length of Highland Avenue from Ashville Road to the Alabama College campus; the entire length of Nabors Street from Ashville Road to the Alabama College campus; Bloch Street from Oak Street to Nabors Street.

Allen home

Senator Jim Allen is going to take advantage of the Congressional recess during the next two weeks to come home to Alabama and a busy schedule.

He will be spending one full day at each of his four offices.

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MISS GAIL DICKINSON

Miss Dickinson plans September wedding

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Patricia Gail Dickinson is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leander Maxwell Dickinson of Mobile, formerly of Columbiana. Parents of the bridegroom-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow W. Galigher of Memphis, Tennessee.

Miss Dickinson is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon D. Gregory of Tuskegee, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Dickinson of Birmingham.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Demopolis High School, Demopolis, and is presently a junior at the University of Alabama in Tuscaloosa.

Grandparents of the future groom are Mrs. L. A. Acuff and the late Mr. Acuff of Jackson, Tennessee and Mrs. K. B. Galigher and the late Mr. Galigher of Memphis, Tennessee.

Mr. Galigher was a graduated from Treadwell High School, Memphis, and is presently a member of the Armed Forces, stationed at Fort Rucker.

The wedding is planned for September 27, at the First Baptist Church in Tuskegee.

Shelby County Fair opens next Monday

Next Monday the 20th presentation of the Shelby County Fair, sponsored by the Columbiana Kiwanis Club, will swing open its gates to Shelby County folk and their friends throughout Alabama. It is reported that the Mid-way is bigger and better than ever – and that agricultural exhibits will reflect much credit on Shelby County. Representative industrial booths will also prove interesting – so, arrange to meet your friends and neighbors during the week of August 25 through August 30. Columbiana has the "welcome mat" out all over town and we, here in the Reporter office, cordially invite you to come by and see us during your stay on Main.

Proceeds from this annual project go into educational scholarships and your cooperation in making the Fair a success from a financial standpoint will also be appreciated by the members of the Kiwanis Club.

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The Edmondson families observed Alabama Family Day Sunday, August 10, with an Edmondson Reunion, which was held on South Beach, Wind Creek Park, Alexander City. Invitations were sent to all known Edmondsons and relatives. Seventy-five persons attended this first reunion with families from Columbiana, Sylacauga, Alabaster, Montevallo, Alexander City, Birmingham, and Mobile. This will be an annual event and will be held on the second Sunday in August.

Society Page And Personal Mention

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Where do we go from here?

A young collegian who has majored in a subject other than journalism and has a coveted diploma to prove it – says he is still "interested in writing" – and would like to know how to go about embarking on a journalistic career?

Frankly speaking, we have not reached such dizzy heights that we feel we are competent to suggest or advise along this line. We can only say that there are many phases to newspaper production. There is no magic formula that we know that will automatically make you a Dorothy Dix, Walter Winchell or a Drew Pearson or even a live wire reporter. We can only say that after 25 years experience in a rural newspaper, from publishing, editing and reporting angles, that a well rounded knowledge of people and things is essential if you are are contemplating pursuing a penpoint pilgrimage down the inky trail.

Both people and things are vitally interesting to me – but one must also be willing to work – 24 hours a day! The minute you put the "paper to bed" you will, if you find yourself swimming around in a sea of printer's ink, begin looking around for a potential story for next week's issue. There is no end to the work required in the production of even a rural newspaper. A limited territory – where you know practically everybody – and practically everybody knows you – sometimes becomes a more difficult assignment than a wider field where more exciting things occur that allow newspaper coverage.

Cranston Williams, of the Associated Press, once had this to say regarding the newspaper profession: "The most necessary requisites to success in the newspaper profession, are intelligence, scientific curiosity and a willingness to learn to work".

Mr. Williams said further: "With these qualifications – those entering the newspaper field will feel that their feet have already started on the first rungs of a ladder which may be arduous but attainment at the peak of which brings a singular satisfaction seldom found elsewhere."

"However," Mr. Williams added: "education specializing in journalistic subjects is to be desired – but they offer no substitute for experience and work." These last named items are essential!

We advise against getting the idea that the paper one flips through each week which consumes about ten minutes to read and throw down – did not require hours and hours of work on the part of those who had a part in its creation and production. It required more study and effort than you possibly ever dreamed about.

But a career in Newspaper-Land has its satisfactory compensations. So – if you can take the discouraging episodes, along with the rewarding experiences you find in your contacts with people and things; if you can preserve your sense of humor as you receive the "brickbats and bouquets" incident in trying to please an ever whimsical public; if you can graciously accept the thorns along with the roses – you will possibly come out thinking, as we do, that it's a pretty good old world after all. One thing for sure, there is never a dull moment as long as you are dealing with Old Man People – for they are unpredictable! Perhaps that's what makes them interesting!

M.W.W.

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+ NEW ARRIVAL +

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Southern (Sallie Sue Roberts) announce the arrival of a daughter who was born in Shelby Memorial Hospital August 14, 1969. They have named the little newcomer Tara Lynd.

Grandparents in Columbiana include Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mims Roberts; and Mrs. James A. Southern, of Ragland, is her paternal grandmother.

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Friends of Mrs. Mims Roberts regret to learn that she is a patient in Shelby Memorial Hospital.

MISS DEBORAH ANN BARNETT

Miss Ann Barnett to wed Mr. Brown

Mr. and Mrs. Zelle G. Barnett, former residents of Columbiana, now residing in Montgomery, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Deborah Ann, to Barry Craig Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson O. Brown.

Grandparents of Miss Barnett and Mrs. Albertine Dreher of Redington Beach, Fla., and Dewey H. Freeman of Montgomery and the late Mr. and Mrs. William Nolan Barnett of Columbiana.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Sidney Lanier High School and is a student at Birmingham-Southern College.

Mr. Brown is the grandson of Mrs. Annie Lou Knight and the late George W. Knight of Riverview and of the late Mr. and Mrs. Vollie Brown of Fairfax.

A graduate of Sidney Lanier High School, he is attending Troy State University.

The wedding is planned for Sept. 13, 1969 at seven-thirty P.M. in St. James Methodist Church.

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"Cord-du-roi" Popular For Fall

Fashion editors tell us that corduroy is one of the top materials for casual sport suits on the Fall agenda for the well dressed man or woman. Did you know that this material was born in France three centuries ago when a royal tailor was commanded to create a cloth for the Kings' personal guards?

It is related that the tailor took cut velvet and formed fillings then transversely ribbed the material and named it in honor of King Louis. The "cord-du-roi" translated means "cloth of kings". Just mentioned this in passing so when mi-lady dons her "cord-du-roi" she may have every right to walk with queenly glide up and down your little Main Street and mine.

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Jerry Parker of the U. S. Coast Guard, stationed at Mobile, has been chosen by his superior officers to attend a school in Connecticut for advanced training in this branch of service. Mrs. Parker (Jan Gordon) and their daughter Lisa, will spend the five weeks he is away in Columbiana, and Chelsea, with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gordon and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parker.

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PFC Jerry T. Shirley, of Chelsea, writes a letter to his mother, Mrs. R. C. Shirley stating he is "fine but homesick". Jerry is looking forward to meeting his wife, Jo Ann in Hawaii on his rest and recreation period in November. He looks forward to receiving mail from the states as do other members of the 25th Infantry Division.

F. E. Leonard named assistant attorney

Friends and former classmates of Francis Eugene Leonard, Jr. – (Gene), son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Leonard of Columbiana, will want to join the writer in extending congratulations, when they learn – this week – that the young attorney, now residing in Montgomery with his family, has been appointed by Ira De Ment, United States Attorney for the Middle District of Alabama, to serve as Assistant United States Attorney.

Gene – as he is known in Columbiana, received his early education in the Elementary and High School here and received his law degree from the University of Alabama.

Prior to Leonard's appointment as Assistant U. S. Attorney, he served as Law Clerk to U. S. District Judge Frank M. Johnson.

Gene is the grandson of the late widely known Judge J. M. Leonard who, for many years served the county as Register in Chancery and was prominently identified with the Democratic Executive Committee of the county – but his grandson has chosen for his political affiliation the Republican Party.

About all we can say regarding this decision is that the so called G. O. P. may justifiably take pride in the acquisition of this brilliant young attorney's name to its membership rolls.

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Carolyn Capps and Becky Farris, attractive teen-agers, have made many friends during this summer – especially among those of us who daily gather at the noon hour in Davis Drug where both are employed in the Luncheonette. Their prompt service, coupled with an individual interest plus a gracious hostess-like attitude toward each patron has won for them wide approval. They will be sincerely missed when they leave early in September to further pursue their college careers in Alabama College.

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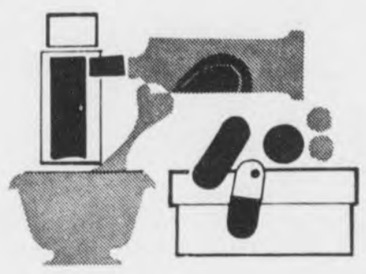
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert C. Sheffield, Sr. were week end guests of their son Pvt. Hubert C. Sheffield – better known to his classmates as "Yogi", at Ft. Benning, Ga., where he is taking his basic training for further assignment with Uncle Sam.



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Youth Yakers meet at Jones home

Gaines Hyche, Music and Youth Director at First Baptist Church and his "Youth Yakers" – met at the church on Thursday evening for a regular devotional and executive meeting. Following this part of the scheduled program, they adjourned to the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Jones where they were entertained with games and contests directed by Peg Hill, after which a watermelon cutting was enjoyed on the patio. Boiling peanuts also proved a delectable diversion to forty members of this enthusiastic group.

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Mrs. Steve Estock (Lallage Kendrick) formerly of Chelsea, is flying down to Rio de Janeiro this week to spend a vacation with her husband who is a technician with the U. S. Steel Co. Mr. Estock has been with TCI for a number of years and Mrs. Estock is an employee of Alabama Gas Co. They reside in Bel View Heights in Birmingham.

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The First Baptist Church of Columbiana will present the Youth Choir from the Eastlawn Baptist Church, Pascagoula, Mississippi, in a choral worship service on Wednesday evening, August 17, at 7:30 P.M. in the sanctuary of the church.

The program is unique in that it is not a concert but a worship service which includes congregational participation.

The choir has toured nationally for eight years and has appeared at the National Royal Ambassador Congress and the Baptist World Congress. The choir is recorded on Century Records.

M. Joseph Howard is the conductor of the choir on tour.

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The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hand, Jr., was the setting for a buffet supper Saturday evening when Jeff Hand honored newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith. Among guests enjoying the amenities of the occasion were: Ben Smith, Cathy McLeroy, Mike Hill, Peggy Bearden, Rick Smith, Jan Adams, Tommy Harrison, Sherri Murray, Jeff Hand and Connie Majors.

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Friends of Mrs. Bernice Ticen will be glad to learn that she has returned from Shelby Memorial and is at her home satisfactorily recuperating from surgery.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Giles of Columbiana are enjoying a vacation this week in Baltimore, Md. Mr. Giles is an official with Carpenter Co., Inc. in Shelby.

A pound of cotton can be spun into 70 yards of cloth.

MRS. CLIFFORD FAIR BOOTHE

Dorgan-Boothe wed at Mobile church

The marriage of Miss Linda Amelda Dorgan and Clifford Fair Boothe was solemnized last week at the Crichton Assembly of God Church in Mobile.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dorgan. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Boothe of Marvel.

The bride wore a gown of silk with lace yoke and train. Her attendants wore yellow dotted voile with daisy trim.

Miss Karen Dorgan, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Mrs. David Guillotte of Grand Bay was matron of honor. Misses Judy Johns, Jan Short, Marcia Smith, Kathy Melton, Sandra Pope and Betsy White were bridesmaids and Mesdames Gilbert Burnham and Kerry Motes were bridesmatrons.

Jennifer Fultz and Milissa Mosely were flower girls. Christopher Dorgan was ring bearer.

The bridegroom was attended by Dal Thompson of Marvel as best man. Richard Dorgan, brother of the bride, David Hunt of Mobile, Sidney Dorgan of Fairhope, Thomas Lawley, Jimmy Herron, Kenneth Smitherman, Mike McGaughy, Jimmy Thomas, all of Marvel, and Jimmy Melton of Mobile, were the bridegroom's other attendants.

Following a reception in the church fellowship hall, the couple left for a wedding trip to the Smoky Mountains. They will reside in Birmingham.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Skelton have returned from a delightful trip to New York, New Jersey, and West Point where they were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Earl Hughes, and Capt. Earl Hughes, a former West Point graduate.

During their visit in the East they were graciously entertained by Miss Glenda Davis, a Yale Graduate from Columbiana, now engaged in a cancer research project in Philadelphia, Pa.

Miss Fulton honored

A luncheon lingerie shower Saturday noon honored Miss Dawn Fulton, bride-elect of Allen Suttle. Mrs. Norman Lefkovits, Miss Jeanette Niven, Mrs. Dick Jones, and Mrs. Stella Roberts entertained at the home of Mrs. Roberts on Pine Hill Drive.

The home was decorated throughout with summer flowers.

A delicious buffet luncheon was served after which a game of Brides Bingo was enjoyed. The honoree was then presented with a number of useful gifts.

Guests included Mrs. Frank Suttle, Mrs. Gerald Fulton, Mrs. Lewis Walker, Miss Nena Carter, Miss Shirley Wallace, Miss Nan Hill, Mrs. Rick McDow, Miss Charlene Falkner, Miss Anita Sloan, Miss Donna Pierce, Miss Marsha Lefkovits, Miss Judy Upchurch, and Mrs. E. F. Sloan, Sr.

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The Conference Youth Convocation will be held in the Municipal auditorium next Saturday. All Jr. Highs, seniors and college students are urged by the Rev. Burl Oliver, pastor of the Columbiana Methodist Church to attend.

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The Rev. F.P. Richey, partially retired, who recently moved to Columbiana to the delight of his many friends, has been assigned to the Houston Chapel Methodist Church in Bessemer. Rev. and Mrs. Richey will continue their residence here but will fill this new ministerial assignment on Sundays.

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Ehney Camp IV, who was born in St. Vincent's Hospital Aug. 4, has had his initial introduction to his great-grandmother, Mrs. W. L. Christian (Formerly of Columbiana,) now at Hanover House in Birmingham. This little newcomer, son of Pat and Ehney A. Camp III, represents a fourth generation to bear this distinguished name. A film strip was made of this historic event by Ehney A. Camp, Jr. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ehney Camp of Birmingham, who returned from a delightful vacation in Burmuda in time to participate in the above celebration honoring the latest addition to their family circle.

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Information Needed

Mrs. Thelma Vincent brought us an interesting book this morning. She is seeking to find the owner of this family album found in a car purchased by her neice, Deborah Barnett in Montgomery. The leather book was enclosed in a Davis Drug Store bag in the glove compartment of the car, formerly owned by Mrs. Lillian Armstead of Montgomery. If anyone knows this person, we feel sure she would be glad to have this picture album back in her possession as it is definitely a valuable memento of this person dating back into the 1900's and bearing dates of her many trips here and in England.

Mrs. Armstead, presumably resides in Montgomery, but may possibly have relatives in Shelby County as indicated by Davis Drug Company's name on the package containing a pair of dark glasses found with the album.

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Girls Scout Registration

A meeting has been called for August 22 from 1 o'clock until three o'clock P.M. at the City Park in Columbiana for the purpose of registering Girl Scouts for Junior and Cadette Scouts.

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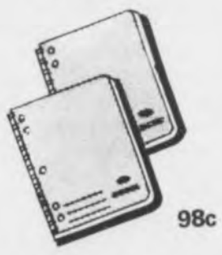

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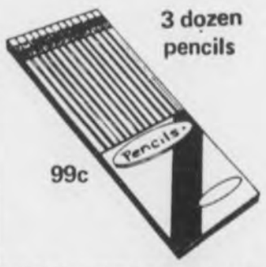

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ASC community committeemen should always be the "best people" available, according to H. C. McDanal, Chairman, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation County Committee. Slates of nominees for membership on ASC community committees will soon be established. The community committee elections will be held the third week in September.

"The committee system is the backbone of the farm programs," the Chairman declared. "Its responsibilities include the conservation of natural resources, the stabilization of agricultural commodities and price-support activities which protect and improve farm income. We need the best possible cross-section of farmers to insure effective administration of the various programs."

The Chairman pointed out that lists of eligible voters in each community are available in the ASCS county office. He explained that any local resident who is eligible to take part in an ASCS farm program may vote in the community committee elections, and he may hold office as a committeeman regardless of sex, race, color, creed, or national origin. Further information regarding qualifications of committeemen is available at the ASCS county office.

Farmers who are eligible to vote in the community committee elections also have the right to nominate by petition as a candidate for committee membership any farmer who is eligible and who has indicated that he is willing to serve. Such petitions, each one nominating one farmer and signed by six or more eligible voters, may be filed at the county office any time before August 21. Eligible voters may sign as many petitions as they wish. Additional nominations may be made by the incombent ASC community and county committees. The nominating procedure seeks to insure fair and impartial elections by reducing vote splintering of minority group candidates.

The election of ASC community committees throughout the nation will be held this year during the third week in September.

This year's elections will be held by mail balloting during the period September 5 - 16. Each community election will choose three community committeemen and two alternates. The regular members elected will serve as delegates to the county convention, where farmers will be elected to fill vacancies on the ASC county committee.

Boundaries of the ASC communities are:

Community A, beats 1, 2 and 8; Community B, beats 3 and 21; Community C, beats 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, and 17; Community D, beats 4, 19 and 20; Community E, beats 9 and 11; Community F, beats 14, 15, 16, and 18; Community G, beat 10.

Lawmakers

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alliances, new problems and many new faces.

The sadness is not due, however, to the fact that this session is ending. Almost every member will feel great relief as the 36th legislative day draws to a close, because the problems and antagonisms in this session have surpassed those of any session observers can recall.

This unhappy situation exists because many members feel very keenly that, as a group, they have failed to fulfill the possibilities for accomplishment with which they began.

In January of 1967, the organizational session of the newly elected Legislature was held amid great excitement and with great expectations on the part of freshman members. Most of the members were in fact beginning their first terms, since the elections of 1966 brought about one of the greatest turnovers in the history of the State Legislature.

Newsmen and other observers were impressed with the quality of this new group. It felt that important changes in state government could be brought about by it.

Now, two years later, the hopes are gone and the unhappy reality remains that the Legislature has been little different from those which have gone before.

Indeed, this Legislature concludes its affairs touched by scandal, scarred by bitterness and petty bickering, haunted by the ghost of what it might have been.

The reasons are the same reasons that Legislature has failed in past administrations. Some of these reasons will be campaign issues in the elections of 1970. Most of them will still exist when the new Legislature meets to organize itself in January of 1971.

Then there can be new hope for re-vitalization of state government in Alabama if the public and new members of the Legislature have studied and learned the lessons of 1967 and 1969.

Nichols

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unavoidable. No charges were filed.

Nichols was serving as Chief of Police in Montevallo at the time of the accident. He died on January 6 of an apparent heart attack.

Plaintiffs in the case were represented by two Birmingham attorneys.

Mrs. Dovie Elizabeth Nichols, widow of Clements Nichols, and executrix of the estate was represented by attorneys Herbert Peterson and Karl Harrison.

Textile

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to be sent in and about 22 of them were on the scene at 10 o'clock when the workers were allowed to leave the premises. No one was hurt.

At Tuesday's hearing, Joe Murray, President of the Elastic Corporation, testified that DeLoach talked with him about 9 p.m. offering to let the employees out if the union was recognized as bargaining agent. Murray refused.

Although production continued on a limited basis after the strike began on August 4, the plant has not been producing goods since Friday's disturbance.

The Mayor of Columbiana, Bob Bolton, has consistently maintained a position of "No Comment" to the press.

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LEGAL NOTICE
Estate of Mary Elizabeth Tatum, Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of August, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Mary Elizabeth Brown
As Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Mary Elizabeth Tatum, deceased. 8-14, 21, 28, 1969 †71

LEGAL NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the Alabama Highway Department, on August 14, 1969, gave approval to the request of July 30, 1969, of the major design features on Project S-5915(101) which would have been presented at a Public Hearing Opportunity for which was advertised in the June 12 and 19, 1969 issues of The Shelby County Reporter. The Description is as follows:
Construction of an interchange off of and adjacent to Interstate 65 at the Shelby County Airport, beginning at station 15+00 on County Road 87 in the NW¼ of NW¼ section 22 and ends at 40+00 in NW¼ of SW¼, section 29, T-21-S, R-2-W in Shelby County.
All information concerning this route request is available for public inspection at the office of Resident Engineer, Alabama Highway Department, located at Camp Childersburg, Childersburg, Alabama.
8-21, 1969 †72

Mortgage Foreclosure Notice
Default having been made in the terms of that mortgage executed on the 9th day of August, 1967, by Monroe Dowdell and wife, Eva Mae Dowdell to Jim Walter Corporation which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, in Record of Mortgage, Book 306, Page 814-5, and default continuing, and by birtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the following described property will be sold at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the Courthouse door of said County, during the legal hours of sale, on the 9th day of September, 1969.
Commence at the SW corner of the above described SE¼-SW¼ and in an easterly direction along the south line of said quarter-quarter run a distance of 424.58 feet; thence turn an angel of 77 deg. 10' to the left for a distance of 42.41 feet to the point of beginning; thence continue along the last named course for a distance of 210.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 77 deg. 41' fot the right for a distance of 210.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 102 deg. 18½' to the right for a distance of 210.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 77 deg. 41½' to the right for a distance of 210.0 feet to the point of beginning.
Said property being subject to an easement from the NW corner of said property to the public road. Said easement being 20.0 feet wide and 185.0 feet long and extending from said property to the public road for an access to said property. Property situated in the SE¼-SW¼ of Section 36, Township 20 South Range 3 West. For a source of title see Deed Book 249 Page 371.
Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt and cost of foreclosure. And will be conducted by Assignee of said mortgage, Mid-State Homes, Inc.
R. A. Norred, Attorney
Birmingham, Alabama 35203
7-31,8-7,14,21, 1969 †63.

LEGAL NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the Alabama Highway Department will hold a Public Hearing on August 29, 1969 at 2:00 PM at Recreation Building in Harpersville, Alabama. The purpose of this hearing is to provide an opportunity for interested persons to participate in determining the need for, and location of, a Federal-Aid highway by presenting views on proposed alternative highway locations and the social, economic, and environmental effects of those alternate locations, and to consider the consistency of this highway project with the goals and objectives of such planning as has been promulgated by the Community, City, Town or Village, either Incorporated of Unincorporated in Shelby County which the highway project may go through or bypass. This Public Hearing will be held on the entire length of project S-376-D whose description is as follows:
Begin at a point on US-280 approximately 1.0 mile east of Shelby County Road No. 27 to a point on US-280 approximately 1.5 miles east of intersection of Alabama 25 with US-280 at Harpersville.
Maps showing alternate highway locations through this corridor are available for inspection at the office of Resident Engineer, State Highway Department, located at Camp Childersburg, Childersburg, Alabama.
Relocation assistance programs for persons who may be displaced by this project will be discussed at the Public Hearing.
The State Highway Department will accept written statements and other exhibits in place of, or in addition to, oral statements made at the Public Hearing. Such statements and/or exhibits may be submitted prior to, at, or within 10 days after, the Public Hearing. These statements and/or exhibits should be mailed to
W. P. DeJarnette
Division Engineer
Alabama Highway Department
P. O. Box 432
Alexander City,
Alabama 35010
This Public Hearing is for the purpose of fulfilling the requirements of the Federal-Aid Highway Act, Title 23 United States Code, Sections 101, 128, and 315, and PPM 20-8 dated January 14, 1969.
8-21/1969 † 72

State of Alabama
Shelby County
Notice is hereby given that a bill substantially as follows will be introduced in the Legislature of Alabama and application for its passage and enactment will be made, to-wit:
AN ACT
Relating to Shelby County; authorizing any bank situated within the county to open, establish, operate and maintain branch banks, branch offices or other places of business within a certain area within said county.
BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:
SECTION 1. When permitted by its charter and bylaws and approved by the State Banking Department, any bank situated in Shelby County shall be authorized to open, establish, operate and maintain branch banks, branch offices or other places of business for the receipt of deposits, payment of checks and conducting a general banking business within the following described area in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit: said area being bounded on the south by County Highway No. 11; on the east by a line running parallel to and one-half mile east of U. S. Highway No. 280 as the same will be located when the present construction thereon is completed; on the north by the Jefferson County line; and on the west by a line running parallel to and one-half mile west of U. S. Highway No. 31; provided, however, no branch banks shall be established within 5 miles of any presently established bank.
SECTION 2. All laws or parts of laws which conflict with this Act are repealed.
SECTION 3. This Act shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor or upon its otherwise becoming a law.
July 31, Aug. 7, 14, 21, 1969 †66.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
SHELBY COUNTY
The Law & Equity Court of Shelby County, Alabama
Case No. 1449
IN EQUITY
PEGGY JOYCE JONES v. ALVIN LEWIS JONES
IN THIS CAUSE it appears to the Register from the Affidavit of Peggy Joyce Jones, Complainant, that the residence and post office address of the Respondent, Alvin Lewis Jones is unknown and cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort, that the last known residence of Respondent was in 1966 and was believed to be San Jose, California, and further that in the belief of said Affiant, the Respondent, Alvin Lewis Jones, is over the age of twenty-one years.
IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by the Register that publication be made once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Shelby County Reporter, a newspaper published in Shelby County, Alabama, requiring the said Alvin Lewis Jones to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause within thirty days from September 22, 1969, or in default thereof, a decree pro confesso may be taken against said Respondent.
Done at Office, this 19 day of August, 1969.
L. G. Fulton
Register
8-21, 28, 9-4, 11, 1969 †74.

LEGAL NOTICE
Estate of Ella Gardner Bearden Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of August, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
James R. Bearden
Executor of the Estate of Ella Gardner Bearden, Deceased
8-14,21,28, 1969 †70

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FOR SALE OR TRADE — Half Black and tan and half blue tick puppies 12 weeks old. $25.00 per pair or anything of equal value. See — Erskine Galloway at Howard Hall's Farm, Calera 35040, Rt. 2, Box 49. 8,14-21, p.

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LEGAL NOTICE
PROBATE COURT
Estate of Thelma Laxson Dearing Deceased.
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Harry William Dearing, Jr.
Executor of the Estate of Thelma Laxson Dearing, Deceased
8-7,14,21, 1969 †69

The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
Case No. 1434
IN LAW & EQUITY COURT,
IN EQUITY
Gladys Wyona Morris Complainant vs. Henry J. Morris Respondent
In this cause it being made to appear to the Register by affidavit that the Defendant is a non-resident of Alabama, and that his postoffice address is unknown, and further that in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Shelby County Reporter a newspaper published in Shelby County, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring Henry J. Morris, the said Respondent to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 5 day of September 1969, or in thirty days thereafter a decree Pro Confesso may be taken against him.
Done at office in Columbiana, Alabama, this the 4 day of August, 1969.
L. G. Fulton, Register
8-7,14,21,28, 1969 †68

LEGAL NOTICE
Hooper & McDonald, Inc. hereby gives notice that they have completed the construction on Project No. State 1255-R "B", 1255-S "B" and SCP-30(A-H) & 30-A(1-2) in Shelby County and the County has set the date for final settlement as September 20, 1969. All claims should be filed in our office in Andalusia, Alabama before date set for final settlement.
Hooper & McDonald, Inc.
Andalusia, Alabama
8-21,28; 9-4,11, 1969 †73

LEGAL NOTICE
State of Alabama
Shelby County
This is to give legal notice that on or after August 21, 1969 I will not be responsible for any debts other than those incurred by myself.
Henry W. Crim
Rt. 1, Box 67
Calera, Alabama 35040
8-21, 28, 9-4, 1969

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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I wish to thank my friends for the flowers, gifts, cards, visits and prayers during my stay at Shelby Memorial Hospital. I sincerely appreciate all the expressions of concern.
May God bless each of you.
Mrs. Bernice Green

IN MEMORIAM
L. C. Abbott who died August 13, 1964
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Heart of Dixie

BY ED BLAKE

Footballs and doves will soon be filling the air over Shelby County.

Fall is the ideal season for sportsmen. The hunting season opens on September 22 with the dove the initial target. The high school football season opens the first week of September with the county title the target.

High school coaches in the county have formed a new organization which should be of great benefit to the athletes and spectators.

The new organization is called the Shelby County Senior High School Coaches Association. The organization has had several regular meetings this summer making preparations for the 1969-70 athletic seasons. Lines of communication have been formed which should make for a better organized county-wide sports program.

Officers of the county coaches association are Dan Martin of Thompson, president; Larry Simmons of Thompson, secretary; Ellie Glasscock of Thompson, vice president; and Gary Garrett of Vincent, reporter.

Coaches predict–

During the last meeting the coaches made their pre-season predictions of how the county teams will finish in county competition.

The coaches' predictions are as follows:

1. Vincent High School
2. Shelby County High School
3. Montevallo High School
4. Thompson High School
5. Calera High School
6. Chelsea High School

Do you agree? If not, write down your predictions and mail them to us. We will keep them to the end of the season and see if you can beat the coaches in making predictions.

Shooter ready–

Speaking of the competitive spirit, we talked to Dudley Pendleton, one of the charter members of "We Don't Shoot At Anything Only Once" Club, about the upcoming dove season.

We asked him what he thought about the increase of the dove limit from 12 to 18.

He replied that getting the limit on doves had never presented him with a problem; it's just carrying enough shells to the field that causes all the difficulty.

Dudley said the boost in the limit will mean he will have to find some way to get 36 boxes of shells to the field instead of the usual 24 boxes provided he can maintain his average of one dove for every two boxes of shells.

THOMPSON CHEERERS - - Members of the Thompson High School cheerleading unit, (from left) Michelle Campbell, Barbara Gamble, Carol Snyder, Sandra Lawley, Donna Thomas, Shirley Durrett, Melissa Dennis and Patsy Goff, won a first place position in the Alabama High School Cheerleading Clinic held recently at the University of Alabama and superior ratings and the spirit stick award during the Tennessee Tech Cheerleader Camp in Cookeville, Tenn. Mrs. Carolyn Davidson is the cheerleader sponsor.

Additional rest areas planned for Alabama highways

Since the enactment of the Highway Beautification Act of 1965, the Federal Highway Administration's Bureau of Public Roads has approved 1200 rest areas for placement along the Federal Aid Highway System. Over 200 new ones were opened last year, and 155 of them were on the Interstate Highway System. At present there are 975 rest areas available for use by the traveling public on the interstate system.

Alabama has 171 rest areas throughout the state, and many more are planned. This compares with as few as 21 rest areas in some states, and with the national average per state of 146.

The dominant type rest areas are picnic type, along the state and federal highways in Alabama; however, more recently the state has begun building more extensive type rest areas which include parking areas, rest room facilities and general information. These areas are also manned by a park attendant, to answer guestions for the traveling public, as well as to maintain the rest area.

A good example of the importance of such facilities is the rest area in Elmore County. In a recent 7-month check, before the tourist season, this one rest area was visited by 9,688 people. There were more than 40 states represented. 1,202 were from out-of-state; 6,893 were out-of-county; and 1,593 were from the local area.

Alabama Highway Director, Bob Kendall, Jr., said, "We hope to add significantly to the number of rest areas we have in the state over the next couple of years. It is a proven fact that when people stop to relax and rest while on a long journey, accidents are reduced. We are greatly interested in this, and wish to provide every possible means to see that accidents are avoided and that lives can be saved along our highways.

Montevallo News

By Bert Seaman

A tea honoring Dr. and Mrs. Richard Crowe and their family was held Sunday afternoon in the student center of the Baptist Church. The Crowes left Monday for their new pastorate in Florence.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harris of Los Angeles, Calif. were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meyer.

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Dr. and Mrs. Lewis Kirkland and family are vacationing this week in Daytona Beach, Fla.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Gose of Knoxville, Tenn. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oren Eddings several days last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Glen Yancey spent several days in Houston, Texas last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller and family and Mr. and Mrs. Zane Nathews and family are vacationing in Florida this week.

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Mrs. Merle Richardson and her sister are vacationing in Hawaii.

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A note from Mrs. Gladys Holcombe, former Montevallo resident, tells the Reporter she is enjoying her work as supervisor of instruction for the DeKalb County Georgia school system. She keeps up with Shelby County by subscribing to the Reporter.

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Mr. and Mrs. William C. Sims and children Linda, 10, and Patrick, 8, have moved into their new home on Sequoyah Street from Bakersfield, California. Mr. Sims is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Monette Sims of Montevallo. He is working at the Shelby County Airport and Mrs. Sims will begin work next month as a registered nurse in Shelby Memorial.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis went to Shawmut, Sunday to be present at the christening service of two of their grandchildren, Michael Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis, Jr., of Shawmut, and Joyce Christine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Davis of Ashville.

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STORK SHOWER

Mrs. Ed Blake was the honoree at a stork shower last week, held at Reynolds Hall. Hostesses for the event were Mrs. Fred Miller, Mrs. Lael Huffstutler, Mrs. Tom Turpin and Mrs. Robert Hughes.

Super highways are no more the place for poky sightseeing than they are for testing out the top speed of an automobile, reports the Institute for Safer Living of the American Mutual Liability Insurance Company. Move at or nearly at the speed of the traffic, as long as you do not have to exceed the posted legal speed limit.

Alabama ranks near top in 4-H Club enrollment

Alabama ranks third in 4-H Club enrollment in the 50 states, exceeded only by Georgia and Tennessee. The state has more than 3600 organized clubs with a total membership of nearly 128,000 boys and girls. These 4-H'ers carry nearly 285,000 projects.

Foods and nutrition top the project list, with nearly 38,000 youths taking part. A close second is the clothing project with an enrollment of almost 34,000.

One project that is increasing in popularity is fish and wildlife. Over 9,000 4-H'ers are enrolled.

Other relatively new projects are: electricity, photography, conservation of natural resources, horses and safety.

Swine leads the production projects with over 8,000 4-H'ers participating. More than 6,000 have beef projects and over 4,000 are enrolled in poultry projects.

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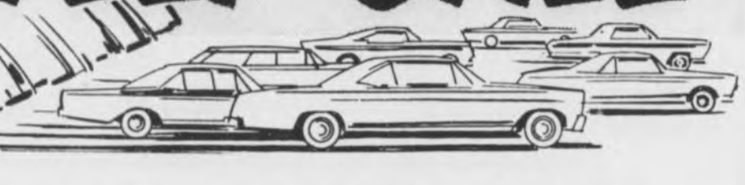
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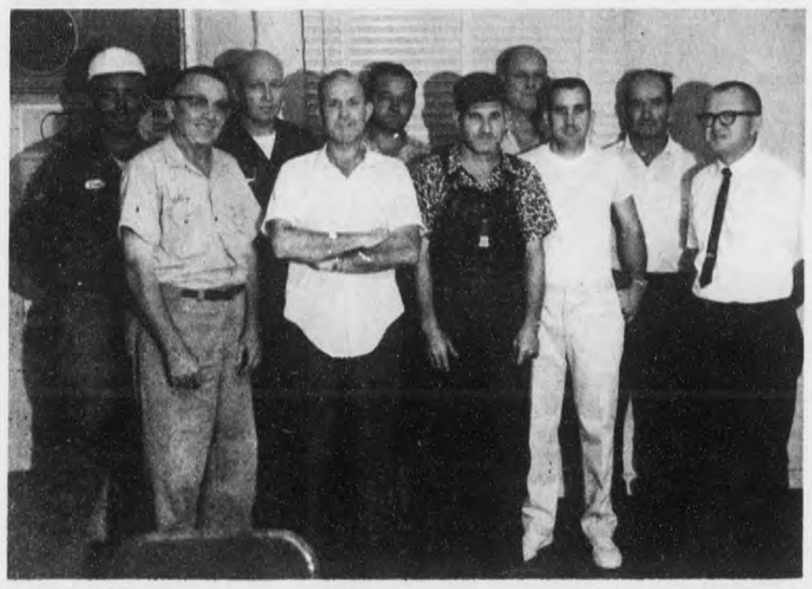

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STEAM PLANT - - Left to Right: A. C. Ledbetter, L. E. Smith, E. R. Bentley, A. E. Burnett, E. R. Southern, B. W. Haynes, C. R. Vincent, J. D. Rowland, C. A. Jones and C. E. Brackett.

SEGCO presents emblems to employees for service

Service emblems were awarded to ten employees of Southern Electric Generating Company's (SEGCO) Ernest C. Gaston Steam Plant near Wilsonville, Alabama and to nineteen employees of SEGCO Mine No. 2 near Maylene, Alabama in ceremonies held at the plant on July 30 and at the mine of August 5.

At the plant, emblems were presented by A. E. Burnett, president of the Company to those completing 5 to 20 years with SEGCO or associated companies. Four employees were honored for 20 years service, four for 10 years and two for 5 years, totalling 130 years of service. At the plant, emblems were awarded to Jack S. Evans, B. W. Haynes, A. C. Ledbetter, and L. E. Smith for 20 years service; to E. R. Southern and C. R. Vincent for 10 years service and to Wayne Barnett and J. D. Rowland, for 5 years service.

At SEGCO Mine No. 2, emblems were presented by C. E. Brackett, operating manager, to nine employees for completing 10 years service and to ten employees for completing 5 years service. Awards given at the mine represent a total of 140 years of service the Company. Emblems were awarded to V. W. Bearden, James J. Blake, Leo W. Blake, Hardy A. Durett, William B. Harkey, C. W. Humphryes, William C. Johnson, Lewis T. Nichols and James V. Scott for 10 years service and to Lewis S. Burgess, Joe H. Eddings, Marvin A. Hiott, Thomas H. Horton, Felix L. Howton, Clyde E. McCulley, Wilburn M. Peeples, Roy Vernon and Jimmie C. West for 5 years service.

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New Hope News

By Mrs. J. M. Denson

Mike and Cindy Young have returned from Hillsboro, Ill. where they visited their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Young.

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Mrs. E. B. Moran and children, Mary Beth and Mark were guests of Mrs. J. W. Mahan and other relatives on Cahaba Valley Road Monday.

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Mrs. Virginia Vailey spent last week in Selma where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Benson.

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Miss Patti Whitworth has returned from a delightful vacation in Pensacola.

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Mrs. H. M. Winslett, Mrs. D. J. Bates and Mrs. Robert Lacey attended the Green Family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McKee in Pinson.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Swafford with Miss Diane Loftis spent last week vacationing in Carrabelle, Florida.

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Mrs. W. R. Pedigo spent the week end in Savannah where she visited her daughter, Mrs. J. Steinbeck and family.

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After spending several weeks here as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Rutherford, Pfc. Mike Rutherford left Saturday fro Germany where he will be stationed.

Mrs. Ellis Rich, Mrs. R. C. Lacey and Mrs. D. J. Bates were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Trion Eiland and family in Talledega recently.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dunaway and children enjoyed a visit to Rickwood Caverns near Cullman Sunday.

Revival set at Wildwood

A series of revival services will be held in the Wildwood Chapel beginning Aug. 24, and continuing through August 31, with Evangelist Ed Carter in charge. Guest ministers from the Assembly of God Church in Childersburg will participate.

State cotton crop better than in 1968

Alabama's cotton crop, this year, is expected to be nearly 80,000 bales more than last year.

Based on early indications, Alabama's Crop Reporting Service estimates the 1969 crop to be some 475,000 bales compared with 397,000 bales last year and only 200,000 bales in 1967.

This year's prospective soybean production is headed for an all time record. A crop of 15.7 million bushels of soybeans is indicated by present weather and soil conditions.

The Reporting Service predicts that production of most crops in Alabama will be above last year's levels.

Farmers are expected to harvest 734,000 tons of hay this year, compared with 701,000 tons last year.

Peanut production is expected to be the highest in recent years. Production is forecast at 274 million pounds for the largest crop since 1950.

The decreasing acreage devoted to production of corn is expected to result in the smallest corn crop since 1873. Only 21 million bushels of corn are expected this year.

Assistance cases opened in June numbered 2,419 while 2,682 cases were closed. The Department of Pensions & Security reports that nearly 45 percent of the openings and more than 41 percent of the closings were for old age pensions.

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Health=related problems are the number one reason people apply to county departments of Pensions & Security for financial assistance each month.

Alabaster-Siluria News

Airman and Mrs. Joe Busby became the parents of a boy, Joel Craig, last Saturday. The baby was born at Shelby Memorial. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Nixon. Airman Busby, on duty in Key West, was delayed getting home for the event by the hurricane.

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Seaman Apprentice Winston Nixon has returned to base at Norfolk, Va. after a 14 day leave.

Larry Watts of Alabaster is visiting in Alabaster on leave and will report to duty in Jacksonville, Fla. soon.

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Tommy Thompson, son of Mrs. Mable Thompson, was recently home after completing a tour of duty in Vietnam. He expects to be discharged from the Arym this fall.

For each 100 pounds of fiber, the cotton plant yields 180 pounds of seed.

County obituaries

James B. Higgins

Graveside funeral services for Montevallo businessman James B. Higgins, 60, were held Tuesday morning in the Montevallo cemetery.

A native of Clanton, Higgins had been in the fence business in Montevallo for the past 17 years.

He entered the Chilton County Hospital in Clanton upon returning from a recent business trip to Atlanta. He died Sunday afternoon.

Higgins is survived by his mother, Mrs. Hettie Alred of Clanton; two daughters, Mrs. Charles D. Cole of Birmingham and Mrs. Charles M. Tarver of San Antonio, Texas; a sister, Mrs. Omar L. Reynolds of Clanton and two half brothers, J. Guy Alred of Montgomery and Daniel Alred of Clanton.

Rue M. Prince

Rue M. Prince, 62, Foundry Supervisor at the Abex Corporation in Calera died suddenly Monday morning in Montevallo.

Mr. Prince had recently moved from Arden Subdivision to a home on Oak Street. He was in the back yard of his former residence in Arden when he was stricken with an apparent heart attack.

A native of North Carolina, Prince had lived in Montevallo for nearly ten years.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at Montevallo's Methodist Church with the Reverend Frank Ledford officiating.

Graveside services will be held today in Shreveport, Louisiana.

Prince is survived by his widow Mrs. Bobbie Prince; his mother Mrs. R. M. Prince of Virginia; a daughter, Sandra, age 7; and two sons Rue M. Prince, Jr., of Norfolk, Virginia; and Victor Prince of Houston, Texas.

Active pall bearers at the Montevallo services included Agee Kelly, Lewis Knowles, H. W. Johnson, B. R. Muehlbauer, and James Seaman.

UA awards degrees Friday

A total of 1,156 students, representing 61 counties, 29 states and eight foreign nations, will be candidates for degrees at the University of Alabama summer graduation exercises scheduled for 8:00 p.m., Friday, August 22, in the Memorial Coliseum.

U. of A. President-Elect Dr. David Mathews will preside.

Candidates for degrees from Shelby County are:

Daniel Montague Acker, Alabaster, MA; Melva Jane Hardwick, Alabaster, BS in Education; Carolyn Malone Doughty, Helena, BS in Microbiology; Richard Dale Caldwell, Montevallo, PH.D.; Miriam Collins, Montevallo, EDD.; Charlotte Diane McKinnon, Montevallo, MA.

Nell Akridge Malone, Montevallo, Ed Spec. in Elem. Ed.; Charles Harold Ainsworth, Siluria, MA; Alice Dotson Burt, Siluria, MA: Edward Allen Fulton, Siluria, MA; Donna Gail Smith, Sterrett, MA; Betty Jane Jackson, Vincent, MA; Calvin Lee Smith, Vincent, MA.

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Jack Thomas
Johnny Mac Shivers
Ann Culwell
Beverly Jordan
Corene W. Rodgers
Mattie Zander
Sharon Gaydon
Addie T. Lacey
Pam Wright
Belle Donia Felder
Daisy Powell
Ellen H. Lamb
Mabel V. Smith
Katie M. Amison
Johnnie P. Summerville
Frederick Dickerson

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Annie M. Nunn
Johnnie C. DuBose
Flossie S. Clemons
Pauline T. Mixon
Lillie M. Jackson
Onnie D. Fluker
Kathryn Owens
Fannie Lois Bailey
Mabel W. Lacey

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C. H. Thornburg
Ann McGaughy
Angeline Fancher
Carrie Lacey
James Weese
Richard Gilliam
J. C. Rowe
W. R. Smith
Lamont Franklin
James Tubbs
Ida H. Johnson
Johnnie Golden
Theodore Tharin, Jr.
Betty Alverson
Paulette Phillips
Elizabeth Brown
Rebecca Downs
Martha Jean White
Betty Cofer
Margie Davis
Jennie Johnson
Dorothy Schroeder
Mary Allison
Elizabeth Jackson
Kate Cadle
Rosalyn Lucas
Essie B. Leach
Mary Allen
Willie Lois Lewis
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Glenda Roy Mims

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Larnetta Smelley
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Lola M. Alexander

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Mickie Humphries
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Richard Conkle
Evan Major
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SUMMER CRUISE - - Catherine Collum and Clarice Farris of Calera enjoyed a recent Caribbean cruise on the Swedish luxury liner M/S Boheme.

Anti-Litter campaign deemed success

"The Alabama Highway Department's Anti-Litter Campaign is working beautifully." This is the comment heard often around the state since the program began June 16, 1969.

Early this year Governor Albert P. Brewer and Highway Director Bob Kendall, Jr., began action to clean up the highways maintained by the Alabama Highway Department. Many hundreds of people became involved, and the program gained support.

Bumper stickers, posters and educational brochures pertaining to antilitter were prepared and distributed over the entire state to individuals, service organizations, municipalities, chambers of commerce, county commissioners, highway offices and many more.

The extensive effort began June 16, and continued till July 18, 1969. During this period more than 950 men were employed daily in the task of removing litter which careless and thoughtless people had discarded along the highways. They walked 9,924 miles, covering approximately 103,000 acres, and picked up so much litter it was enough to fill 185,500 household garbage cans (20 gallon).

This has cost the taxpayers of Alabama $234,167.97 to date. Some counties in north Alabama are finishing up the effort there.

The Alabama Department of Public Safety, under the direction of Col. Floyd Mann, issued 95 arrest tickets to offenders and promised to continue to arrest all offenders.

Municipalities, some 50 in all, also participated vigorously in the effort, and in so doing helped to rid their towns of some of the unsightly litter.

The Alabama Highway Department is not stopping here. Under instruction and guidance of Highway Director Bob Kendall, JR., an educational program pertaining to litter and its problems is now being produced, and will be carried out in the immediate future. Director Kendall said, "We cannot expect it to keep people from littering for all time. It is a continuing process, one which all of us have to be aware of daily, and for this reason our department will continue the educational process to encourage people not to litter."

"We wish to thank Governor Brewer for his support, Colonel Mann, Highway employees, and all those who have participated in this program; and we solicit everyone's continued support."

Plans are now under way to provide informational brochures as well as other educational material to service organizations, schools and all interested parties throughout the state. A source for anti-litter bags is also being sought, and these bags will be distributed through the fine cooperation of the Alabama Petroleum Council at their member stations across the state. Anyone wishing to support this program and/or seeking information should contact the Office of Public Relations, Alabama Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama.

Keep Alabama Beautiful
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Let's Go Fishin'

BY BOB BREWSTER
Outdoor Editor, Mercury Outboards

EASY WAY FOR BAIT

Plant a tree if you're looking for a good supply of fishing bait. Or you might consider going hunting with a tin can and flashlight the next time a thunderstorm comes along.

Although these may not sound like ways to get bait, they are helpful in assuring a supply of worms for summer angling.

Fishermen who plant trees will make sure they have at least one catalpa tree in the yard, say the fishing authorities at Mercury outboards. For this is the source of the long, green catalpa worms considered a delectable dish by many species of fresh water fish.

Catalpa worms are the larval stage of sphinx moths. They often grow to three inches long and are found only on catalpa trees, their sole source of food. They are harvested by shaking the tree and picking up worms that fall to the ground.

Keeping them is easy. A box with catalpa leaves in the bottom works fine. To save them for later use, put them in a can with some cornmeal and keep the can refrigerated. They can be strung on the hook like an ordinary fishing worm.

A second easy way to get bait is to go worm hunting during spring and early summer storms.

At night, during a heavy rain storm, earth worms will come out of the ground and lay on top of the grass or just underneath. Many of them will travel, moving out onto concrete driveways and street curbs. All you need do is don a raincoat, grab a can and flashlight and pick up a good start on your summer's bait supply. During prolonged storms, you can repeatedly return to the same driveway, finding a fresh supply of worms each time.

During the month of June the Department of Pensions and Security gave financial assistance or social service to 250,000 persons in Alabama.

Western boosts State's economy

The Western Electric Company, which manufactures and supplies equipment for South Central Bell's expansion and improvement needs in Alabama contributed more than $12 million to the state economy in 1968.

John W. Godwin, local South Central Bell manager who released the figures, pointed out that Western Electric purchased over $9 million worth of materials from some 201 suppliers in 44 Alabama cities. The companies involved in the transactions were mostly local firms employing less than 500 persons.

The company paid another $2 million to its 400 employees in Alabama. Western Electric also contracts for such services as engineering and installs central office equipment for South Central Bell.

25 years ago--

Boothon mine sold

Purchase of the Southern Coal & Coke Col, of Boothton, producers of high grade metalurgical and domestic coal from George F. Peter was announced Saturday by Darius Thomas and Associates.

25 Years Ago

The Board of Registrars is in session this week at the courthouse to register new voters. This will be their last meeting until January 1945. Members of the Board are: J. A. King, Pelham; O. P. Head, Wilton and Thomas Minor, Columbiana.

25 Years Ago

Dr. A. F. Harmon, president of Alabama College announces this week the appointment of Mrs. Theda Wyatt Nordan as Executive Secretary of AC.

25 Years Ago

Tentative plans to nearly double teacher retirement pensions in Alabama now hangs on the approval from state attorney general, after Gov. Chauncey Sparks endorsed the proposal, providing a suitable plan could be formulated.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. Roy Lester has returned home following an accident caused by a street car collision in Birmingham and is reported to be convalescing satisfactorily.

25 Years Ago

On August 13, in historic Lester's Chapel in Chelsea, the annual Homecoming Sermon will be preached by the Rev. John Perkins of Nashville, Tenn., assisted by the Rev. Edward Gardner.

25 Years Ago

More than 5,000 applications for soldier's ballots for the November election have been forwarded to Probate Judges by Secretary of State Sibyl Poole.

25 Years Ago

Lt. James A. Wyatt of Montevallo, now stationed at an 8th Fighter Station in England, has been awarded the Purple Heart. Jimmy enlisted in the Air Corps May 16, 1942 and was commissioned at Napier Field, Ala., August 30, 1943. He went over seas in January. In addition to the Purple Heart, he has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and also the Air Medal with three oak leaf clusters.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wyatt of Montevallo.

25 Years Ago

Dan Harper and Oliver Head are members of a Boy Scout Troop who have enjoyed a week's vacation on Double Oak Mountain.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. Lida Wood spent the week end in Columbiana. She holds a responsible position at Ft. McClellan.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. N. Y. Horn and her little son, Howell, returned home Saturday from Talladega, where they had been for several days while Howell was in the hospital recuperating from a serious operation.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. William Clark and her young daughter have come to Columbiana for an extended stay. They have been in California with Lt. Clark where he is serving in the armed forces.

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by Laurence M. Hursh, M.D.
Consultant, National Dairy Council

FOOD FOR ATHLETES

Is your boy in an athletic program at school? If so, it wouldn't hurt for you to know that a lot of food faddism gains circulation in athletic circles. Some coaches know nutrition. Many don't.

As a result, special restraints, or special food products, especially on game day, may be recommended to your boy. In my opinion, advice to athletes that they use oxygen, or vitamins, or honey with their meals, or special medication is a lot of nonsense.

Eat Regular Meals

There simply is no reason for a football player, for example, to not eat his regular breakfast and lunch on Saturday, provided he has the same time interval between breakfast, lunch and game time as he has observed during the week between breakfast, lunch, and 4 o'clock practice.

What coaches are usually after when they suggest a different routine is to make game day special, psychologically. They use every means they can to get the team "up" for competition.

Well, there are plenty of means for influencing a boy's frame of mind and stimulating motivation without messing around with your son's basic body metabolism. In fact, fooling around with food practices that are otherwise sound can, in fact, serve to make a boy less effective.

Your son should, in my opinion, consume a diet that provides 15 percent of the calories from protein, 40 percent from fat, and 45 percent from carbohydrate. Higher protein diets cause problems, especially when the weather is hot and water is limited. On the other hand, a pure carbohydrate diet results in difficulties in retaining water. And, finally, too high a fat content in the diet, particularly in cold weather, will cause problems too technical to discuss here, but real nevertheless.

The Average American Diet

Trained nutritionists will, of course, recognize my recommendation above as being pretty much the average American diet. Well, yes. That is what I'm recommending. I am saying that a special diet has no benefit so far as athletic performance is concerned, but that a well balanced diet will be of benefit.

In research I have been personally involved in we have found that no special food regimens, no so-called aids improved whatsoever the physical index of individuals. So give your athlete normal meals at pre-game intervals he's used to. And if you want to reward him with some special food treat, do so **after** the game.

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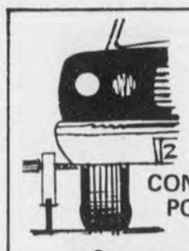
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With our servicemen

Sgt. Jack W. Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Hughes of Rt. 1, Montevallo, will take his R and R leave soon in Australia. The sergeant is serving with the U.S. Army 4th Division in Vietnam. He was with Fire Base 25 until it was turned over to the South Vietnamese in April. At present he is an instructor to a group of South Vietnamese soldiers near Pleique, Vietnam.

He is a graduate of Montevallo High School and attended Jacksonville University before entering the army in 1967. His tour of overseas duty will end in September.

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Army Pfc. Robert P. Lacey, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Lacey, Route 1, Helena was assigned as a teletype operator with the 36th Signal Battalion near Cu Chi, Vietnam, July 10. His wife, Bobbie, lives in Birmingham.

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Airman First Class Emery H. Hoyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer R. Hoyle of Rt. 1, Vincent is a member of a unit that has earned the U.S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award for the third consecutive year.

Airman Hoyle, a munitions specialist in the 12th Tactical Fighter Wing at Cam Ranh Bay AB, Vietnam, will wear the distinctive ribbon to mark his affiliation with the unit.

The airman is a graduate of Vincent High School.

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Marine Private First Class Curtis R. Dennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis R. Dennis of Calera is serving with the Third Battalion, Ninth Regiment, Third Marine Division.

His battalion is part of the Ninth Regimental Landing Team which is being deployed from Vietnam to Okinawa.

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Airman Louis H. Rowe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Rowe, Rt. 1, Maylene has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas. He has been assigned to Chanute AFB, Ill., for training as a fire protection specialist. Airman Rowe is a 1969 graduate of Thompson High School in Siluria.

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Marine Sergeant Charles A. Rich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted R. Rich of Route 1, Sterrett and husband of the former Miss Linda J. Franks of Birmingham was promoted to his present rank while serving with the First Marine Aircraft Wing in Vietnam.

His promotion was based on time in service and rank, military appearance, and his knowledge of selected military subjects.

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Marine Corporal James L. Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Ray, Jr., of Columbiana was promoted to his present rank while serving with the First Marine Aircraft Wing in Vietnam.

His promotion was based on time in service and rank, military appearance, and his knowledge of selected military subjects.

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Private Willie A. Brantley Jr., 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie A. Brantley, Route 1, Montevallo, completed a motion picture projector equipment repairman course July 3 at the Army Signal School, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

During the 11-week course, he was trained to maintain and repair still and sound motion picture projectors, tape recorders and related equipment.

PCF. ROBERT P. LACEY

SGT. JACK W. HUGHES

Vital Statistics

BIRTHS

GIRLS

Mr. and Mrs.
Royce Adair Abernathy — Alabaster
James Anderson — Montevallo
Howard Davis Brogden — Siluria
Billy Jack Bullard — Calera
Lyndal Cast, Sr. — Calera
Raymond Cribbs — Shelby
Robert David Eastis — Wilsonville
Walter Eugene Glass — Calera
Benny Byrd Hall — Underwood
Jewell Hawkins, Jr. — Pelham
Nathan Berry Hughes — Columbiana
Amos Webb Kelley — Harpersville
Richard King — Calera
Donald Lee Lemley — Calera
Ovid Merchant, Jr. — Montevallo
James Oliver Phillips — Calera
James Rowland Ray, Jr. — Wilsonville
Alvin Cecil Smith — Calera
John Harold Spicer — Montevallo
Charles Phillip Wheeler — Wilsonville
Jimmy Wayne Wright — Columbiana

BOYS

Charles Edward Beasley — Calera
Hylotte Porter Brasher — Shelby
Bobby Coston — Siluria
Carlton Eugene Gillis — Montevallo
James Franklin Glasgow — Alabaster
Orin Carl Haggemaker — Wilton
Howard Gene Hitt — Calera
James Rex Johnson — Birmingham
David Campbell Long — Columbiana
Gordon Preston Overton — Sterrett
Bobby Franklin Patton — Helena
Robert Dan Singleterry — Jemison
Joe Cephes Vines — Calera
Billy Wayne Wooten — Columbiana

DEATHS

Arant, Nannie — Calera
Blackerby, Charlie F. — Wilsonville
Cost, Grace — Calera
Crosby, Lee Lewis — Birmingham
Denton, Jimmie Louise — Keystone
Drake, Leonard M. — Shelby
Fancher, Maude — Randolph
Flippo, Troy Cephus — Calera
Gentry, Luther — Helena
Goggins, Henry Thomas — Helena
Hall, James N. — Alabaster
Hall, Ned — Harpersville
Hammons, Daughty — Hueytown
Howard, Issacc Claude — Vandiver
Lindsey, Speer Kytle — Calera
Moore, Joseph Franklin — Pell City
Murray, Vincent Dallas — Montevallo
Nolen, Mary Almeda — Wilsonville
Parks, Maybell — Calera
Ray, Bonnie Roberta — Siluria
Roy, Ophelia Elaine — Helena
Schroeder, Melba — LeGrange, Ill.
Sewell, Perlie M. — Alabaster
Sims, Thomas — Bessemer
Snyder, Molly T. — Vincent
Speed, Linda Anne — Birmingham
Strickland, Russell — Columbiana
Sydes, Clarence — Montevallo

Flowers in Vietnam

Congressman Flowers (along with four other Representatives) is presently on a study tour of Southeast Asia during the August Congressional recess. However, he has been in touch with his Washington office and reported in part on his first days in South Vietnam:

"We have literally covered South Vietnam by helicopter during the past three days – from the demilitarized zone in the north to the Mekong River Delta in the south. After arriving in Saigon, we were briefed by both American and South Vietnamese military and government officials on the present status of the war.

"We then traveled to Lai Khe, which is headquarters for the Army's 1st Infantry Division. This is the division which is known as "Big Red One" and which was "adopted" by the City of Birmingham a few years ago. From Lai Khe, we went by helicopter to several American fire support bases (one of which is named Birmingham) and had the opportunity of visiting with some of our men in the field. These fire support bases are located on the tops of hills and are generally manned by 300 to 400 soldiers.

"We flew to the old imperial capital of Hue and from there to Da Nang and were briefed by Lt. General Herman Nickerson, the 3rd Marine Division Commander. The Marines operate primarily along the DMZ and have been responsible for stopping enemy activity in the northern section of the country.

"We flew over the A Shau Valley and along the Laotian border in the area of the so-called Ho Chi Minh Trail. We also visited with what is generally considered South Vietnam's best trained division, the 1st ARVN, and saw captured North Vietnamese weapons and training films. Coming back to Saigon, we went into the area protected by the 101st Airborne Division and spent some time at their Field Headquarters, known as Camp Eagle. Our flight of helicopters observed enemy sniper fire in the Michelin rubber plantation area outside of Saigon.

"Throughout the entire country, we have talked with and observed hundreds of American servicemen (many from Alabama). I was very much impressed with the high morale and dedication to duty which all of these men exhibited. I will be giving more detailed reports on my findings after returning to Alabama next week. In the meantime, we will be visiting in other Southeast Asian countries.

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

Well, as you read this, I shall be taking a week's leave from the Falcon Book Store on Main Street in Montevallo, to catch up on some long-neglected duties at home – things I have been promising myself to do for ages, but just could not seem to find time nor energy to get at. But "Miss Grace" is at the store to look after your needs. We may close Wednesday afternoons this next two weeks, so better phone before coming to town.

Our back-to-school orders are in; large packs of notebook paper, binders, composition books, etc. We can't compete with our friends the discount stores; but our prices are reasonable, and our quality is the best we can provide. And we are "home folks". So come see us. We're always glad to see you.

Calera News

MRS. PHIL BAER HONORED AT TEA

Mrs. Phil Baer was honored Sunday August 3rd at a tea at the home of Mrs. Eugene Lucas in Calera.

Mrs. Byron McDonald registered the 40 guests who called during the afternoon. Mrs. Virginia Gates and Mrs. Robert Crouse assisted at the tea table.

Other hostesses were Mrs. C. L. Cobb, Mrs. Oscar Hall, Mrs. Jim Owen, Mrs. Charles McDonald, Mrs. Carl Wooten and Mrs. Marie King. Many lovely and useful gifts were recieved by the bride.

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County general fund may borrow $20,000

By Conrad Fowler
Chairman, Board of Revenue

The Shelby County Board of Revenue has authorized the negotiation of a temporary loan in anticipation of taxes in the amount of $20,000 to replenish the diminished County General Fund. The loan will be obtained from the First National Bank of Columbiana at an interest rate of 5½ per cent. It will be repaid on or prior to December 31. The fiscal year of the County ends September 30.

The 1968-69 appropriations by the Board included about $75,000 of a non-recurring nature. Appropriations from the General Fund are estimated to run $50,000 in excess of revenues. The Board expects to borrow an additional $30,000 in September.

Expenditures in excess of revenues and the reason therefor include $10,000 additional appropriations for the library building, occasioned by the need and the availability of $16,000 additional state and federal money; $20,500 for the purchase of real rstate, to extend county property to the west of the courthouse parking parking area; $12,000 for the creation of Shelby County Planning Department, a valuable service to municipalities and to the county in obtaining benefits from various federal programs. This planning program will be funded with two-thirds federal

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Hackney Corp. back to work

Work resumed at the Hackney Corporation in Columbiana with the 11 p.m. shift Sunday night.

A strike against the company's plants in Columbiana and Powderly lasted more than a week.

Representatives of the United Steelworkers Union are reportedly meeting with management personnel this week to work out the terms of a contract.

FUN AT FAIR - - Four year old Charles Robinson isn't quite sure where his mount is taking him as he tries out the carousel on opening night at the county fair. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Robinson of Columbiana.

McCarley maintains 'Did not have due process'

By Marcia M. Sears

"If I'd have been an attorney, I wouldn't be in this trouble now."

W. G. "Mac" McCarley, until August 20 the state senator representing Shelby County, said this to the Reporter Monday night. The Reporter reached McCarley by telephone at his home in Prattville.

His tone was subdued but he talked freely and without bitterness about his experiences at the hands of a select Senate committee.

Named by the Montgomery Advertiser as having told the Fraternal Order of Police that $3500 would be needed to get a pension bill passed by the Senate, McCarley was subsequently expelled by his colleagues.

In his interview with the Reporter the 20-year Navy veteran said, "I can't understand the swiftness of the proceedings. I was accused Tuesday morning (Aug. 12) by a newspaper of the low calibre of the Montgomery Advertiser and by the following Wednesday (Aug. 20) I had been accused, tried and convicted by the Senate. I have not seen a transcript of the

W. G. McCARLEY

testimony. I did not have due process. If you can't face your accusers, you can't defend yourself."

McCarley insists he acted only as the messenger for Senators Ray Lolley and Roland Cooper when he talked with the FOP. The two senators deny the charge.

McCarley feels a thorough airing should be made of the retainer fees attorney-legislators regularly accept from clients who have an interest in pending legislation. "With all the special interest groups around, it doesn't seem the ordinary folks get anything."

A specially convened grand jury is already hearing witnesses testify on the entire matter of ethics in the state legislature.

Persons having information on any wrong-doings by legislators are urged to come forward and offer their knowledge to the grand jury.

McCarley philosophises, "If it takes my sacrifice [to uncover questionable practices in the legislature], I guess I'll be serving some purpose, even though it's been a nightmare."

New era begins Monday

A.C. becomes University of Montevallo

A new era in higher education begins Monday in Shelby County.

Monday is the day when Alabama College officially becomes the University of Montevallo and Shelby County joins a select group of eight other Alabama counties in being the "home" of a state university.

For nearly 140 years an institution of learning has been located in Shelby County.

In 1851, more than a decade before the Civil War, the Montevallo Male Institute was established in a single brick building, located near the King family plantation in the community of Montevallo.

Seven years later, in 1858, control of the flourishing school was transferred to the State of Alabama and the state legislature incorporated the Montevallo Male and Female Collegiate Institute.

This coeducational school continued to be successful until the War Between the States forced the college to close its doors.

During the war, the principal building served in several capacities, including an aid station, infirmary and as an induction center.

The same building, now known as Reynolds Hall, served as a local high school and a grammar school during the years between the close of the war and 1896.

In 1896 the State of Alabama reestablished its interest in Montevallo and created a state supported institution which has grown and prospered through the years.

According to the records, Montevallo was selected because of the town's location near the geographical center of the state, "... its healthful climate and a substantial gift of cash and property by its citizens".

Management of the school since 1896 has been vested in a Board of Trustees composed of the Governor, who is the board's president, the State Superintendent of Education and eleven members appointed by the Governor, one from each on the state's Congressional districts and three from the State-At-Large.

During the 73 years since 1896 the school has had ten presidents. The first, Captain Henry Clay Reynolds, had been a lieutenant in the Confederate States Army and at the time of his election was a merchant and planter.

In 1899 Reynolds was succeeded by Dr. Francis Marion Peterson, Professor of Ancient Languages at Southern University, Greensboro (now Birmingham - Southern).

The third president, Dr. Thomas Waverly Palmer, before coming to Montevallo in 1907 had been Dean and Professor of Mathematics at the University of Alabama.

In 1926 Dr. Oliver C. Carmichael, Dean of the College since 1922, became the fourth president. Dr. Arthur Fort Harman, former State Superintendent of Education served the school as its fifth president from 1935 to 1947 when he was succeeded by Dr. John Tyler Caldwell, its sixth president.

In July of 1952 Caldwell resigned to accept the presidency of the University of Arkansas, and was succeeded by Dr. F. Edward Lund, former Dean of Florence State College. In August of 1957, Dr. Howard M. Phillips, Dean of the Graduate School, Emory University became the eighth president.

Dr. Delos P. Culp, President of Livingston State College succeeded Dr. Phillips and on June 1, 1963 became the ninth president. In January of last year, Dr. Kermit A. Johnson assumed the office as tenth president.

A variety of names has been assigned to the Shelby County School. From 1896 - 1911 it was known as the Alabama Girls Industrial School; from 1911 - 1918 Alabama Girls Technical Institute; from 1919 - 1923 Alabama Technical Institute and College for Women; from 1923 - 1956 Alabama College the State College for Women; and from 1956 - 1969 Alabama College.

On Monday, September 1, it will become the University of Montevallo.

Academically the school has developed from a non-degree granting institution to a liberal arts college and on Monday it will become a multi-purpose state university. The school grants a variety of degrees including the bachelor of arts, bachelor of science, bachelor of music, bachelor of music education, master of arts in teaching and master of education.

The University of Montevallo is a member of more than a dozen associations for higher learning and has chapters of 16 national honor societies and fraternities. In 1928 it was one of the founding institutions of the Southern Association of American Colleges and Universities.

Many educational

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NEW VIEW - - A new designation will appear above the campus gates when students return to Montevallo for the fall semester next month. Alabama College becomes the University of Montevallo on September 1. Photograph shows the Vine Street entrance to the campus with Calkins Hall in the background.

GUNSMOKE ? NO – COUNTY JAIL - - Sheriff C. P. Walker can watch activity in the cell blocks with this monitor in the office. The county is investigating the TV system as a means of improving security in the jail. Costs for installation would start at about $800.

CHECKING TV SYSTEM FOR JAIL - - County officials gathered Monday to watch a demonstration of closed circuit television for the jail. From left, Sheriff C. P. Walker, Board of Revenue members, E. C. Wooten and Alton Parker and Circuit District Attorney James H. Sharbutt.

Contempt of court injunction produces fines, jail terms

Three men were fined $50 each and sentenced to three days in jail by Circuit Judge Kenneth Ingram after a hearing involving contempt of a court injunction. The injunction was issued August 9 to the United Textile Workers of America Union and several named individuals at the Elastic Corporation of America in Columbiana. ECA charged four individuals and the UTWA with violating the injunction on August 15 when employees were prevented from leaving the plant.

It was the first injunction involving a labor union in Shelby County since 1959, according to Circuit Clerk L. G. Fulton. At that time an injunction was issued in connection with a dispute at Southern Cement. It was later dissolved, Fulton said.

Bobby Ray Brasher, James Pate and Gerald Blackerby were fined as a result of the hearing last Wednesday. They reported to the county jail to serve their three-day terms Thursday morning.

The hearing took up a day and a half of testimony in Circuit Court.

Albert DeLoach, as representative of the Textile Workers Union was ordered to post a surety bond of $75,000. In lieu of the bond, DeLoach is serving time in jail.

Charges against Willis Oates were dropped for lack of evidence.

Judge Ingram stated, before announcing his decision, "There is one simple issue here. On proper cause on August 9 this court issued a temporary injunction directed to certain individuals against certain acts. As the court sees the matter, the dignity of the State of Alabama and of this Court requires enforcing it."

Max C. Pope and Lewis Gwaltney were attorneys for the union and three of the four accused. Charles Powell, III of the firm of Lange, Simpson, Robinson and Somerville represented the company.

Attorney Gwaltny gave a moving summation for the defense, saying that the company had been instrumental in creating the

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WINNING A DOG - - Timothy Strickland reaches happily for his prize at the duck pond. He and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Strickland of Columbiana were early arrivals at the county fair which is sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Columbiana.

Interviews with pickets reveal cynical feeling

Interviews with those who are maintaining the picket line at the Elastic Corporation in Columbiana reveal some deep-seated bitterness at the general "establishment" in Columbiana and the county, as well as toward the company they are picketing.

Mrs. James Pate told the Reporter, "I want to know why this is a one-sided affair. If the law applies to one side, why doesn't it apply to both sides? Joe Murray was served a paper and they put his trial off until a later date. My husband was arrested on Monday and his trial was Tuesday and Wednesday.

"The circuit judge wouldn't give our lawyers time to prepare their case, so he's resting in jail for three days and $50 with two more boys – and I'm staying on the line.

"If Columbiana is not against us, why don't they show us? We can't get any help: no support, no warrants. This is a one-sided affair."

Ruth Carden had this to say: "Joe Murray doesn't care what happens to the people on the inside or the outside. He told Judge Walden Friday night – August 15 – that he would close the plant down and would not let anybody else cross this picket line, until this was settled if we would just let them out and go home. Today (Aug. 21) there's 32 in there.'

James Willis claims, "The whole outfit's against us (referring to Mayor Bob Bolton and Judges Walden and Ingram) in my opinion. I think we need the whole town organized."

Laura Ward said, "I want to know why the people are working in the plant and don't want a union, when there's nothing in the plan for them: no sick pay and poor wages.'

A comment from Ethelene Ingram was, "I need to work as bad as anybody in there and that's no excuse to be going over the picket line."

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

At a meeting of the City Council of Columbiana on the evening of August 21, it is reported that Jack Smith, a former policeman in Columbiana, and Roger Liernard were appointed to serve as full time police officers. Other policemen on duty are Chief Bill Billingsley and V. B. Gaydon.

Regarding a telephone request for the Chief of Police telephone number in Columbiana, it is 669-6242 during the day. The night phone, we are reliably informed, is the sheriff's office 669-2151.

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Mrs. Earline Doss, efficient clerk in the Probate Office, has been appointed by Judge Conrad M. Fowler to succeed Mrs. Annette Skinner, who has resigned to accept a secretarily position at Bethea in Pelham. Mrs. Billy Voce has also accepted a secretarial position in the Probate Office.

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Dean Upson has requested a correction relative to the wording of an article on OEO printed in the August 7 issue of the Reporter. He is not to "administer" the proposed "Economic Development" program for 1970. His title is Field Representative for Shelby County in the classification of community action and financial counseling.

The Eleventh Area of OEO is composed of Shelby, Bibb and Chilton counties. Several different programs to assist the poverty-stricken and elderly come under its jurisdiction.

A budget of nearly half a million dollars has been proposed for 1970 to carry on the work. Applications for the various programs are now in Atlanta awaiting budget approval.

Burton K. Mullins of Clanton is director of the Eleventh Area OEO.

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With the expulsion of W. G. McCarley from the Senate, the four-county district of Shelby, Coosa, Chilton and Autauga counties no longer has a Senator. This is one of the few elective offices that cannot be filled by appointment of the Governor. The Code of Alabama reads that the Governor must call an election if the legislature will be in session prior to the next election. Rep. Tom Stubbs arranged for G. Kyser Leonard, Senator from Talladega County to introduce local Shelby County bills during the remaining days of this legislative session.

Editorial comment–

McCarley did not fit smooth image

He got caught. Then he admitted the charge. In the eyes of the Senate, these were the serious offenses.

Abrasive, brash and open, State Senator W. G. McCarley just did not fit the image of sophistication the Senate has of itself. So at the first opportunity, they voted him out - the first senator in modern memory to be expelled.

Yet the Senate will not make public the testimony in the case and is not interested in setting up an ethics committee to regulate itself.

A grand jury, swiftly called to conduct an investigation, should receive the cooperation of all citizens. Faith in the democratic process and public confidence in the integrity of the state legislature itself is at stake.

The gnawing question remains - Why did McCarley not know it was wrong to talk about money in return for legislation to - of all people - the police?

In the Navy from the age of 15 to 35 did he not have the opportunity to learn about integrity?

As one of George Wallace's hardest working supporters and fund raisers in 1967 and 1968 was he not exposed to people who knew this?

As Shelby County's senator, did none of his mentors let him in on this elementary code of behavior?

Or was it that this boy who dropped out of school after the fifth grade saw so much of this behavior by the privileged and educated that he actually concluded it was all right?

The personal tragedy is McCarley's.

The state, however, can ultimately benefit from the probes now going on if they are conducted fairly in the full light of publicity. The admirals should answer the same questions as the sailor.

Two sidelights in the glare surrounding the investigation are of interest:

Who is the "Birmingham gambler" McCarley mentioned in testimony as a source for money for the FOP? Is he any relation to the man who operates in Shelby County - through raids, padlocks and improper search warrants?

And how did the good name of the Alabama Sheriffs' Boys Ranch get dragged into this? At first it was reported - then later denied - that McCarley would have donated his part of the swag to the Boys' Ranch. It behooves the treasurer of that renowned organization, which serves such a useful purpose, to run, not walk to the best auditor in the state and then make public the findings. Confidence must be maintained in this excellent youth-care facility.

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Letters to Editor

Letter to Editor
August 26, 1969

Our Cup Runneth Over
By Eddie Atkisson

I would like to dedicate this letter to all the fine men and women, who helped and is still helping, to bring Organized Labor to the fair city of Columbiana.

During these past days of grief, trying to get the Hackney Manufacturing Corporation to ratify our Union and give us a contract, we the people, found the road to that goal not an easy one to follow.

And we also found, that a cup of sorrow is always measured.

God doesn't allow us to have more than we are able to bear. But as a cup of bitterness is always measured, a cup of blessing always overflows.

And now that Organized Labor is on the threshold of making it's debut in the city of Columbiana, our cup runneth over.

Obituary

Virginia A. Roper Clayton

Mrs. Virginia A. Roper Clayton died in Costa Mesa, California on August 17.

She was born in Shelby County 79 years ago. Funeral services were held at the Mt. Era Church with burial in the adjoining cemetery last Friday. The Rev. Johnny Albright officiated.

Mrs. Clayton is survived by two half brothers, George and Lee Roper of Hayden, Ala. and several nephews and nieces.

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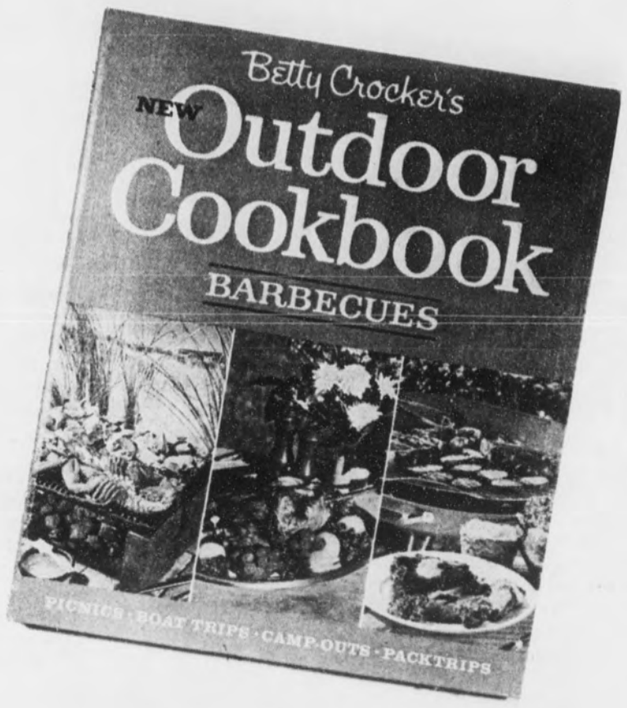

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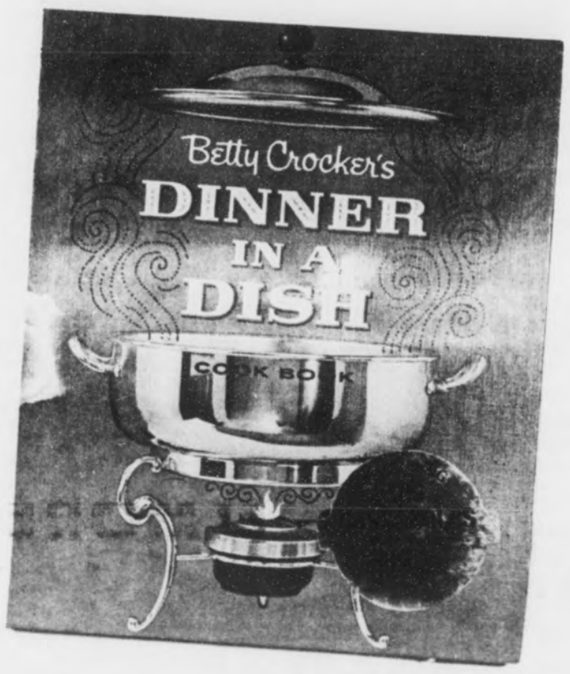

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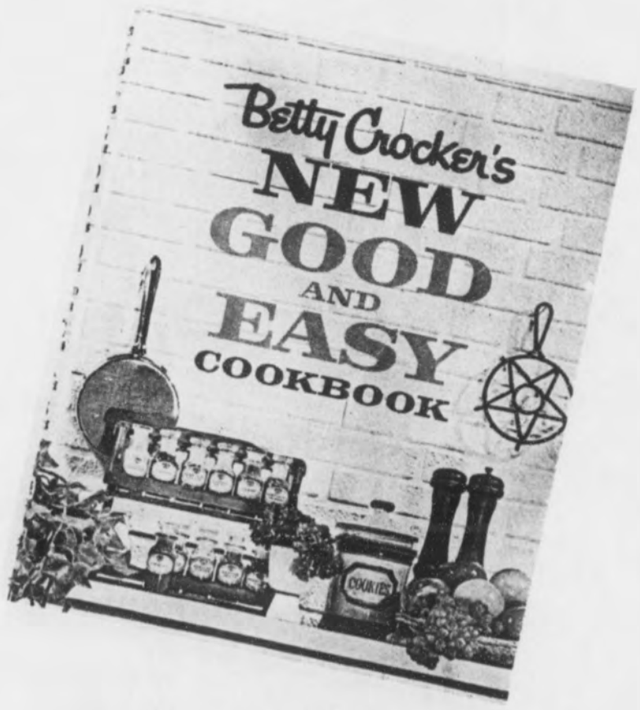

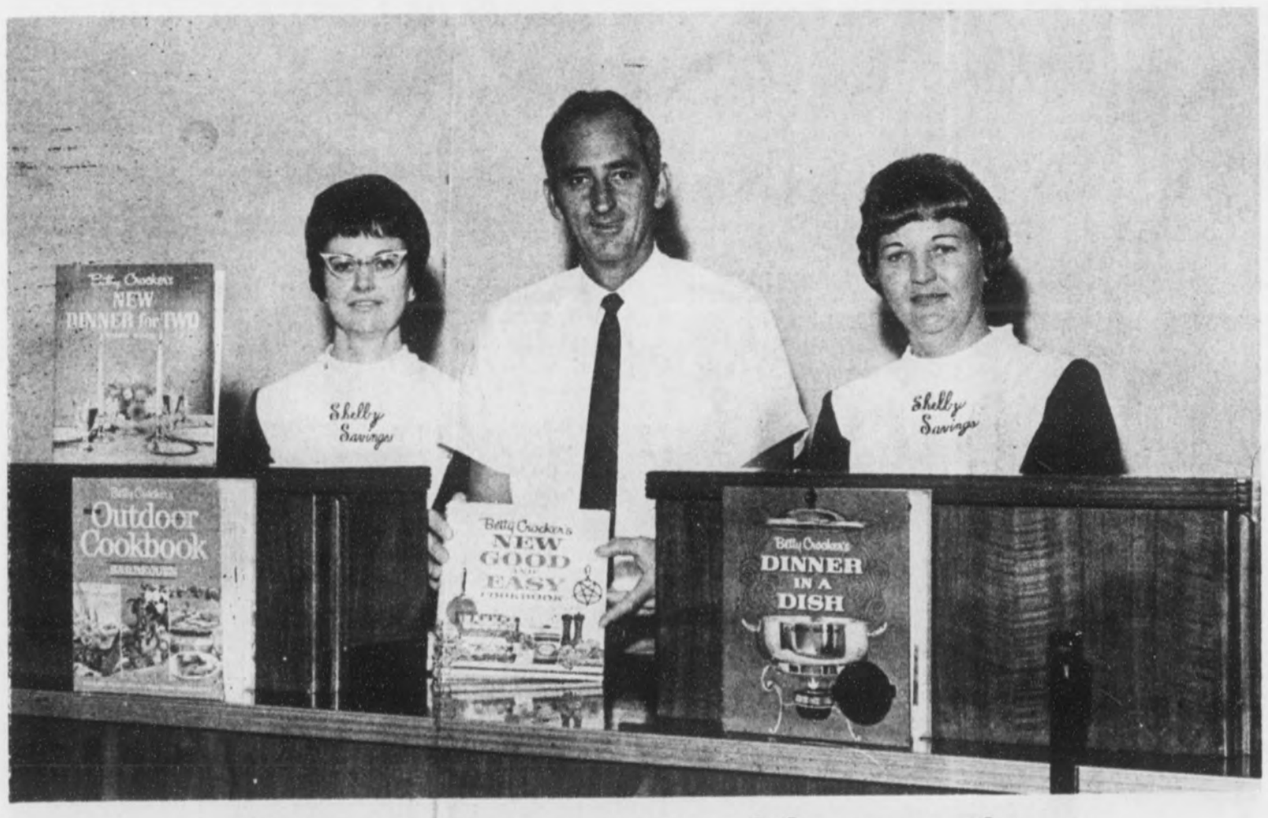

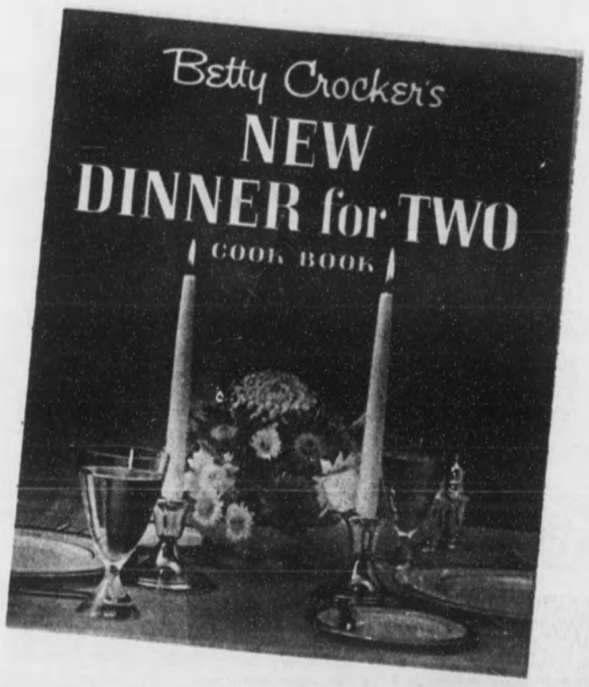

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MRS. DOUGLAS M. KENT II

Miss Peggy Hurt weds Douglas Kent

Mr. and Mrs. Lee A. Barclay, Sr., of Montevallo, announce the marriage of her daughter, Peggy Sue Hurt to Douglas M. Kent II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Marshall Kent of Siluria.

The marriage vows were exchanged on the evening of August 23, at 7:00 o'clock in the Elliottsville Cumberland Presbyterian Church, the Rev. C. E. Bishop, officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by her step-father. She wore an empire peau de soie gown appliqued with lace and accented with pearls. She carried a bridal bouquet of orchids and stephanotis.

Bridesmaids were Miss Nancy Barclay, Miss Joy Kent and Mrs. Don Hurt; matron of honor was Mrs. James Earl Nabors. All wore aqua floor length dresses made of peau de soie empire styled. They carried bouquets of yellow and white carnations.

Debbie Davenport was the flower girl.

D. M. Kent attended his son as best man and the ushers included Don Hurt and James Chapman.

Following the wedding, a reception was held in the church parlors after which the young couple left for a honeymoon trip in Florida. Upon their return, they will make their future home in Siluria.

Guest Choir at First Baptist Aug. 28

Members of the Youth Choir of the First Baptist Church in Columbiana, will entertain the Youth Choir from Eastlawn Baptist Church, Pascagoula, Miss., with a supper party in the Fellowship Hall tonight, Aug. 28, after which the visitors will present a program of sacred music beginning at 7:30.

There are 45 members in the Eastlawn church choir who will take part in this presentation. The public is cordially invited to hear these youthful musicians during their stay in Columbiana.

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Glad to report to Bruce Alverson's friends that he is recuperating satisfactorily following surgery in Shelby Memorial last week.

Society Page And Personal Mention

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

School Days

A Salute to Teacher!

It is again about time for the tin-tin-nabulation of the school bells signalling the return of thousands of carefree youngsters back to a scholastic routine. Naturally, our thoughts turn to the personnel of those who will assume the highly responsible positions as instructors.

We were impressed, some time ago, by a statement made by our good friend, the late Judge Walter B. Jones of Montgomery, who -- in speaking of teachers -- paid them a verbal tribute worth repeating. The Judge had this to say: "The rewards that come to a teacher do not and never can amount to much in worldly goods, dollars and cents. The teacher's and the scholar's compensation is measured in different currency – in that world of the mind where no vow of poverty deters his rearing the most stately mansions that his capacity can produce."

It is true the world never hears of many dedicated teachers who spend their lives doing their work quietly and efficiently. Their names are never flung across the front pages of our newspapers. In a way, They are comparatively unknown – yet, how vital and lasting is their influence on our lives!

Dr. Henry Van Dyke, with his fluent pen, once wrote a beautiful tribute to "The Unknown Teacher" – and we reprint it, believing that the sentiment of appreciation will be especially timely in expressing grateful recognition of those in whose care is committed the shaping of the future lives of young Americanos.

The Unknown Teacher
(Henry Van Dyke)

"I sing the praises of the Unknown Teacher. Great generals win campaigns, but it is the Unknown Soldier who wins the war. Famous educators plan new systems of pedagogy – but it is the Unknown Teacher who delivers and guides the young. He lives in obscurity and contends with hardships. For him no trumpets blare, no chariots wait. He keeps watch along the borders of darkness and makes the attack on the trenches of powers which are enemies to youth. He awakens the sleeping spirit. He quickens the indolent, encourages the eager, and studies the unstable, He communicates his own joy in learning and shares with boys and girls the best treasures of his mind. He lights many candles which in later years will shine back to cheer him. This is his reward."

All schools in Shelby County will open Sept. 2. Teachers -- as well as students -- have additional problems this year, and an intelligent – rather than emotional approach on the part of both is essential as a joint endeavor is made to promote an understanding that can and will, we hope, bring about a mutually satisfactory solution.

M.W.W.

MISS DIANNE PAYTON

Miss Dianne Payton plans wedding

Mr. and Mrs. George Payton of Siluria announce the engagement of their daughter Linda Dianne to Loyd Gerald Fulton, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gerald Fulton of Columbiana.

Grandparents of the bride-elect are Mrs. Zora Leach of Siluria and the late Fred Leach of Lake Charles, Louisiana, Mrs. George Payton, Sr. of Pelham and the late Mr. Payton.

Miss Payton attended Jacksonville State University and is now employed in Birmingham.

Mr. Fulton is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sidney Jones of Brewton and the late Mr. and Mrs. James Harrison Fulton of Columbiana.

He is a graduate of Auburn University where he was a member of the Pi Kappa Phi fraternity. He is now stationed in Mobile with the U. S. Coast Guard.

The wedding will be an event of October 18 at Central Methodist Church in Siluria.

BETHEL CHURCH TO HOLD DEDICATION SERVICE

A dedicatory service and an open house will be held at the Bethel Baptist Church Sunday morning beginning at eleven o'clock. Following the dedicatory sermon, a picnic luncheon will be enjoyed. Open House will follow during the afternoon, from 2 o'clock until 4 o'clock, and all former members, their friends, and their families, are cordially urged to come and share this historic occasion with the membership of this church.

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Regret to learn that J. M. Stinson remains as a heart patient in St. Vincents Hospital in Birmingham.

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

After our week away from the store, it seemed good to get back to the regular routine at the Falcon Book Store in Montevallo. We had a busy and productive week at home as we had hoped, tho' a number of things still remain to be accomplished during the months ahead.

Nearly time for school bells to be ringing. Probably some will regret the end of summer vacation; but for most of us, I believe there is satisfaction about getting back into the swing of things. We hope we are ready to meet the various needs and demands.

Let us remind you that we carry poster & construction papers; duplicator supplies; tempera paints - both liquid & powder; and numberless other items you might not expect to find in a bookstore. So come in and look around. We welcome "browsers".

County teachers meet in Columbiana

Shelby County teachers will convene in a pre-school conference on August 28, in the High School auditorium. According to the information we have received, the teaching personnel has been completed. Faculty members will hold their pre-school sessions on August 29 and all schools in the county will open on Sept. 2.

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Guests of Mrs. Ada Bozeman last week were Mr. and Mrs. George Roper of Hayden, Mr. Floyd Garrett of Palm Beach, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Bozeman, Jr. of Loxley and Mrs. Mary Ann Russell of Birmingham.

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Dr. and Mrs. Bob Mullins, Jr. and their daughter Christy, who have been the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross B. Mullins, left Columbiana Sunday for Camp Polk, La., where Dr. Mullins is completing his military obligation.

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Carol Seale and Jane Jones are toying with the idea of returning to Montevallo University in September and taking advantage of the refresher course offered teachers who have not been engaged in this profession for several years but are considering returning to work in the educational field. Both are former excellent instructors whom Shelby County High proudly claims as ex-faculty members.

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The Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Scroggins are enjoying a restful vacation in the mountains of North Alabama this week following a visit with their daughter Mrs. A. L. Courtney and Mr. Courtney in Terry, Miss.

During their absence guest speakers have been engaged to fill the pulpit. The program on the evening of August 31 will be presented under the direction of Gaines Hyche, Minister of Music, who will also conduct each Wednesday evening service during Dr. Scroggins' absence.

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Mrs. Lonnie Southern and little daughter, Tara Lynd, are guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Roberts. Mrs. Fred Pickett (Alice Roberts) of Chicago, is also the house guest of her brother, Mims Roberts, having been called to Columbiana due to the illness of Mrs. Roberts.

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MISS DONNA GENE REED

Miss Reed engaged to Randall Morris

Mrs. Joseph Milner Reed announces the engagement of her daughter Donna Gene Reed to Randall Royce Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Royce Morris of Columbiana.

The wedding will take place on October 18 at the Brewersville Methodist Church, Coatopa.

Miss Reed is a graduate of Livingston University where she was a member of the Student Government Association, Phi Mu Fraternity, Delta Phi Beta service organization and a majorette in the Livingston University marching band for four years.

Mr. Morris received his degree from Livingston University also where he was affiliated with Pi Tau Chi National Honor Society and the Baptist Student Union.

The bride-elect is the daughter of the late Joseph Milner Reed and the granddaughter of Mrs. Percy Boyd Nixon and the late Mr. Nixon of Livingston, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Milner Reed of Coatopa.

Grandparents of Mr. Morris are Mrs. Irene Morris and the late Mr. Bennett Morris and Mrs. A. A. Holman and the late Mr. Holman all of Columbiana.

Miss Chastain weds Thomas Holcombe

Miss Janice Chastain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon Chastain of Birmingham was married on August 16 to Thomas Craig Holcombe of Chelsea at the home of her parents.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore a street length dress of peau de soie trimmed in Chantilly lace.

Mrs. Margaret Holcombe was honor attendant and Glenn Holcombe was best man.

The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. David Holcombe of Chelsea.

After a reception, the couple left for a wedding trip to the Smoky Mountains.

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Mr. and Mrs. Greg Gordon of Pisgah, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hodges and their guests from Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Parker and their daughter Lisa, of Mobile, were last week's guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gordon. Mrs. Parker and her daughter will remain in Columbiana for the next five weeks while Jerry takes advantage of a training course in Connecticut offered by the U. S. Naval Coast Guard of which he is a member.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Knight formed a congenial foursome who have returned from a motor trip through South Alabama including Mobile, Dothan and Pensacola, Fla.

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Mrs. Albertine Green has sent us a colorful postcard from Mt. Rushmore, South Dakota, where she, her daughter Helen Hall, and her husband C. P. Hall are enjoying a vacation. They will return to Alabama around. September 1.

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Friends of Imogene Seale and patrons of Davis Drug are having the privilege of welcoming her back in her department this week after an absence of several weeks due to an illness which required surgery.

Mann: 'Keep an eye on all school children'

"Back to school" means a lot to Alabamians, books, classrooms, school parties, groups of young people boarding buses, walking along the highways, riding bicycles, in other words our children will be everywhere. Colonel Floyd H. Mann, Director of the Department of Public Safety, made the appeal today to "Keep an eye on all children". Children have a way of moving faster than the eye and it's hard to keep up with them", Colonel Mann said. Yet the only way we can hope to cut down on traffic casualties which claim so many of our children today is to keep a wary eye for sudden and unpredictable action of our children.

Colonel Mann said, "While parents, schools, and the Department of Public Safety are working constantly for greater child safety on streets and highways, there are many problems yet unsolved". One of the major problems, he said, is coping with the impulses of children and training them in safety precautions from pre-school age through adolescence. The only way to tackle this problem of unpredictable behavior in children, especially in crossing streets, is to urge that mototists keep a sharp lookout and drive slowly through school zones, especially during the morning and afternoon school rush. Make sure you do not pass school busses loading and unloading. The law says all traffic must stop in all lanes while school buses load and unload. Colonel Mann said, "That schools and parents are doing their best to train our children and are doing a remarkable job but it is up to each of us to protect children by heeding the oft-repeated warning: "Drive Slow! Let Them Grow!"

Injunction

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emotional atmosphere which lent itself to the near-riot. He took the larger view of the labor dispute in Columbiana when he pointed out, "Sometimes things come into a county that tend to divide a county."

He pointed out that both sides in the case were represented by Birmingham attorneys, where there was a clear responsibility for local handling of the problem. "There is a responsibility that people in the county have to recognize and they ought to try to do something about it," he added.

Since the hearing, work has resumed at the Elastic Corporation and the atmosphere outside the plant has remained quiet. The National Labor Relations Board is investigating a company charge of certain unfair labor practices. A petition for an election among the employees has been temporarily blocked pending the conclusion of the investigation, according to a statement given the reporter by the NLRB Monday.

Company President Joe Murray said Tuesday that the plant is building up to two shifts now. He expects to have a full statement by next week.

GRADUATION AT AUBURN

Receiving degrees during commencement exercises at Auburn University Saturday, August 23, will be 1,057 students -- an increase of 33 per cent over last summer's graduation.

Lindsay Alan Barton of Alabaster will receive a BS degree in Pharmacy.

MRS. MARVIN DWIGHT STAGNER

Hatfield - Stagner wed in Pensacola

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver A. Hatfield of Pensacola, Fla., former residents of Alabaster, announce the marriage of their daughter Linda Lee, to Marvin Dwight Stagner, son of Mr. Marvin Stagner and the late Mrs. Stagner of Pensacola, Fla., which took place in the East Brent Baptist Church, August 9, in Pensacola, the Rev. Joe Haigler reading the marriage vows.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a formal gown of white silk organza over taffeta. The A-line skirt was enhanced by an empire bodice of peau de ange lace encrusted with tiny seed pearls with a scooped neckline and tiered ruffled sleeves. A built in style train, accented with scattered lace motifs adorned the back of the gown. Her headpiece was a juliet cap of lace adorned with pearls and bridal roses attached to a bouffant veil of imported bridal illusion. The bride carried a colonial nosegay of carnations, daisies and stephanotis. She wore an heirloom string of pearls.

The bride's attendants were Mrs. John Byam, Jr., matron of honor, a sister of the bride; and Mrs. William Anthony, Miss Paula Mathewson and Mrs. Neil Laws served as bridesmaids. All wore formal gowns of mint green and saki linen and carried natural baskets of daisies and carnations with yellow streamers.

Charles Dillard served the groom as best man and the groomsmen were: Frank Clark, Phil Reno and George Coffey.

A reception followed the ceremony and was held in the church's Fellowship Hall with Miss Judy Rabren registering the guests.

The couple will reside in Pensacola, Fla.

EPDA program stirs interest

Much interest is being evidenced in the Federal Program – known as Education Professions Development Act.

Shelby County is Fiscal Agent for the grant given to the Jefferson County, Birmingham City, and Selma School Systems.

This program is designed to retrain qualified elementary school teachers who have been out of the teaching profession for a period of time and is expected to go far toward alleviating the critical teacher shortage.

Alabama College is working in conjunction with the four school systems by setting up proper areas of study for the 25 teachers who will receive this training.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ozley have begun construction on their home on the Coosa River near Shelby. It is located on the lot adjoining the Welby Rasco home.

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In government--

Newspapers play vital role

By Rep. Phil Smith

Alabama newspapers are a vital part of the state government, a fact vividly demonstrated in the present session of the Alabama legislature.

During this whole administration, the newspapers of the state have met the highest traditions of journalism in keeping voters informed. On several instances, the glare of publicity from newspaper articles has been directly responsible for legislative and executive actions.

The recent expulsion of a state Senator, promised reform in the state prison system, defeat of a sneak quickie divorce bill in 1967, and attempts of the House of Representatives to act as an independent body are a few such actions for which our newspapers can claim major credit.

In edition, scores of bills have been introduced and passed and other scores have been defeated because newspaper publicity brought the public and members of the legislature to an awareness of the need to pass or kill some particular projects.

The two wire press services in the state's major dailies each have one or more reporters whose job it is to cover state government. About half a dozen of these men and women are in Montgomery all year long, and during sessions of the legislature the press corps swell by another dozen or so.

One or two television stations also try to give full coverage of the legislature, but only the newspapers bring statewide attention to legislative affairs on a regular basis.

Unfortunately, there is no way to report completely on what goes on in the legislature when it is in session. Many of its important actions go completely unnoticed by the press.

In large part, this is because of the confusion in the legislative process and the lack of adequate legislative tools even for members to keep informed. In fact, the press does a better job in many cases of knowing what is going on than many of the members do.

The sheer bulk of bills, committee actions, reports, lobbying efforts, and floor action on both sides of the hall make it almost impossible to have a reasonably complete overall picture of what is going on. For this reason, members of the press, even from competing papers, have to cooperate to keep each other informed.

Thomas Jefferson's often quoted remark that it would be better to have newspapers without a government than to have a government without newspapers certainly is confirmed in Alabama.

There is only one class in the community that thinks more about money than the rich, and that is the poor. The poor can think of nothing else. That is the misery of being poor - - Oscar Wilde, 19th Centruy Irish Poet, wit and dramatist.

"CEDRIC" by SHERMAN HOLLAND

State Bank No. 588

Consolidated Report of Condition of

The First Bank of Alabaster

in the State of Alabama and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on June 30, 1969.

ASSETS

Cash and due from banks (including $ None unposted debits)	332,706.87
U.S. Treasury securities	$1,733,045.04
Securities of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	299,153.83
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	1,329,137.81
Other securities - New Housing Authority	14,390.24
Other loans	1,944,808.90
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	126,401.58
Other assets	2,767.26
TOTAL ASSETS	5,782,411.53

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		1,695,518.80
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		2,850,768.66
Deposits of United States Government		36,611,32
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		554,556.89
Certified and officers' checks, etc.		19,180.23
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$5,156,635.90	
(a)Total demand deposits	2,082,867.24	
(b)Total time and savings deposits	3,073,768.66	
Other liabilities		39,238.24
TOTAL LIABILITIES		$5,195,874.14

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rulings)	42,434.67
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	42,434.67

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Equity capital, total (sum of items 36 to 40 below)	544,102.72
Common stock-total par value	150,000.00
(No. Shares authorized 6,000)	
(No. Shares outstanding 6,000)	
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	344,102.72
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (sum of items 34 and 35 above)	544,102.72
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (sum of items 28,29,33, and 41 above)	5,782,411.53

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	5,161,167.91
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	1,936,794.80

I, Donald N. Lathem, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly affirm that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Donald N. Lathem

Correct–Attest:
J. E. Bearden
T. A. Farris Directors
L. C. Parnell

State of Alabama, County of Shelby, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of August, 1969, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

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Legal Notices

LEGAL NOTICE
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Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of August, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
James R. Bearden
Executor of the Estate of Ella Gardner Bearden, Deceased
8-14,21,28, 1969 †70

The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
Case No. 1434
IN LAW & EQUITY COURT,
IN EQUITY
Gladys Wyona Morris Complainant vs. Henry J. Morris Respondent
In this cause it being made to appear to the Register by affidavit that the Defendant is a non-resident of Alabama, and that his postoffice address is unknown, and further that in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years; It is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Shelby County Reporter a newspaper published in Shelby County, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring Henry J. Morris, the said Respondent to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 5 day of September 1969, or in thirty days thereafter a decree Pro Confesso may be taken against him.
Done at office in Columbiana, Alabama, this the 4 day of August, 1969.
L. G. Fulton, Register
8-7,14,21,28, 1969 †68

LEGAL NOTICE
Estate of Mary Elizabeth Tatum, Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of August, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Mary Elizabeth Brown
As Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Mary Elizabeth Tatum, deceased. 8-14, 21, 28, 1969 †71

LEGAL NOTICE
State of Alabama
Shelby County
This is to give legal notice that on or after August 21, 1969 I will not be responsible for any debts other than those incurred by myself.
Henry W. Crim
Rt. 1, Box 67
Calera, Alabama 35040
8-21, 28, 9-4, 1969

LEGAL NOTICE
Hooper & McDonald, Inc. hereby gives notice that they have completed the construction on Project No. State 1255-R "B", 1255-S "B" and SCP-30(A-H) & 30-A(1-2) in Shelby County and the County has set the date for final settlement as September 20, 1969. All claims should be filed in our office in Andalusia, Alabama before date set for final settlement.
Hooper & McDonald, Inc.
Andalusia, Alabama
8-21,28; 9-4,11, 1969 †73

LEGAL NOTICE
ESTATE OF A.C. Arant Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of Administration with Will Annexed of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 8th day of August, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
C. J. Arant
Administrator of the Estate of A. C. Arant, deceased
8-28; 9-4, 11, 1969. †76

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
SHELBY COUNTY
The Law & Equity Court of Shelby County, Alabama
Case No. 1449
IN EQUITY
PEGGY JOYCE JONES v. ALVIN LEWIS JONES
IN THIS CAUSE it appears to the Register from the Affidavit of Peggy Joyce Jones, Complainant, that the residence and post office address of the Respondent, Alvin Lewis Jones is unknown and cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort, that the last known residence of Respondent was in 1966 and was believed to be San Jose, California, and further that in the belief of said Affiant, the Respondent, Alvin Lewis Jones, is over the age of twenty-one years.
IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by the Register that publication be made once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Shelby County Reporter, a newspaper published in Shelby County, Alabama, requiring the said Alvin Lewis Jones to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause within thirty days from September 22, 1969, or in default thereof, a decree pro confesso may be taken against said Respondent.
Done at Office, this 19 day of August, 1969.
L. G. Fulton
Register
8-21, 28, 9-4, 11, 1969 †74.

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Heart of Dixie

BY ED BLAKE

Apparently everybody is against the walking catfish. The Alabama legislature even took time to pass a bill against him.

The so-called "walking catfish" Bill was signed by the governor and became a law in Alabama yesterday. This bill gives the Director of Conservation the right to regulate against the importation of any bird, fish or other animal deemed undesirable.

The "walking catfish" drew the action from the legislature, but he is not the only undesirable banned from the boundaries of Alabama. Also deemed undesirable were the piranha, a fish native of South America; the San Juan rabbit, the mongoose and any deer coming from outside the North American continent.

Game and Fish Division Chief Charles D. Kelley said any person possessing these species of fish or animals should destroy them immediately.

If you have one of the undesirable species and do not wish to destroy it, call Captain Ed Lightsey or Conservation Officer Doyle Wood and they will handle the problem for you.

The new act should be a good one for Alabama sportsmen. If effectively administered, this should guard Alabama streams and woodlands from becoming infested with undesirable creatures that eventually become menaces to the outdoor sportsman.

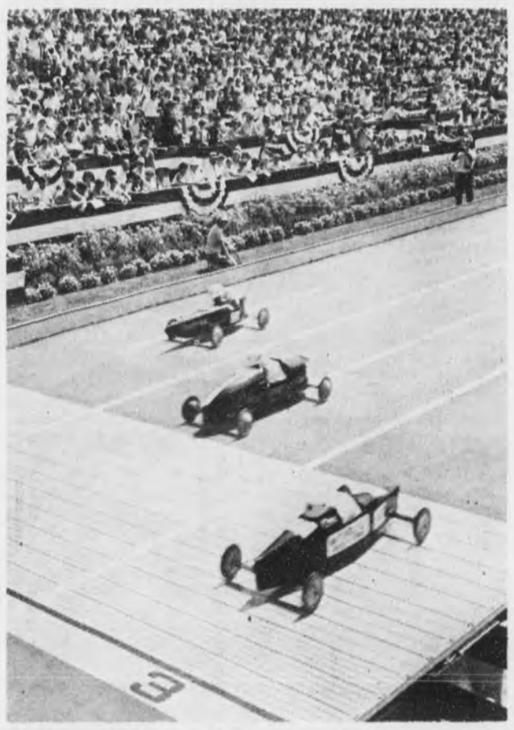
We noticed from a new copy of Alabama hunting seasons that grackle and blackbirds have been added to the list. There is no bag limit and no closed season on these two birds.

Grackle and blackbirds have been increasing in uncontrollable numbers during the past few years. They offer Alabama game birds stiff competition for food. They swarm like enormous black clouds all over the state and attack grain fields like hordes of locust.

If the dove hunting gets slow you might take a few shots at these birds in the name of conservation. You will be doing yourself a favor.

These cool nights have improved fishing along the Coosa. Reports are that bass fishing is beginning to pick up on Lay Lake. Hellbenders, spoons and plastic worms are producing for some fishermen.

Stinson Hill of Wilsonville came by the office this week and left word that deer are about to take over his hometown. He also warned motorists to be on the lookout for deer bounding across the highways from the high grass along the edges.



CLOSE FINISH - - Keith Alexander of Montevallo approaches the finish line in second place in his heat at the 32nd All-American Soap Box Derby held last week in Akron, Ohio. Keith represented Shelby County in the derby.

Student assembly to signal opening

A student assembly will start the new school year at Shelby County High. Handbooks for students written by Student Council members will be distributed at the nine o'clock meeting Tuesday. Student Council President Montgomery Lokey will be in charge of the event.

After announcements by the principal, J. H. Upchurch, performances by Varsity and B-team cheerleaders and majorettes will be given.

Work on the handbooks began in June by a committee composed of Montgomery Lokey, David Garst and Donna Stricklin. School policies, personalities and club schedules are featured in the handbooks. In anticipation of an enrollment of 600, the students had 650 printed.

Before the official opening of school, the Student Council will sponsor a "colorful coffee" for the teachers. At the Friday morning event, the students will talk with their teachers about their goals, which are aimed at a bigger and better high school, according to council spokesman Donna Stricklin.

Friday evening the Pep Club girls will have a spend-the-night poster party in the auditorium.

The main activity planned for the evening is painting posters to boost school spirit and unity.

Solve the Case of the Disappearing Sock by trying this laundry method: keep a cotton drawstring mesh bag near the washing machine. When you sort the wash, drop all-cotton socks in the bag. After washing, take out those without mates or with unmendable holes, and use as polishing cloths.

Highway schedule depends on weather

If the weather holds out, the county expects to complete its planned road program this season. An early fall however could disrupt the schedule, according to Board of Revenue Chairman Conrad M. Fowler. Heavy rains caused some heavy equipment to be diverted during the summer to certain parts of the county.

The Dunnavant-Loop road will be finished in three weeks, it is expected. Other roads remaining to be paved on this season's schedule are:

Montevallo faculty road; the Falkner spur off Hwy. 70; the Mooney Road, southeast of Columbiana; Kelly Creek Road; Lott Road; Smith Road and the McCalla Road.

In its Monday meeting, Board of Revenue members approved a contract with John Henry Roberts, Jr., as a special base operator at the county airport. He will have the privilege of offering plane rentals, charter service and flight instruction. The county will receive 1½ per cent of his gross receipts.

The Board directed the chairman to write the mayors and water board chairmen of the county to explain the problems on extending water lines outside city limits and on county rights of way.

The Board expressed concern on this issue because of the possibility of future re-construction of county roads. If roads should be widened in the future, the Board would not like to have the expense of moving water lines in addition to the cost of the road program.

The Board will insist that the engineering of water expansion be approved by the water division of the State Health Department.

'Bishop's Hour' in September

The United Methodist Church will present "The Bishop's Hous," a 30 minute color telecast, beginning in September over a network of nine stations for the third season.

"The Bishop's Hour" is produced in the studios of WAPI-TV in Birmingham.

Fowler

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money in the coming year.

Interest income to Shelby County on investment of current funds in government bonds has totaled $8,626.74 during the current year. The Board has begun consideration of the 1969-70 budget. The Board believes it will be possible to adopt a balanced General Fund Budget for the next fiscal year.

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MRS. W. W. HAYES

Mrs. Hayes honored on 90th birthday

Mrs. W. W. Hayes of Calera celebrated her ninetieth birthday last Friday when family and friends gathered at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Beecher Findley. Another daughter, Mrs. Dean Holcombe served as co-hostess.

Mrs. Hayes and the late Mr. Hayes moved to Shelby County in 1920 to a farm near Shelby Springs. They were well known for their herd of fine Jersey cows and for having one of the first flocks of white Leghorn hens in the county.

In 1946 Mr. and Mrs. Hayes moved to Calera, keeping 500 laying hens. They supplied many of the townspeople with fresh eggs.

After Mr. Hayes' death in 1955, Mrs. Hayes carried on the business alone until her retirement at the age of 87.

After retirement, she took up a hobby from her younger days. She now knits an average of 20 sweaters, stoles and afghans a year for her family and friends.

She is enthusiastic about Sacred Harp singing and frequently attends an all day singing. She carries on all her household duties alone.

Helping Mrs. Hayes celebrate her ninetieth anniversary were her three sons, Howard, Hanceford and Edward; two other daughters, Mrs. Wilma Lawrence and Mrs. Paula Johnson of Hueytown; 12 grand children and 16 great grand children.

Her sons are all Auburn graduates and are practicing veterinarians in the state.

Calera News

Jerry Alldredge of Birmingham has been appointed to the post of manager of the Buxahatchee Country Club, according to an announcement by the board of directors this week.

Alldredge is a graduate of the University of Alabama, where he majored in physical education. He is qualified to teach both golf and swimming.

He came to the Buxahatchee Club after being assistant manager of the Altadena Country Club in Birmingham. His duties will begin in Calera on September 1.

Obituary
Charlie Houston Edwards

Funeral services were conducted from the Columbiana Methodist Church Friday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock, August 22, for Charlie Houston Edwards, 86, who died at his home in Alabaster, August 21, 1969. The Rev. Burl Oliver, pastor of the church, officiated.

Mr. Edwards has been retired for some years but before his health began failing, he was an active member of the Columbiana Methodist Church and resided in Columbiana.

Survivors are his widow: Mrs. Mary Piety Edwards of Alabaster; three daughters, Mrs. Irene Johnston of Columbiana, Mrs. Lucile Davis of Birmingham, and Mrs. Eunice Tidmore of Alabaster; 4 sons, Mason, Carl, A. J. and Jerrell Edwards; 10 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren.

Interment in Columbiana Cemetery.

Bill Pendleton cited for service

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Billy H. Pendleton has for the past twenty years served as a member of the Volunteer Fire Department of the City of Montevallo; and

WHEREAS, Billy H. Pendleton has served as Chief of the Volunteer Fire Department for a period of eighteen years; and

WHEREAS, he has provided energetic leadership an unswerving determination to uphold high standards of professionalism in fire prevention, fire control and fire fighting; and

WHEREAS, he has devoted personal time, personal talents and personal resources far beyond the normally expected call of duty; and

WHEREAS, the citizens and business establishments of Montevallo have benefitted in untold measures from the leadership and devotion to the call of public service of Billy H. Pendleton; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the present members of the Montevallo City Council express on behalf of the citizens of the Montevallo area, great appreciation for the many years of devoted public service; be it further

RESOLVED, that we the present members of the Montevallo City Council feel that the position of leadership enjoyed by the City of Montevallo throughout Shelby County and the State of Alabama is due, in part, to Billy H. Pendleton's sincere efforts and untiring devotion to public service, specifically in the area of fire prevention, fire control and fire fighting; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the official minutes of the City Council of Montevallo and a copy of this resolution be transmitted to Mr. Pendleton, to the State Fire Marshall, to appropriate members of the State Legislature, to editors of appropriate professional journals and to appropriate editors of newspapers of the State of Alabama.

Milton L. Orr, Mayor
Councilmen: Agee Kelly, Ralph W. Sears, T. E. Watson, James Seaman, J. A. Brown

Resolution adopted by unanimous vote: August 19, 1969

Rev. Thomas George new pastor in Shelby

The Reverend Thomas George has assumed the pastorate of the Church of God at Shelby.

A native of Scottsboro, he has held pastorates at Bridgeport, Florence, and Stevenson in Alabama and at Boston, Massachusetts.

During 1967-1968, the Reverend George served as State Sunday School and Youth Director of the Churches of God in Southern New England (Massachusetts, Connecticut, and Rhode Island).

Before entering the ministry full-time, the Reverend George had extensive experience in the newspaper field - - working as a printer, photographer, news reporter, and advertising salesman. He has served as both editor and advertising manager for the SENTINEL-AGE in Scottsboro. For almost three years, the Reverend George conducted a weekly religious broadcast on a Scottsboro radio station and was editor and publisher of a monthly religious magazine.

He is married to the former Wilma Lusk of Scottsboro.

Service times at the Shelby Church of God are:

SUNDAY: Sundav School. 10 a.m.; Worship service, 11 a.m.; Sunday night evangelistic service, 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY: Youth service and prayer meeting, 7 p.m.

SINGING: Every 2nd Saturday night beginning at 7 p.m. and every 5th Sunday beginning at 2 p.m.

The Reverend George gives the public a cordial invitation to attend all of the services of the church.

The regular fifth Sunday singing will be held Sunday, August 31, at the Church of God in Shelby beginning at 2 p.m.

The Clark Family of Calera will be the featured singers. The Reverend Thomas George, pastor, extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend.

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Mike – a healthy, happy child with a lively brown and white spotted puppy which loved to romp and play – would have been two years old next month.

He died recently – of cancer.

It wasn't a long illness but even Bobo, the pup, sensed that something was wrong with his young master. Mike no longer pulled his long beagle ears or his ever-wagging tail.

Now Bobo is all alone. Mike, like 12 other Alabamians – more than one every two hours – die daily of cancer.

"We didn't think it could happen to us," his mother sobbed. "Things like this always happen to somebody else."

But "things like this" will happen to an estimated 900,000 Alabamians now living. Current estimates tell us that one in every four Alabama families will feel the horror of cancer.

Even more horrible is the fact that two-thirds of those stricken with cancer will die. That is, two-thirds will die unless prompt action is taken by the people of Alabama.

Experts tell us that half of this number can be saved – by early diagnosis and prompt treatment.

"By the time we knew it was cancer, there was little that could be done for Mike," his mother added. "It was too late . . . too late."

So Bobo is alone, whining for his young master and dreaming – as pups sometimes do – of happier days and youthful play.

Yes, it is too late for Mike, but not for the thousands of Alabamians who will develop cancer during their life.

For them there is hope – if the people of the state take prompt action, if the proposed Lurleen B. Wallace Memorial Hospital and Tumor Institute is built.

This hospital, like the M. D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute at the Texas Medical Center in Houston, will be devoted to the diagnosis and treatment of cancer.

Dr. Fred Elliott, former director of the entire Texas Medical Center, knows what a cancer hospital can mean to the community and to the state in which it is located.

"The challenge for a cancer hospital is just as great in Birmingham today as it was for us here in Texas when we began M. D. Anderson in the 1940's," the now retired doctor said.

"A cancer hospital in Birmingham might come through with a cure for cancer . . . You never know where the answers will come . . . Something might break from a spark that comes from a cancer hospital in Birmingham, in Houston, in New York," he added.

More than $4 million has been raised toward the start of construction of the facility. An additional $1 million must be raised. An additional $10 million will be received from other sources – if we first raise the $5 million.

Do your part toward making Alabama's cancer hospital a reality, send your contribution to The Lurleen B. Wallace Memorial Cancer Hospital Fund, Inc., P. O. Box 15 Million, Montgomery, Alabama (36104).

And do it today! It's too late for Bobo's playmate – but not for thousands of other Alabamians.

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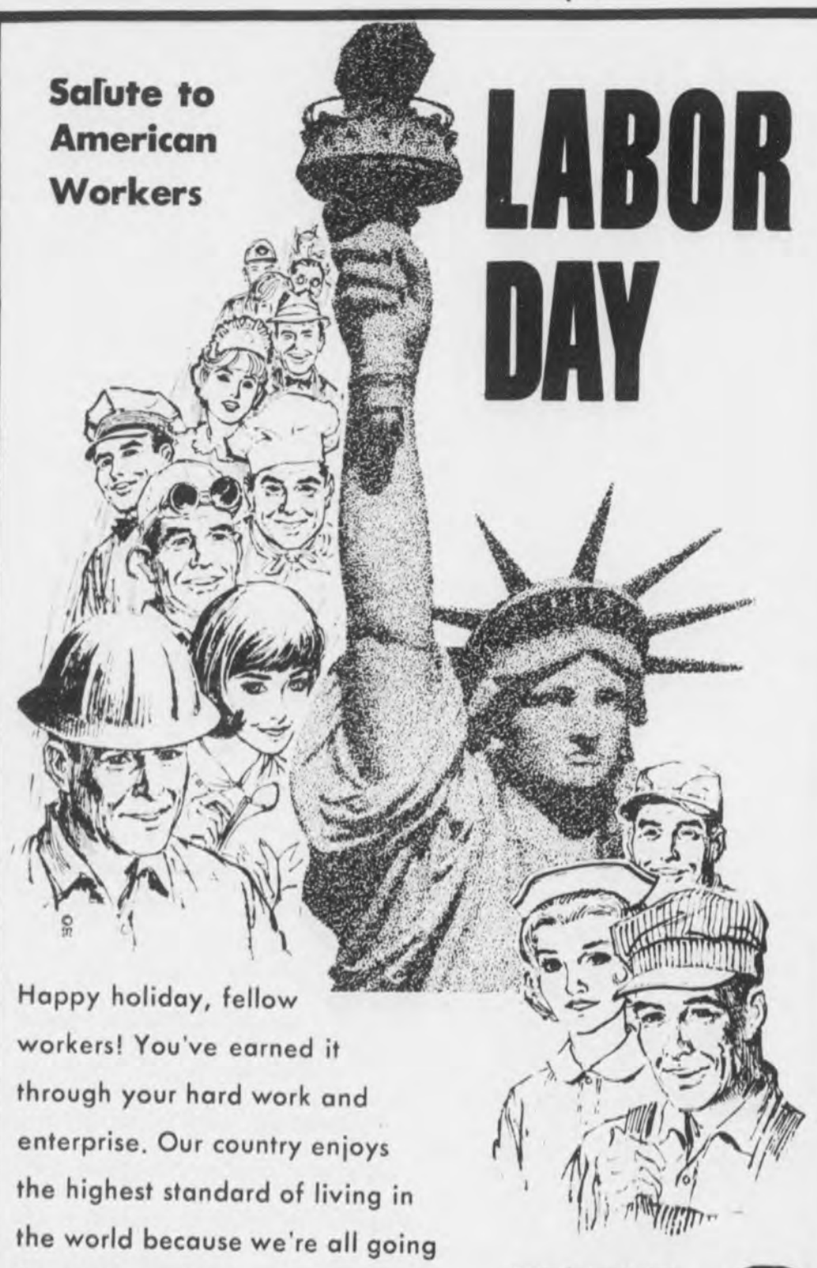

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MARKS 104th YEAR - - Mose Davis of Montevallo reminisces about his experiences in helping open four coal mines: Aldrich, Piper, Colena and Boothton. He now lives at the Clanton nursing home, and is 104 years of age. With him is his great niece, Mrs. Mayo Lee Fields of Montevallo.

Montevallo News

By Bert Seaman

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wallace are the parents of a daughter born Aug. 16. The baby has been named Angela.

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Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Lacey and family spent last week vacationing in St. Petersburg, Fla.

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Mrs. Eugene Reynolds had as her guest last week Mrs. John Reynolds from Winter Park, Fla.

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Mrs. Louis Birinyi of New London, Conn., a former Montevallo resident, was in town last Friday visiting friends.

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procedures and techniques, commonplace today, were pioneered in Montevallo. The school has 25 significant "firsts" to its credit, including the first speech clinic in the state to aid teachers in diagnosing and correcting speech defects, the first program for training welfare workers, and the first program for training art teachers.

Today, the main campus of more than 110 acres, has nearly 40 buildings, a 28 acre recreational lake, a sports field and an 80 acre, nine hole golf course.

Many of the campus buildings are air conditioned and two new residence halls now under construction will incorporate all the latest innovations of campus living including private baths and carpeting throughout.

The University of Montevallo will open the fall semester on September 14 with the largest number of students and the largest number of faculty members ever assembled in Montevallo.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Parker and family spent the week-end in Mobile visiting relatives.

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Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Orr, Jr. and Laurie Gene are vacationing in Florida this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ol Cleveland and family of Washington, D. C. visited his mother, Mrs. Grover Cleveland of Wilton last week.

Duffeys honored in Wedowee

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Duffey, Sr. of Wilsonville, with their children Terri, Dianne and Gene, were honored guests last Sunday at the First Baptist Church of Wedowee.

Dedication services were held for a new church building. The auditorium was named the "W. W. Lankford Memorial Hall" in honor of Mrs. Duffey's grandfather, who was pastor of the church for many years.

Rev. Lankford's son, John Frank Lankford and Mrs. Lankford of Wilsonville were unable to attend the ceremonies, due to illness.

Dr. George Bagley gave the dedicatory address. The church's present pastor, Rev. Kenneth Mouldin, mentioned in his memorial address that the pulpit from which Rev. Lankford preached was saved when the former church burned two years ago. The pulpit is now in use in the new church.

Rev. Mouldin praised Rev. Lankford as "pastor and friend not only to his own congregation, but to all in the community. Love for him and his wife, the late Bobbie Adams Lankford, their memory and influence in the church and community still live on."

In Circuit Court–

Mistrial, two guilty verdicts returned by juries

Three jury trials were held during criminal week of Circuit Court.

Albert Michael Wallace of Lenoir City, Tenn. was sentenced to 10 years on a charge of robbery, 10 years on a charge of grand larceny and three years on an escape charge. He plead guilty to the charges and the jury fixed the penalty. J. W. Short of Helena was foreman of the jury. One of the new 10-year terms will run concurrently with a previous 10-year sentence. Aged 15 when the crimes were committed at the Adams home near Chelsea, Wallace now faces a total of 23 years in prison.

On a charge of violating the prohibition law, Walter Carden of Shelby was found guilty and fined $50 and costs. Frank E. Cox of Helena was jury foreman. Carden defended himself in court without the aid of an attorney.

For the first time in the history of Shelby County, a jury was held overnight to study evidence in a misdemeanor charge. The defendant, John A. Lee of Chelsea was accused of assault and battery against a teacher at the Chelsea School. The jury voted 7-5 against Lee, but was unable to arrive at a unanimous verdict. Judge Kenneth Ingram declared a mis-trial. The case will be continued to the fall term of the court.

Douglas Rasco of Columbiana was foreman of the jury in this case.

Arraigned for trial on charges of assault with intent to murder at the next session of circuit court were Kenny Joiner of Columbiana, Mike Davidson of Gadsden and Jim Atkins of Leeds. The charges grew out of an altercation at the University of Montevallo last year.

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GRAND CHAMPIONS - - Donna Rosser of Jefferson County and John Baker (right) of Montevallo are shown with their cows which won grand champion honors in the Birmingham District Dairy Show held last week in Birmingham. Baker's cow won the championship in the holstein division. (Photo by John Jones)

In Holstein judging--

John Baker raises grand champion

By John E. Jones
Extension Farm Agent

Twenty-nine Shelby County 4-H boys and girls showed 51 dairy animals in Birmingham District Dairy Show held last Thurdsay at the State Fairgrounds.

John Baker, Montevallo won the Grand Champion Holstein with his 4-year old cow. Corey Moore, Sterrett showed the junior champion. Other 4-Hers showing first place animals were, Robin Miller, Vincent – 1st Place Jr. Holstein Calf, Corey Moore, Sterrett – 1st Place Sr. Holstein calf, James Baker, Montevallo – 1st Place Holstein Jr. and Sr. yearling, Mike Hinds, Vincent – 1st Place 2-Year old Holstein cow, John Baker, Montevallo, 1st Place 4-Year old Holstein cow, Cindy Bearden, Helena, 1st Place Jersey Jr. calf, Ginger Bearden, Helena – 1st Place Jersey Sr. yearling, Mike Moore, Westover – 1st Place Jersey aged cow and 1st Place Guernsey Sr. Yearling.

In the District Jr. Fitting and Showmanship Contest Shelby County Winner Marsha Lefkovits, Columbiana 1st, Penny Thompson, Vincent 2nd and Ginger Bearden, Helena 3rd represented Shelby County. Marsha won 1st and Ginger won 2nd places in district contest and will represent the Birmingham District Dairy Show at the State Fair.

Randy Tolleson, Calera 1st Place, Robert Tolleson, Calera 2nd Place, and Mike Hinds, Vincent 3rd Place County Sr. fitting and showmanship winners represented Shelby County in the district contest. Randy won 3rd Place in the District and will now compete in the state contest.

Shelby County has four boys and girls in the Beginners Class (for those under nine years of age). Ramona Bearden, Helena won the beginners class. Allen Culpepper, Siluria, David Miller, Vincent and Calep Morris, Columbiana were the other three in the beginner class and they too received blue ribbons with their animals.

Rounding out the group of 4-Hers showing in the district show from Shelby County were Missie and Leslie Green, Montevallo, Steve Tolleson, Calera, Randy, Wayne and Jan Bearden, and Gary Hughes, Helena, Steven King, Pelham, Randy, Stacey and Barry Osborn, Chelsea, Mike Howard, Sterrett, and Lee Parmenter, Vincent.

Out of the 51 animals Shelby County 4-Hers showed in the district show -- 44 of these won blue ribbons. Forty of these animals will go on to the State Jr. dairy show at the Alabama State Fair in October.

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Local groups aid victims of hurricane

Responding to the national disaster, six Shelby County groups collected food, clothing, water and cash for victims of Hurricane Camille.

The collection in Keystone, spearheaded by the Church of Christ, collected two truck loads of clothing, water and canned goods. Montevallo, Calera, Powderley and Center Point churches sent items to Keystone, where Tom Davis, Lonnie Bearden, Ed Steele and J. W. Ross drove laden pick-up trucks to the Gulfport, Miss. Church of Christ for distribution there.

In Columbiana, Explorer Scout Troop No. 560 collected three loads of bedding, towels, shoes and clothing, and purchased baby food and can openers with $190 donated by Columbiana residents.

The Baptist Church in Columbiana also sponsored a drive. Greens Food Center was the center for food collection in Columbiana.

The Dixie Food Store in Calera, Alabaster Town Hall and Ricks Coin-op Laundry in Montevallo, were other county collection points.

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Arrests break car theft ring

A car-theft ring that operated briefly in Shelby County was broken up last week with the arrests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Buckner.

Shelby County authorities have been searching for the Buckners since June 14, when they apparently left the county. They had rented a home on Valley Dale Road near Highway 280 from Carrie B. Salser and lived there about four or five weeks.

Mrs. Salser became suspicious of her tenants when she saw men working on a variety of automobiles at the house. On the basis of her affidavit, the sheriff's department secured a search warrant on June 14.

They found key-cutting machines, seal stamping machines, a chain hoist to remove engines, and other sophisticated machinery designed to obliterate serial numbers and cut new ones.

An automobile on the property had been stolen from the Memphis airport parking lot.

Buckner was arrested in Decatur last week with known car thief named Manring. Mrs. Manring drove in from Texas to see her husband in a stolen car and is also under arrest.

Mrs. Buckner was brought in to Shelby County authorities by her attorney, Art Hanes. She was arrested and released on bond. Her address is listed as 1513 – 17th Place S.W., Birmingham.

BILLFOLD ON READY - - A familiar sight on opening day of school is the open billfold as parents make up the difference between tax revenues and actual costs of operating the schools. Most parents are resigned to it, like the mother pictured above at Thompson Elementary School, and few complain. Photo by Ed Blake.

Trustees create 3 colleges; appoint additional deans

A major revision of the University of Montevallo's administrative organization was announced Tuesday by Wales W. Wallace, Chairman of the institution's Board of Trustees. The Board, meeting in Montevallo authorized the creation of three colleges within the University's organizational framework. At the same time the board appointed three deans to head the newly created colleges.

The reorganization becomes effective immediately.

Dr. John B. Walters was named Dean of the College of Liberal Arts. Dr. Bill E. Fancher was appointed Dean of the College of Education and Dr. Allen L. Terry was designated Dean of the College of Business Administration. The Board also named Dr. Chester H. Bigger Associate Dean of the College of Business Administration.

Purpose of the administrative reorganization, according to Dr. Kermit A. Johnson, University Persident, is to provide greater academic flexibility, the potential for growth and a wider educational service to the state of Alabama.

The newly formed college of liberal arts consists of eleven academic departments including art, biology, chemistry, English, foreign languages, home economics, mathematics and physics, music, psychology, the social sciences and speech.

The college of education will include the departments of education and health, physical education and recreation.

All course offerings related to business and commerce will become a part of the college of business administration.

In explaining the new administrative organization, Dr. Johnson stated that each of the colleges will have equal autonomy in all matters including curriculum building and course offerings.

Dr. Walters came to Montevallo in 1956 and was appointed academic dean of Alabama College in 1959. A native of Cordele, Georgia, Walters holds three degrees from Vanderbilt University.

Dean Fancher is a native of Oklahoma. He joined the Montevallo faculty in 1962 and was named chairman of the department of education last year. Dr. Fancher received his masters and doctoral degrees from the University of Oklahoma.

Dean Terry is a native of Plantersville, Alabama and holds three degrees from the University of Alabama. Dr. Terry, a retired army Lt. Colonel, joined the faculty in Montevallo in 1963.

Dr. Bigger, a native of Chicago, Illinois is a retired army Lt. Colonel and holds degrees from the University of Florida, Mississippi State University and the University of Alabama. He joined the Montevallo faculty in 1966.

The Montevallo school officially became the University of Montevallo on September 1.

The University will begin the fall semester Monday, September 15. Admission officials expect an all time record number of students with an approximate 5% increase over last year's enrollment.

DEAN WALTERS

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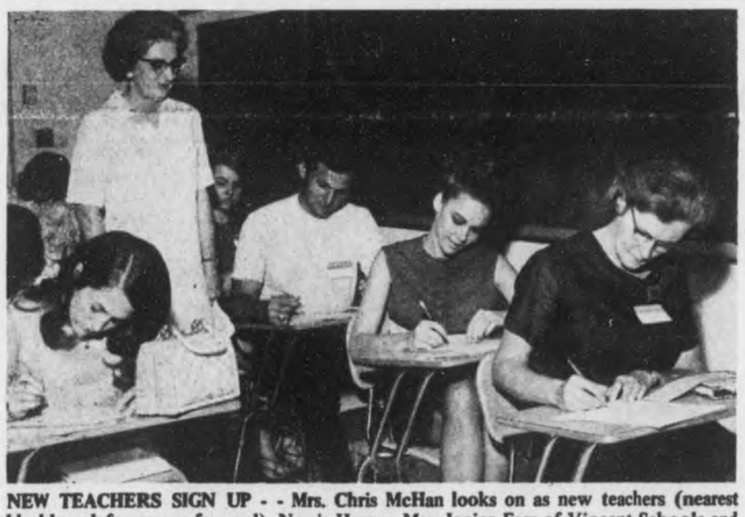

NEW TEACHERS SIGN UP - - Mrs. Chris McHan looks on as new teachers (nearest blackboard from rear forward), Norris Hamer, Mrs. Janice Farr of Vincent Schools and Mrs. Jane Holmes of Helena fill out necessary forms. They will come to appreciate Mrs. McHan who, along with many other duties, keeps payroll records and signs teachers' pay checks.

GOOD YEAR AHEAD - - These Shelby County teachers got the school year off to a happy start as they gathered in Columbiana last week for planning sessions. What student couldn't be won over by any one of these attractive teachers? Photo by Ed Blake.

Schools begin fall term; football kicks off next

Referees' whistles will echo throughout the county Friday as the high school football season gets underway.

Bands, cheerleaders and football teams will culminate their weeks of practice when the crowds assemble this weekend to see what they can do.

Schools opened for classes Tuesday and registration day proved to be very peaceful at all schools in the county.

The Reporter was unable to contact most of the schools before press time, but Montevallo High School Principal Cratie Corbett said MHS registered 606 students, up from a registration of 520 on the first day last year. At Shelby County High, 575 students signed up, showing an increase of 75 students over last year's opening day.

Increases were expected in the high schools, as a result of the transfer of the eleventh and twelfth grades from the four formerly all black high schools in the county.

Corbett told the Reporter, "We're crowded, but we have things worked out." He indicated the registration went smoothly and the few students with scheduling problems were able to get them resolved. MHS teacher Miss Susie DeMent and others have worked on arranging students' schedules throughout the summer.

Football games are scheduled on Thursdays and Saturdays this year in addition to Fridays, in order for Shelby County's many avid football fans to see more than one game each week.

The county's coaches formed a new organization this summer aimed at improving communications with the public and keeping the schools' athletic programs operating smoothly.

For the schedules of the six high school football teams, see pages 6 and 7.

End of ECA strike possible this week

By Marcia M. Sears

It was thought possible by informed sources that the strike at the Elastic Corporation of America would be settled this week. Attorneys for both the company and the United Textile Workers Union have been consulting with investigators from the National Labor Relations Board. The company attorneys could not be reached for comment at press time Tuesday.

An NLRB investigator, Mr. Resin told the Reporter from his Atlanta office, "The investigation is to a degree completed. The Board has taken all necessary steps to alleviate the matters that existed there."

Attorneys for the United Textile Workers Union were scheduled to appear before the Supreme Court of Alabama September 3 to secure the release from Shelby County jail of the union representative, Albert DeLoach.

Attorney Max Pope told the Reporter by telephone Tuesday that he will ask the Supreme Court to release DeLoach on bail, pending an appeal on the large sum of money set as bond against the UTWA.

Judge Kenneth Ingram of the Circuit Court, set $75,000 as bond on the union for contempt of a court injunction.

DeLoach has been in jail since August 22 in lieu of the union's posting the bond.

DeLoach is reportedly assisting the jailers in various chores around the jail to keep busy. He told the Reporter, "Everybody is treating me just fine."

THAT'S FOR ME - - Teachers express excitement on examining new books and materials at the pre-school sessions held last week for all Shelby County teachers.

James L. Ray named NACE Regional Veep

Shelby County Engineer James L. Ray Jr. was recently elected to serve as "Regional Vice-President" of the National Association of County Engineers. Shelby Engineer Ray was elected by members of the 1000 member National Association (NACE) at its recent annual conference in Portland, Oregon.

In the capacity of Regional Vice-President, he will represent the states and counties of the Southeastern United States. Ray will sit on the Association's seven man Board of Directors.

NACE is an affiliate of the National Association of County Officials (NACO) which represents some 3000 counties. Shelby Engineer Ray has been an active Member of NACE

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Five SCHS students apper on ETV shows

Art? At the Columbiana dump? That's just one of the many places five SCHS students when in their search for interesting art materials for a forthcoming art appreciation series for the Alabama Educational TV network.

Carolyn Hall, Sherri Hughes, Michael Jones, Lynn Rabren and Ben Smith are the featured performers in the series of 32 fifteen minute programs which will be carried on ETV from September 8 to May 15.

Jessie Butler Jones of Columbiana, Art Consultant with the State Department of Education, was the coordinator of the series, making the necessary arrangements, writing the programs and teaching the course.

Not only did the group visit the city dump, they visited such places as hen houses, cemeteries, and hospitals to find illustrations of art in all types of environments.

At the dump the students looked for rusted metal. The tenth program of the series shows how to "observe beautiful art forms or art compositions found in rusted areas and flat or rolled wire patterns."

A study of the "stairs of the stadium" forms the basis for another program. In it, students are challenged to view a continuous number of steps from several positions and observe the light and dark portions of the geometrical pattern.

JESSIE BUTLER JONES

Each of the 32 programs presents a different concept in appreciation of one's environment.

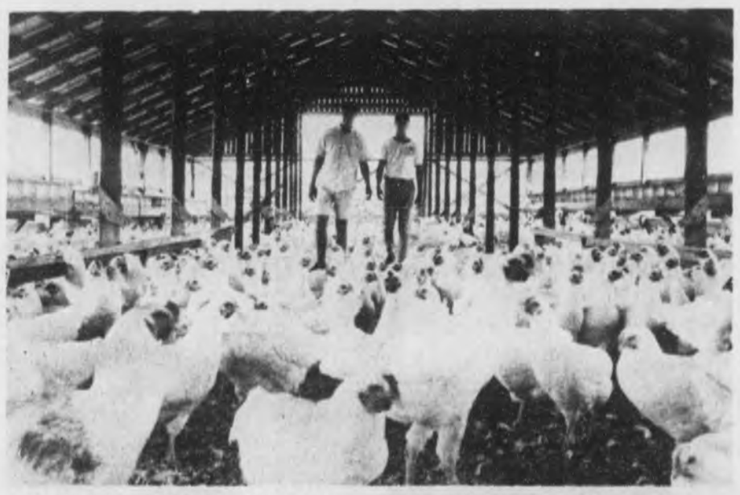
Mrs. Jones hopes that students who view the series will emerge with a greatly increased awareness of art in everyday surroundings.

Other programs study kitchen forms, bottle shapes, parks, gardens, balloons, vines, wood, homesteads, transportation, fountains, murals, horses, wheels, and stained windows.

Mrs. Jones told the Reporter the series is designed as an in-school instructional program for high school students.

It is recommended as enrichment for scheduled classes of art, humanities and social studies from the seventh through the twelfth grades.

The shows were taped in Montgomery at the educational television center. Still photographs were taken at many of the field trip locations.



ART IS EVERYWHERE - - Mike Jones and Lynn Rabren tour a chicken house near Columbiana where one of the programs on art was filmed for Educational Television. The 32-part series is entitled "Awareness" and will be available to all high school students in the state.

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

Shooting near Shelby--

A shooting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Pate near Shelby occurred last Thursday evening. Both Mr. and Mrs. Pate have worked at the Elastic Corporation of America.

Sheriff C. P. "Red" Walker said that buckshot hit the television screen and the walls inside the home.

No one was injured. At home at the time were Mr. and Mrs. Pate, Mr. Pate's father, Robert Pate, and two daughters.

The sheriff says he has several suspects in mind, but as of Monday, there was not sufficient evidence to issue any warrants for arrest.

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Labor Day quiet--

The Labor Day weekend was quieter than a usual weekend, according to Sheriff's deputies, Mrs. French El Lansford and Louie Cosby. Only ten arrests had been made by mid-morning Monday making it a "very light" weekend.

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Free tuition available--

In a conversation with Bill Clark, County Veterans Service Office while visiting the various offices under the dome this week, he stated that a record number of students would enter colleges and trade schools this fall and among those there would be children, wives and widows of certain disabled and deceased veterans who might be entitled to free tuition and instructional fees under what is commonly called the Alabama G. I. Bill.

State Director Walter Head has advised that several changes to this Act have now been made by the Legislature which creates new entitlement for those who may have been denied benefits previously.

If you believe you are entitled to these benefits -- by all means contact Mr. Clark in his office in the courthouse.

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Not Southern Cement--

It was United Cement Co., not the Southern Cement Company that requested an injunction in 1959 in connection with a labor dispute. L. G. Fulton, Circuit Clerk of Shelby County looked up the records after the Reporter wrote a historical note last week about labor injunctions in Shelby County. Fulton verified that the only injunctions involving unions in his long service with the County are the 1959 injunction requested by United Cement against the United Steelworkers AFL-CIO in 1959 and the present one, involving the Elastic Corporation of America and the United Textile Workers of America.

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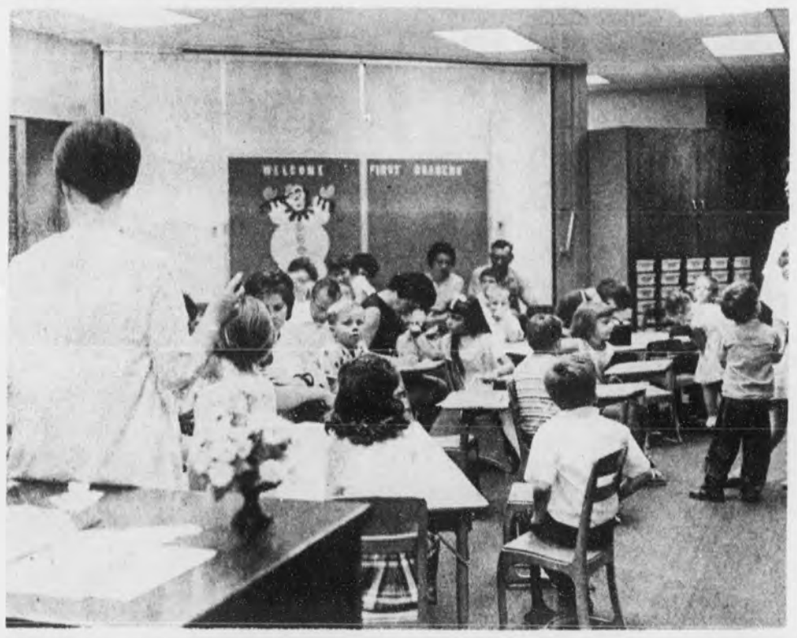
One case each against the owner and operator of the Montevallo "Recreation Center" are on the docket for the fall term of circuit court.

Buddy Chambliss, owner and Harvey F. Johnson, operator, are appealing cases on the charge of allowing minors to play pool in the center. They were found guilty in Montevallo City Court by Mayor M. L. Orr, Jr., and have appealed.

There are several other cases in which Johnson was found guilty in the Montevallo Court which are awaiting further information before they are placed on the docket for appeal, according to Circuit Court Clerk, L. G. Fulton.



FIRST DAY - - Mrs. Julia Fulton gives instruction to first graders and their parents during registration Tuesday at Thompson Elementary School. More than 170 "first timers" were expected to register in the first grade.

FIRST LOOK - - Students at Thompson Elementary look through a window in the new classroom building which was opened to classes for the first time Tuesday. The photograph at top shows an interior view of one of the classrooms. Photos by Ed Blake.

Ray

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since its organization in 1956 and has served on several of its working committees.

Ray has been associated with Shelby County in civil engineering capacities since 1947 and has been County Engineer since 1956.

He is an alumnus of the University of Alabama, and is a Registered Civil Engineer and Land Surveyor in the State of Alabama.

All progress is based upon a universal, innate desire on the part of every organism to live beyond its income - - Samuel Butler.

Amendment proposed--

Time limits legislature

By Rep. Phil Smith

How can the Alabama legislature be improved?

As the 1969 regular session winds out its final hour, this question is one of key importance to the continuance of effective state government in Alabama.

The simple answer of electing better men or just a different group of men would appeal to many members of the public who fail to understand the reasons for a legislative body being successful or unsuccessful.

That this is an inadequate answer is demonstrated vividly by the fact that the present Alabama legislature is composed of the most sincere, talented, reform minded group of men of any Alabama legislature for many years past. That is the opinion of many newsmen, lobbyists, and experienced legislative observers. In the Alabama Senate, for example, almost every member would be a credit to any state legislature in the country, as an individual.

The reasons for the inability of the legislators to be outstanding collectively go far beyond the abilities of the individual members. These various causes conspire to smother their individual talent.

One vital factor that limits all efforts at creating a more effective and responsive legislature is the lack of time in the biannual sessions for serious consideration of all the problems that merit the attention of the leg slators. Each session is limited to 36 legislative days, interspersed with committee meetings and public hearings.

This present system of limited 36-day sessions was created in Alabama some two decades ago. It might have been adequate at that time, but today it is a serious constitutional limitation on the effectiveness of the legislature.

The modest proposal to amend the constitution to allow the legislature to have an additional 18-day session during the present off-years is close to passage in the legislature, and may be enacted this week. If enacted, it must go before the voters for their ratification.

This proposed amendment still would not afford members all the time they need i session, even if all the othe legislative problems we solved. Eventually, unlimite annual sessions will b necessary, with legislators o some reasonable annual salar instead of the archaic an misunderstood system of pa they now have.

If demands on state gov ment increase over the next years as the have in the pas 10, only a group of full-tim legislators able to meet session for whatever period timeis necessary can cope wit the problems.

There are many other area for reform in our legislativ procedures, but this propose constitutional amendmen would be a beginning towar bring about one needed majo change in the law-mak process.

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Parker pays

An automobile parked for a week and a half on Columbiana's Main Street was ordered removed last Thursday by Chief of Police Bill Billingsley. The owners were fined $35 for an improper license tag, according to City Judge T. C. Stinson.

No citation was issued for over parking even though the automobile was parked in a two-hour parking space. City officials said they have not been enforcing that parking regulation recently.

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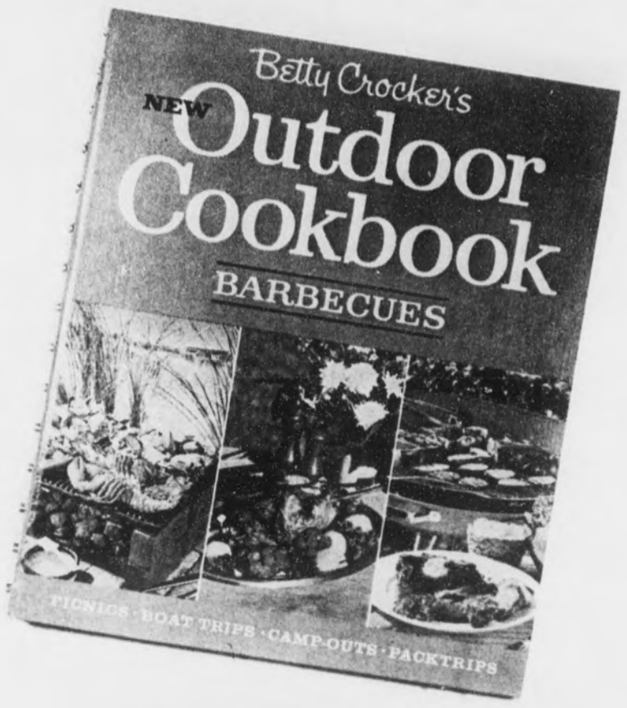

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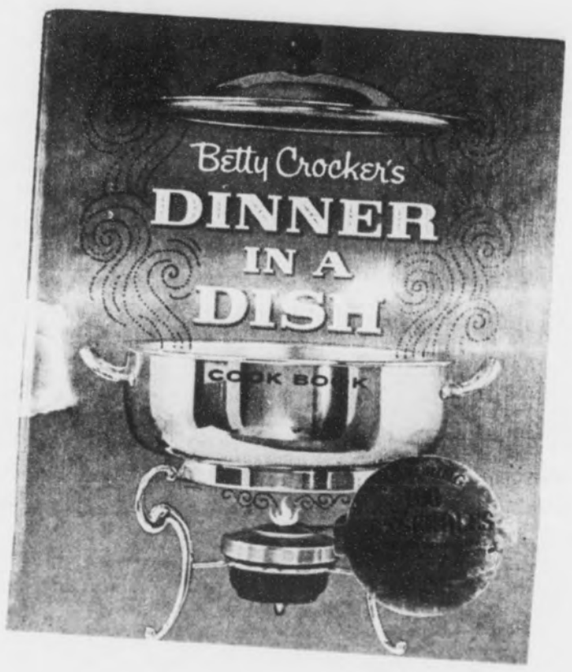

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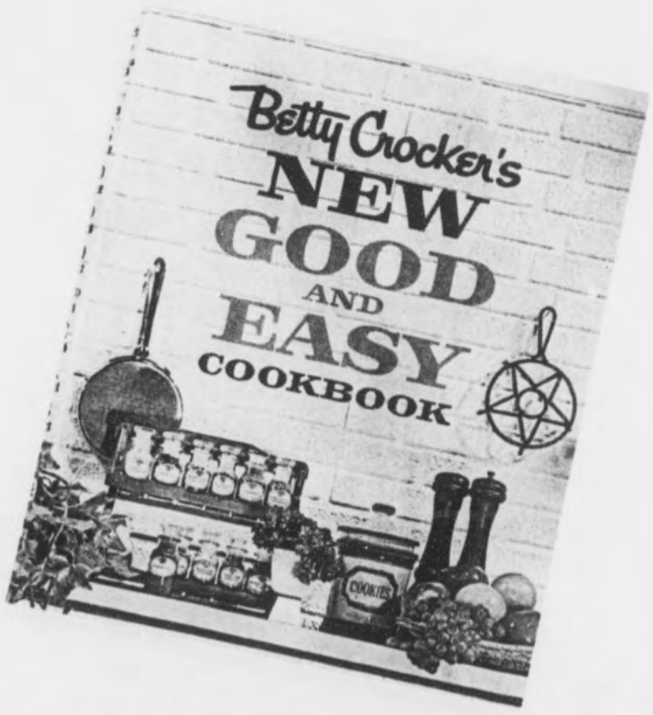

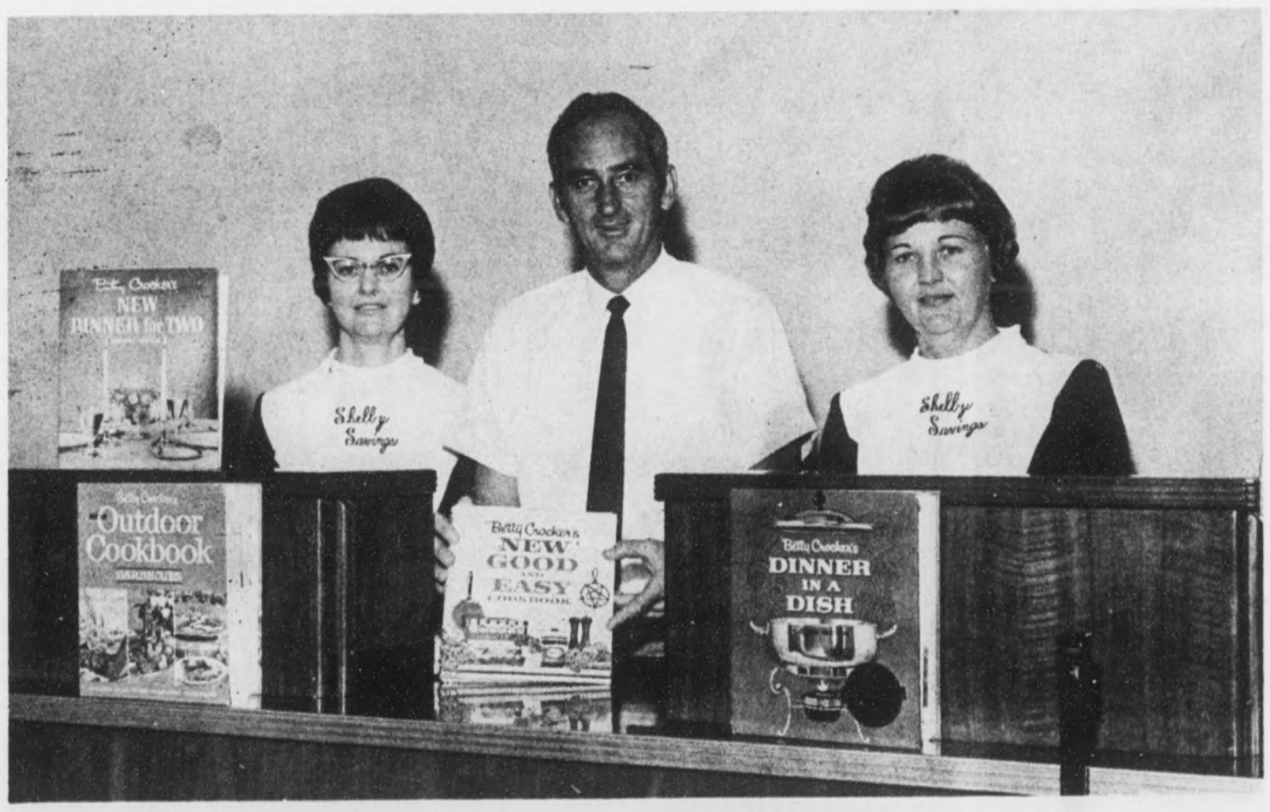

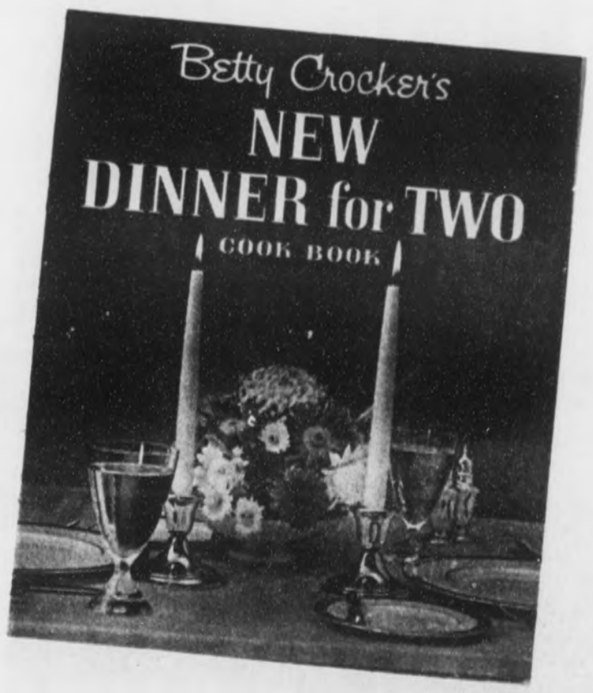

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MISS CONNIE FAY SEALE

Miss Seale engaged to Edward Smith

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton R. Seale of Calera announce the engagement of their daughter, Connie Fay Seale to Edward Sidney Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest T. Smith of Wilsonville. Both are graduates of Shelby County High School.

The bride-elect is the grand-daughter of Mrs. Bessie Seale and the late Cecil Seale, of Calera and Mrs. Jessie Bell Nabors of Hueytown.

The bridegroom-elect is the grandson of Mrs. Emma Blackerby and the late Charlie Blackerby of Chelsea and Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Smith of Kingdom Community.

The wedding is planned for September 12.

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Mrs. Retta Argo has resigned her position with Shelby Abstract Co., and accepted a position with an insurance firm in Mountain Brook. Friends of this personable and efficient secretary regret that her future position will necessitate her commuting from Columbiana to Birmingham each day but we are glad to learn that the promotion does not entail a residential move.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ross B. Mullins and Jim Mullins are visiting Dr. and Mrs. Bob Mullins at his post of duty in Camp Polk, La.

Nancy Graben plans wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel V. Graben of Route 1, Helena, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Nancy, to Fred A. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Howard of Madison.

The bride-elect's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Colman Graben of Lineville and Mrs. S. C. Yates of Lanett and the late D. L. McDonald.

Mr. Smith's grandparents are Mr. C. M. Smith of Centerville and the late Mrs. Smith, Mrs. H. C. Cash and the late Mr. Cash of Brent.

The wedding will be September 12, at 7:00 P.M. at the First Baptist Church of Pelham.

Friends and relatives are invited to the wedding.

Society Page And Personal Mention

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Today's Thought

Charles Kingsley says: "Thank God every morning when you get up that you have something to do which must be done, whether you like it or not. Being forced to work, and forced to do your best, will breed in you temperance, self-control, diligence, strength of will, content, and a hundred other virtues which the idle never know".

Labor Day – The Workingman's Holiday

Several coffee-cup drinkers were gathered around our favorite meeting place Monday morning – and the question was raised regarding who and how Labor Day originated – which started us on a search for some facts and figures regarding this occasion.

From the World Book we found that Samuel Gompers – (1850 - 1924) – an American Labor leader, is largely responsible for the early historic facts regarding the organization of the American Federation of Labor which began in 1881. From 1886 until his death he missed only one year (1885) as president of the organization. Gompers was largely responsible for the legislation that created the U. S. Department of Labor.

Looking a bit further into the background of the man behind this movement we found that Gompers was born in London, England – but moved to the U.S.A. when a lad of 13 years of age. One year later he became the first registered member of the Cigar Makers International Union. He made this organization one of the most successful trade unions.

Labor laws which Gompers framed, supported or originated include the 8 hour law for government employees, the various state laws fixing hours of labor and a law establishing Labor Day as the workingman's holiday.

Oregon was the first state to adopt Labor Day in 1887. All other states are now included. Australia also observes it.

The American Federation of Labor in the middle of 1950 claimed 18,200,000 Labor Union members.

The above facts seem to furnish a bit of the early background of the Labor movement and certainly everyone who reads the papers has knowledge of the wide influence this organization has weilded under various leaders since the Gomper era.

The article containing the above facts further stated that the Labor organizations did not stress any specific party affiliation prefering that each individual choose his or her own candidate for public office – but – those of us who have long dealt with candidates know that all astute politicians seek the support of the workers, and some ambitious aspirants for public office will surprise you with the amount of energy they expend in an endeavor to gain this coveted vote.

M.W.W.

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The twelve unit brick apartments located on Mooney Road, we told you about some weeks ago, are now under construction and will – before too long – be ready for occupancy. They are located on the Billingsley property and are being built by Drs. Shafferman and Morgan of Birmingham. Perhaps these facilities will alleviate some of the housing shortage in and around Columbiana.

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Don Sheffield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Sheffield, is a surgery patient in South Highland Infirmary.

MAID OF COTTON - - Miss Nell Farris (l.), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Farris of Alabaster, was chosen Shelby County Maid of Cotton and crowned in ceremonies at the State Fair. The new Shelby County Farm Bureau Queen is Miss Elizabeth Taylor, (r.) daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Taylor of Montevallo.

Dorough-Davis wed in Columbiana

In the presence of the families and a few close friends, the marriage of Miss Patricia Dorough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dorough, of Wilsonville, and Tommy Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis of Columbiana, was held in the Education Building at the First Baptist Church Saturday evening August 30 at 7:30 o'clock.

The Rev. Howard Brasher officiated using the double ring ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Murray Dorough and her honor attendant was her sister Mrs. Kenneth Johnson. Tillman Davis served as best man.

Following the ceremony the young couple left for a trip to Florida after which they will make their home in Columbiana.

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A large crowd was in evidence in Calera, Labor Day, when the Civitans staged the annual barbecue dinner, the proceeds from which are applied to education scholarships.

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A Union Service between the Methodists and Baptists in Columbiana will be held in the Methodist Church Sunday evening at the regular worship hour. The offering will be applied to the Community Christmas Fund which is designated annually for purchasing gifts for less fortunate children.

Good Neighbors get new club rooms

The members of the Good Neighbor Club, composed of the "over 60" age group, will soon have available for their use club rooms in the Mountain View section of our town. This facility for these alert club members is a definite step forward and will be utilized for their social, executive and business meetings. Games, crafts, morning coffees and what have you will also soon be in full swing during the up coming fall season.

Watch for their pre-Christmas Bazaar featuring handmade articles.

Sponsors for this worthwhile project include Mrs. G. C. Hardison, Mrs. Billy Smith, Mrs. Homer Bearden, Mrs. Barney Isbell and other members of the WSCS of the Columbiana Methodist Church.

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Glad to learn that our good friend Montez Starcher (Mrs. George) – is now an employee in the ready-to-wear department at Yielding's in Vestavia. Montez is widely known for her excellent taste in clothes and we feel sure Yielding's is the one to be congratulated on this deal. Montez will be a definite asset to this department store.

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"No Comment" is getting to be about the most popular phrase ringing around the Main Drag. Maybe you won't find this out unless you are a reporter seeking the latest news on people and things now holding current interest.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bailey have moved from Columbiana to Tuscaloosa where both will attend the University of Alabama this year.

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Mr. and Mrs. Luther Curlee will leave Tuesday for New York where they will sail September 11 on the Queen Elizabeth II for a 42 day tour of Europe.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Blalock, Jr. (Gay Clark) of Atlanta, Ga., were holiday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Clark.

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Donald Wallace, Robert T. Sanders, Raymond Isbell, Wendell P. Miller, Ronnie Sanders, Raymond T. Lowery and James T. Tisdale are our boys who donned the khaki uniforms of the U.S. Army during August.

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Sgt. Sammy Horton, of the U.S. Marines, whose home is in Columbiana, came by for a visit with us before leaving for his next assignment with Uncle Sam's boys now stationed at Camp Le Jeune, N.C. Sammy has been home on leave from the military routine and his many friends here had the opportunity of talking with him. He expects to be in civilian life in about two years and will doubtless go into the business world. Sammy will be remembered as starting his "first financial venture" as a "little boy on Main selling peanuts". Fellow townsmen became so impressed with the enterprising young fellow that they bought him a bicycle to expedite delivery on his orders. No doubt about this marine's successful future!

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Mr. and Mrs. Leland Atchison and their young son of Louisville, Ky., are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rush.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dorough, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson and their children, and other members of the Dorough family have returned from a vacation and a reunion spent in Panama City, Fla.

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Falkners, hold reunion

The children of Mrs. Bessie Falkner Moore of Gadsden, hosted the annual reunion of the descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Jefferson Falkner. The spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Williams (Bobby Moore) was the setting for this event held on Sunday, August 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sims (Louise Moore) were present from Hilo, Hawaii, and had lovely Hawaiian flowers flown over for this occasion. Orchid corsages were presented to the honored guests, and the table was decorated with a centerpiece of Bird of Paradise and Anthurium.

Other children of Mrs. Bessie Moore who assisted with the hosting of this event were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shields, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moore, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Weston Moore, and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Limbaugh.

Guests were registered by Mrs. Mary Dell Barclay after which the 84 members of the Falkner family adjourned to the poolside patio where, following an invocation by the Rev. Joe Acker, of Fayette, a delectable picnic luncheon was served. During the afternoon a picture taking session was held spotlighting the Tidmores, Sewells, Whites, Ackers, Quicks, Moores and Falkners who were present to participate in the amenities of the memorable occasion.

Coach and Mrs. Don Bulger and Russ Bulger, former residents of Columbiana, called during the afternoon to greet their friends from Shelby County.

The reunion is scheduled again for next August.

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CHRISTMAS IN AUGUST

A program sponsored by the Young Women's Auxiliary, under the leadership of Mrs. Myra Gunter and Miss Rena Davis was held in the Sanctuary of the Baptist Church Sunday evening at 7:30.

The sanctuary was decorated with an arrangement of Christmas candles, red and green floral designs, a Christmas tree and other suggestions in keeping with the "Christmas in August" program directed by Gaines Hyche, Minister of Music.

Following the impressive program, gifts for the handicapped children in Breathitt County, Kentucky, were brought forward and will be sent to aid in a rehabilitation and instructive program.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Suttle of New Haven, Conn., are the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Suttle. They will remain in Columbiana until after the Fulton-Suttle wedding which will be solemnized on the evening of September 13 in the Columbiana Methodist Church.

GOGGLE-EYED OVER WIN - - Miss Susan McEwen receives a $75.00 Savings Bond from Mr. Thomas A. Potts of the Anniston Production Credit Association. The bond in Susan's award for winning the district 4-H public speaking contest. She was also awarded a trip to the American Institute of Cooperatives at the University of Illinois. The contest was sponsored by the Alabama Council Farmer Cooperatives.

ASC election deadline set for Sept. 16

Farmers are reminded about the important elections of ASC farmer-committeemen now being held. The committeemen elected will serve for the next year as local administrators of national farm-action programs.

According to H. C. McDanal, Chairman, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation County Committee, eligible voters of Shelby County have until September 16 to cast ballots for community committeemen by mail or in person at the ASCS county office.

Qualified voters in the election are all farmers who are eligible to take part in one or more of the farm programs which the committees administer. Lists of eligible voters in each community are available for public inspection at the ASCS county office.

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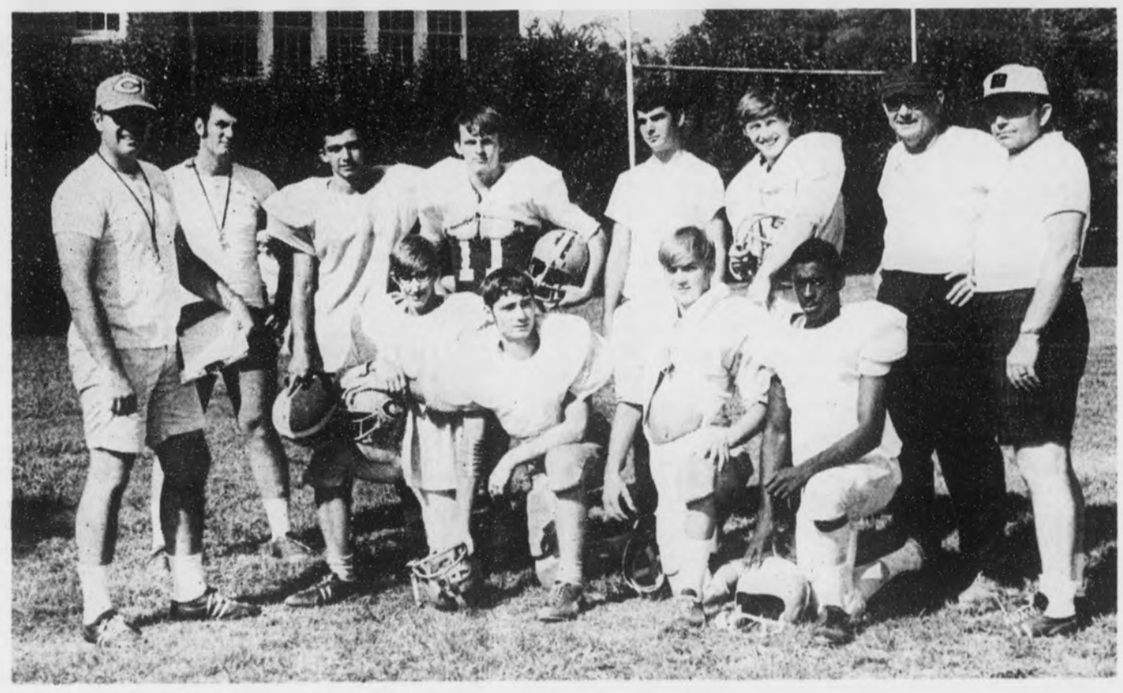


CALERA EAGLES - - Coach Richard Gilliam (left) is shown at left with senior members of the Calera High Football team. Kneeling (from left) are Tommy Moon, Rick Plaice, Roy Robinson and Howard Baker; (back row from left) Assistant Coach Ricky Cairns, Billy Collum, Ricky Ousley, Kyle Duncan, Harry Moon, Assistant Coach Ted Thairn and Assistant Coach J. C. Rowe.

THOMPSON HIGH WARRIORS - - Coach Dan Martin discusses game plans with members of the Warrior forward wall (kneeling from left) Ricky Channell, Yogi Massey and Randy Grill; (back row from left) Mike "Spot" Davenport, Steve Hardin, Lindsay Handley and Howard Griffith.

VINCENT YELLOW JACKETS - - Norris Hamer, new head coach at Vincent High School, calls his players together during practice to talk over game strategy. Vincent was picked by county coaches to finish first in the county race. The Jackets meet Montevallo in Vincent Friday Night in both teams' opening game.

CALERA HIGH SCHOOL
Head Coach — Richard Gilliam

Sept 5	WEST BLOCTON	Home
Sept 11	VINCENT	Away
Sept 19	B'HAM UNIV. SCHOOL	Home
Sept 26	JEMISON	Away
Oct 2	CHELSEA	Home
Oct 10	THORSBY	Away
Oct 17	THOMPSON	Away
Oct 24	MONTEVALLO	Away
Oct 31	MAPLESVILLE	Away
Nov 7	SHELBY COUNTY	Home

CHELSEA
Head Coach — Richard Conkle

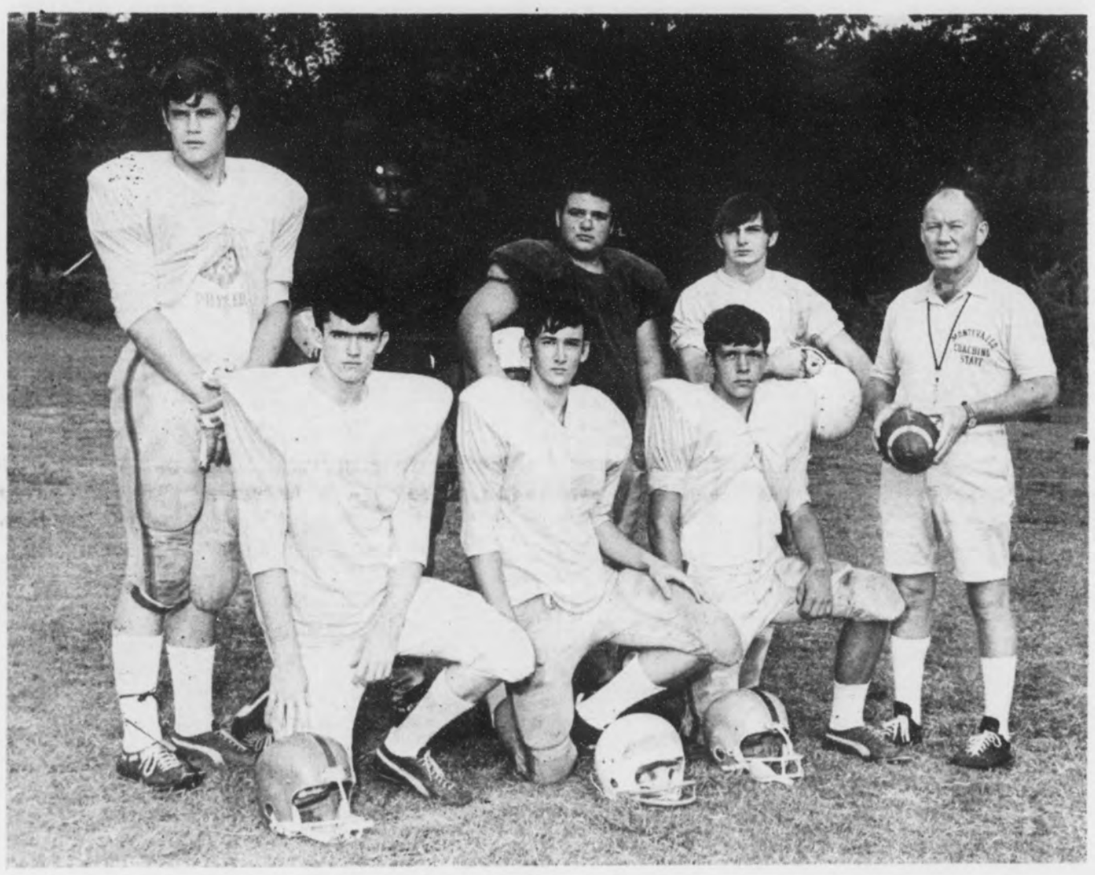
Sept 5	DALLAS COUNTY	Away
Sept 13	MONTEVALLO	Away
Sept 20	VINCENT	Home
Sept 26	RAGLAND	Away
Oct 2	CALERA	Away
Oct 10 or 11	THOMPSON	Home
Oct 17	THORSBY	H. C.
Oct 24	ODENVILLE	Home
Oct 31	COLUMBIANA	Home
Nov 7	WINTERBORO	Away

MONTEVALLO HIGH SCHOOL
Head Coach — Charles Martin

Sept 5	VINCENT	Away
Sept 13	CHELSEA	Home
Sept 19	THOMPSON	Away
Sept 26	CLANTON	Home
Oct 3	JEMISON	H. C.
Oct 10	B. B. COMER	Away
Oct 17	COLUMBIANA	Away
Oct 24	CALERA	Home
Oct 31	WEST BLOCTON	Away
Nov 7	OAK GROVE	Home

Warriors Hornets Yellow Jackets

SHELBY COUNTY HIGH WILDCATS - - Coach Ralph Bell (right) talks with the players that will be running the Wildcat offense. The quarterbacks are (from left) Donald Jones, Ben Smith and Steve Harless. The Wildcats open Friday night in Clanton.



MONTEVALLO BULLDOGS - - Coach Charlie Martin is shown at left with senior Bulldog linemen. They are (front row from left) Shannon Allen, Tommy Harris and Mike Guthrie; (back row from left) Joe Lovelady, Eddie Craig, Billy Frye and Terry Pickett. The Bulldogs open their season Friday in Vincent.

CHELSEA HORNETS - - Chelsea High Coach Richard Conkle instructs Center Frank Rooks and Quarterback Ed Hooks. Coach Conkle will take his Hornets to Dallas County for their opener Friday night. Chelsea High will play its first home game on September 20 against Vincent High.

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SHELBY COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL
Head Coach — Ralph W. Bell

Sept 5	CHILTON COUNTY	Away
Sept 12	LINEVILLE	Home
Sept 19	B. B. COMER	Home
Sept 25	THOMPSON	Away
Oct 3	PELL CITY	Home
Oct 10	CHILDERSBURG	Away
Oct 17	MONTEVALLO	H. C.
Oct 25	VINCENT	Home
Oct 31	CHELSEA	Away
Nov 7	CALERA	Away

THOMPSON HIGH SCHOOL
Head Coach — Dan Martin

Sept 5	BIBB COUNTY	Away
Sept 12	JEMISON	Home
Sept 19	MONTEVALLO	Home
Sept 25	COLUMBIANA	Home
Oct 3	VINCENT	Home
Oct 10	CHELSEA	Away
Oct 17	CALERA	H. C.
Oct 24	PRATTVILLE	Away
Oct 31	CHILDERSBURG	Away
Nov 7	PELL CITY	Away

VINCENT HIGH SCHOOL
Head Coach — Norris Hamer

Sept 5	MONTEVALLO	Home
Sept 11	CALERA	Home
Sept 20	CHELSEA	Away
Sept 26	WINTERBORO	Away
Oct 3	THOMPSON	Away
Oct 10	WEST BLOCTON	H. C.
Oct 17	ASHLAND	Away
Oct 25	COLUMBIANA	Away
Oct 31	LINCOLN	Home
Nov 6	JEMISON	Home

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LEGAL NOTICE
ESTATE OF A. C. Arant
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PROBATE COURT

Letters of Administration with Will Annexed of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 8th day of August, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

C. J. Arant
Administrator of the Estate of
A. C. Arant, deceased
8-28; 9-4, 11, 1969. †76

LEGAL NOTICE
State of Alabama
Shelby County

This is to give legal notice that on or after September 4, 1969 I will not be responsible for any debts other than those incurred by myself.

Terry W. Crim
Rt. 1, Box 67
Calera, Alabama 35040
9-4, 11, 18, 25, 1969

Registration Notice

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE REGISTRATION LAWS, TITLE 17, SECTION 26, CODE OF ALABAMA, 1940, THE REGISTRARS OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA, DO HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT THE FOLLOWING APPOINTMENTS ARE SET FOR THE PURPOSE OF REGISTERING THOSE QUALIFIED UNDER THE LAW TO REGISTER AS ELECTORS:

Precinct Number	
1	at Court House, Columbiana, 9 A.M. - 3 P.M. on Oct 6, 1969
1	Box 2 at Davis Store, Shelby 9-12 A.M. on Oct 7, 1969
2	at Jordons Barn 9-12 A.M. on Oct 8, 1969
3	at City Hall, Calera 9-12 A.M. on Oct 9, 1969
4	at City Hall, Montevallo 9-12 A.M. on Oct 10, 1969
1	at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Oct 11, 1969
5	at Mitchell Home, Bamford 9-12 A.M. on Oct 13, 1969
6	at City Hall, Helena 9-12 A.M. on Oct 14, 1969
7	Box 2 at City Hall, Siluria 9-12 A.M. on Oct 15, 1969
7	Box 1 at Community Center, Saginaw 9-12 A.M. on Oct 16, 1969
8	at Weldon Store, Chelsea 9-12 A.M. on Oct 17, 1969
1	at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Oct 18, 1969
1	at Court House, Columbiana 9 A.M. - 3 P.M. on Oct 20, 1969
9	Box 1 at City Hall, Wilsonville 9-12 A.M. on Oct 21, 1969
9	Box 2 at Blaylock Store 9-12 A.M. on Oct 22, 1969
10	at City Hall, Harpersville 9-12 A.M. on Oct 23, 1969
11	at Archer Store, Westover 9-12 A.M. on Oct 24, 1969
1	at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Oct 25, 1969
12	at New Hope Community Center 9-12 A.M. on Oct 27, 1969
13	at Lake Purdy Cross Roads 9-12 A.M. on Oct 28, 1969
14	at Watson Store, Vandiver 9-12 A.M. on Oct 29, 1969
15	at Anderson Store, Sterrett 9-12 A.M. on Oct 30, 1969
1	at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Nov 1, 1969
1	at Court House, Columbiana 9 A.M. - 3 P.M. on Nov 3, 1969
16	at City Hall, Vincent 9-12 A.M. on Nov 4, 1969
17	Box 2 at City Hall, Alabaster 9-12 A.M. on Nov 5, 1969
17	Box 1 at City Hall, Pelham 9-12 A.M. on Nov 6, 1969
18	at Bowdon Store, Dunnavant 9-12 A.M. on Nov 7, 1969
1	at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Nov 8, 1969
19	Box 1 at Union Hall, Maylene 9-12 A.M. on Nov 10, 1969
19	Box 2 at Community Center, Dogwood 9-12 A.M. on Nov 11, 1969
20	at Mayberry School, Pearidge 9-12 A.M. on Nov 12, 1969
21	at Crocker Store, Moores Cross Rd 9-12 A.M. on Nov 13, 1969

E. C. Sumner, Chairman
D. J. Ratliff
S.M. Mahan
Registrars Shelby County

No person shall be registered except at the court house or in the precinct or ward where he or she resides.
8-4, 11, 18, 1969 †77

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF SALE
STATE PARKS TIMBER

Notice is hereby given to all interested parties that sealed bids for the purchase of timber will be received by the Director of Conservation, acting for and in behalf of the State Director of Finance, until 2:00 p.m. Monday, September 15, 1969. Said bids are to be submitted to the office of the Director of Conservation, 702 Administrative Building, Montgomery, Alabama.

The timber to be sold is located on approximately seventy-five (75) acres of land in Oak Mountain State Park which is to be cleared for the location of a lake. The estimated volume of timber is as follows:

Pine Pulpwood 117 cords
Pine Sawtimber 128,077 board feet Scribner
Hardwood Pulpwood 81 cords
Hardwood Sawtimber 79,612 board feet Scribner

Persons desiring to inspect the subject timber may contact the Oak Mountain Park Manager, Cecil R. Wilkinson, at the park, telephone 663-2641, or Park Ranger J. W. Anderson, telephone 663-2581. Prospective bidders are cautioned that the above timber is an estimate only and the volume could actually be more or less than shown.

All bids will be publicly opened at the time stated in the office of the Director of Conservation and any interested person may attend such opening. All bids submitted shall be sealed bids and clearly marked on the outside of the envelope with the words, SEALED TIMBER BID, NOT TO BE OPENED UNTIL 2:00 P.M. SEPTEMBER 15, 1969, in order to avoid the opening of same as ordinary mail.

The successful bidder will be required to commence cutting immediately and will be given sixty (60) days to cut and remove all timber.

Terms of sale - Cash with a 10 per cent deposit to accompany the bid. The deposit must be in the form of a certified or cashier's check or money order which will be applied to the purchase price of the successful bidder. All deposits submitted by unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately. The contract awarded to the successful bidder will be on the Department of Conservation's standard timber sale contract form.

Persons desiring additional information concerning this sale should contact the Chief, State Parks Division, Department of Conservation, Montgomery, Alabama.

The Director of Finance reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Robert B. Ingram, Director
State Department of Finance
9-4, 11, 1969 †79

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I wish to thank everyone for the visits to me during the four weeks I was in Shelby Memorial Hospital; especially Brother and Mrs. Crim, Brother Garrett, and Brother Rickey. I was blessed through their prayers. Thanks to Dr. Phillips, Dr. Hall and Dr. Parnell for such good service, also the staff of such kind nurses. Thanks for all the pretty flowers and beautiful cards. May the good Lord richly bless each of you is my prayer.

Mrs. Maggie Muse
Rt. 1, Box 214 A
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CARD OF THANKS

Please accept our heart felt thanks and appreciation for the many kind expressions of sympathy so generously extended us at the death of our loved one Jesse Calloway. We shall always remain grateful for the consoling words of the Rev. John Albright, and for the friends and neighbors in Columbiana and Mt. Era who so thoughtfully came to share our sorrow.

Mrs. Ruby Calloway
Charles and Bill Calloway

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many relatives and friends for their floral tributes, cards of sympathy, also their many acts of kindness extended to us at the time of our sorrow during the death of our beloved Zenie L. Reinhardt.

Miss Nina Lynn Reinhardt & family
Mr. Luther Lyon (Sr.) & families

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation for the many floral offerings, cards, food, and other kind expressions of sympathy shown during the illness and death of our husband, father, and brother A. J. Hartsfield, who passed away August 24. We especially wish to thank Rev. Hand and Rev. Rich.

Wife, Children, Sisters

LEGAL NOTICE
WILLIE PEARL HARDIN EDWARDS, COMPLAINANT, VS. THOMAS HUGH EDWARDS, RESPONDENT
IN THE LAW AND EQUITY COURT OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA CASE NO. 1439
ORDER OF PUBLICATION

In this cause it being made to appear to the Court and to the Register of the Court, by the affidavit of the complainant in the above entitled cause that the respondent Thomas Hugh Edwards is over the age of 21 years and a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Alabama and that the respondent is concealing himself so that process of this Court cannot be served upon him, it is, therefore:

CONSIDERED, ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that publication be made in the Shelby County Reporter, a newspaper published in Shelby County, Alabama, for four consecutive weeks requiring the said Thomas Hugh Edwards to appear and plead to, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in the said cause by the 29 day of Sept., 1969, or in thirty days thereafter suffer decree pro confesso to be rendered against him.

Witness my hand and seal this 27 day of August, 1969.

L. G. Fulton
Ex-Officio Register,
Law & Equity Court
of Shelby County, Alabama
9-4, 11, 18, 25, 1969 †78

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
SHELBY COUNTY
The Law & Equity Court of Shelby County, Alabama
Case No. 1449
IN EQUITY
PEGGY JOYCE JONES v. ALVIN LEWIS JONES

IN THIS CAUSE it appears to the Register from the Affidavit of Peggy Joyce Jones, Complainant, that the residence and post office address of the Respondent, Alvin Lewis Jones is unknown and cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort, that the last known residence of Respondent was in 1966 and was believed to be San Jose, California, and further that in the belief of said Affiant, the Respondent, Alvin Lewis Jones, is over the age of twenty-one years.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by the Register that publication be made once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Shelby County Reporter, a newspaper published in Shelby County, Alabama, requiring the said Alvin Lewis Jones to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause within thirty days from September 22, 1969, or in default thereof, a decree pro confesso may be taken against said Respondent.

Done at Office, this 19 day of August, 1969.

L. G. Fulton
Register
8-21, 28, 9-4, 11, 1969 †74.

LEGAL NOTICE
EXECUTRIX' SALE
STATE OF ALABAMA
CHILTON COUNTY
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CHILTON COUNTY, ALABAMA.
IN EQUITY — CASE NO. 4245

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARY DELLA LATHAM, DECEASED; MARY UPCHURCH BENTLEY, EXECUTRIX:

By virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause on the 28th day of August, 1969, by the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity, to satisfy said decree and in pursuance to the decree of said Court, the undersigned, as such Executrix, will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the front door of the Courthouse on Second Avenue North, in the City of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, between the legal hours of sale and at the hour of 12:00 o'clock Meridian, on Friday, September 26, 1969, the following described property, to-wit:

40 shares of stock in the First National Bank, Clanton, Alabama;

176½ shares of stock in the First National Bank of Birmingham, Alabama;

8 shares of stock in the Merchants and Planters Bank, Montevallo, Alabama.

Said stock shall be sold in separate parcels; that is, 40 shares of stock in the First National Bank, Clanton, Alabama, will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash and then 176½ shares of stock of the First National Bank of Birmingham, Alabama, will be sold to the highest bidder for cash and then the 8 shares of stock of Merchants and Planters Bank, Montevallo, Alabama, will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash and then the undersigned will sell all of said stock en masse for cash to the highest and best bidder and the highest bid of the total sales by parcels or the highest bid for the stock en masse shall control and be knocked down accordingly that is the highest of the sum total of the sale in parcels or the sale en masse shall be accepted as the highest and best bid.

This 30th day of August, 1969.
MARY UPCHURCH BENTLEY
Executrix, Estate of
Mary Della Latham, Deceased
9-4, 11, 18, 1969 †80

LEGAL NOTICE
Hooper & McDonald, Inc. hereby gives notice that they have completed the construction of Project No. State 1255-R "B" 1255-S "B" and SCP-30(A-H) 30-A(1-2) in Shelby County and the County has set the date for final settlement as September 26, 1969. All claims should be filed in our office in Andalusia, Alabama before date set for final settlement.
Hooper & McDonald, Inc.
Andalusia, Alabama
8-21,28; 9-4,11, 1969 †73

ATTENTION
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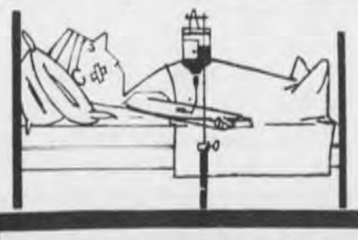

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34 school children killed last year

By Col. Floyd H. Mann

Thirty-four school-age children died as they walked or rode their bikes along Alabama's rural highways last year, reported Public Safety Director Floyd Mann. With schools opening over the state, motorists must be alert to the dangers presented by children on the way to and from school. If a child is injured or killed in traffic, under most circumstances the fault must lie with some adult. In many cases, it may not be the fault of a motorist but the fault of the parents for not warning a child of the dangers of traffic and the right safety rules, and this makes it an even greater tragedy.

Colonel Mann offers this advice to drivers in an effort to spare families from the agony that comes with the death of a child:

1. Consider a school bus as a rolling caution sign. The distinctive yellow color should be ample warning to expect the unexpected. State law requires all traffic, even on divided highways, to stop while school buses load or unload.
2. Don't kill or injure a child by speeding through a school zone. State law sets a 15 m.p.h. limit through school zones while children are going to and from school and during school recess.
3. Obey all signals and crossing guards near schools and yield to pedestrians in an unguarded crosswalk.

As motorists and parents, we have a very special responsibility to protect our children. We cannot and should not expect a child to act and think like an adult. The lethal potential of the automobile demands that we assume our full responsibility when driving near children on a highway or street, concluded the director.

State insurance rules extended

Governor Albert Brewer and State Superintendent of Insurance R. Frank Ussery announced today that huntreds of Alabama motorists who have been ineligible for automobile liability insurance will now be eligible for coverage under new state regulations.

Governor Brewer said Ussery's department has broadened the rules of the Alabama Automobile Insurance Plan so that any motorist who possesses a valid driver's license or who is eligible to obtain an operator's license can receive liability insurance. Ussery said the only other requirement to obtain liability insurance is for the driver to pay the insurance premium.

Ussery pointed out that for the first time, many motorists will now be eligible to obtain the financial protection of liability insurance required by the state's Safety Responsibility Law, including uninsured motorist coverage.

Governor Brewer and Ussery praised the Governing Committee of the Alabama Automobile Insurance Plan and the casualty insurance companies licensed in Alabama under Ussery's department's jurisdiction for voluntarily extending the eligibility requirements.

WILSONVILLE NEWS

While in Mobile, Alabama Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Gill and Louise Wilson of Wilsonville, Rt. 2, visited aboard the USS Alabama and the newest Gulf Coast attraction the USS Drum.

NEW LEADERS - - Receiving training recently at Shocco Springs Baptist Assembly, Talladega, for the Shelby Baptist Association Sunday School "Action Night" program to be held at Wilsonville Baptist Church, September 9, were, left to right, Robert F. Lee, Sterrett; Mrs. Robert F. See, Sterrett; Bob Collier, Sterrett; and Homer Martin, associational Sunday School superintendent, Vincent.

Montevallo News

Edmund C. Kyser, formerly of Montevallo, was promoted to first lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force at Kelly AFB in San Antonio.

He is assigned to a unit of the Air Force Logistics Command there.

Lt. Kyser attended the public schools of Montevallo and was graduated from MHS. He is a 1967 graduate of Auburn. His wife is the former Miss Marsha Lowery of Summerville, Ga., and they have a son, Jeff.

His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Philip Kyser, who recently sold their Montevallo home to Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Smitherman and moved to Hollywood, Fla.

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Dr. Rebecca Pate attended the Omicron Nu Conclave in Fort Collins, Colorado, last week. Dr Pate represented the Alpha Gamma chapter of the national home economics honor society.

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Mr. and Mrs. Warren H. Garrett of Huntsville were in the county last week doing some historical detective work while visiting UM President and Mrs. Kermit Johnson.

They were attempting to locate the grave of Thomas A. Rogers, one of Shelby County's two signers of the state constitution in 1819, who was also elected to the State Senate and was the first Secretary of State. Mr. Garrett is a direct descendant of Rogers.

Family letters indicate that Rogers was buried in 1821 on the site of the original county courthouse in Pelham. The difficulty the Garretts encountered was in finding the courthouse site. They studied various old records in the courthouse, but it seems there is no record of the original courthouse's location.

Rogers and his family "caught the fever" in Cahaba, the state's first capitol. Rogers returned to Pelham and died soon afterward. His widow survived and returned to Tennessee where a son was subsequently born. The Garretts found a little family skulduggery on courthouse records. In 1824, three years after his death, Rogers is recorded as having sold several slaves. They assume the executor of the estate had a hand in this.

If one of our readers could shed any light on the courthouse location, we would be happy to pass along the word to Mr. Garrett.

Mental health meeting set

The Shelby County Reporter
Columbiana, Ala. 35051

Those interested in the reorganization of the Shelby County Mental Health Association are invited to a meeting to be held in the meeting rooms of the Court House in Columbiana at 7:30 P.M. on 22 September, 1969. Dr. D. W. Browne, of Vincent, Alabama, will serve as temporary chairman of the initial meeting until permanent officers can be elected.

Dr. Stonewall B. Stickney, the state Director of Mental Health is scheduled to speak at the 22 September meeting. Other speakers are scheduled for subsequent meetings, according to Dr. F. C. J. McGurk of Montevallo, publicity chairman.

No man believes genius is hereditary until he has a son. (Anonymous).

25 years ago–

First feminine fare finer named

25 Years Ago

Before Pearl Harbor, Frisco Lines never had employed a woman as ticket seller. A few months ago, Delbert Fields, Southeastern Passenger Agent for Frisco, needed a new ticket seller. He looked over his list of qualified candidates and selected his secretary, Miss Eloise Lester to become Frisco's First Feminine Fare Finer.

Miss Lester is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lester of Columbiana, and a graduate of Alabama College in Montevallo.

25 Years Ago

Sgt. Lloyd Lowery, who has been in service in North Africa for the past two years and home on furlough, left Sunday for Camp Ft. Houston, Texas for future service.

25 Years Ago

Miss Mildred Pitts of the O. K. Cleaners in Columbiana spent the week end at her home on Horseshoe Bend.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. Dick Martin of Calera spent Sunday in Columbiana and attended the memorial service honoring Mrs. Ida Lightcap in the Columbiana Methodist Church.

25 Years Ago

Miss Margaret Elizabeth Kent and Pfc. Clarence Nix were married Sunday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Kent, Siluria.

25 Years Ago

Rev. Jesse Hughes is the guest of his mother Mrs. Ida Hughes in Columbiana. Mr. Hughes is pastor of the Harrahan Baptist Church in Louisiana.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. Raymond Lyon (Margaret Stinson) and her little daughter left Wednesday to join Mr. Lyon who is in service at a camp in Virginia.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. Howard Whittaker and her son, Bill, are enjoying a visit with Mr. Whittaker in El Paso, Texas.

25 Years Ago

W. B. White, former sheriff of Shelby County, has been appointed to serve as Supervisor of Transportation for the Shelby County schools. Mr. White's appointment was made at the regular Board of Education meeting last Friday.

25 Years Ago

Supt. of Education, P. B. Shaw has announced a meeting of the Teacher's Institute which will be held in SCHS Sept. 1, 1944. W. N. McKathan will preside.

25 Years Ago

Miss Billie Jean Young of Howard College spent the week end in Columbiana as the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. M. Young.

25 Years Ago

It is estimated by the Selective Service that there are 11,417,000 men and women who have answered the call to serve their country and are now in uniform.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. Dottie Wood announces the marriage of her daughter, Dorothy Ernestine of Birmingham, to Lt. Robert A. Hume of Silver Springs, New York. They were married August 23, 1944 at Pensacola, Fla. by the Rev. A. J. Gross, pastor of the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church in a double ring ceremony.

Lt. Hume, a B-24 instructor has been transferred from Maxwell Field to Lincoln, Nebraska where he will fly B-29's. The couple will reside in Lincoln.

Mrs. Hume will be remembered as the former Miss Dorothy Wood, grandaughter of Mrs. W. W. Carter of Columbiana.

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Alabaster children visit Morgan zoo

The beginner's class of the First Baptist Church of Alabaster toured the Jimme Morgan Zoo on August 20, accompanied by Mrs. Wayne Russell, Mrs. Don Taylor, Mrs. Ralph Jones and Mrs. J. W. Lucas.

Those enjoying the outing and picnic lunch were:

Scott Attaway, Dale Jones, Jeff Russell, Kris Russell, Randy Taylor, Tammy Taylor, Dana Taylor, Timmy Willis, Kay Kelley, Steve Burgess, Holley Boothe, Steve Boothe, Lisa Lucas, Greg Young, Gina Hosmer, Clay Andrews and Jeannie Jones.

Teachers for this class are: Mrs. Wayne Russell, Mrs. Lynder Henry, and Mrs. Wesley Reach.

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O. E. S. INITIATION

Alabaster Chapter 476 OES, Alabaster, will have an Initiation Sept. 11th – 7:30 P.M. – Masonic Hall. All members of the Order are cordially invited to share this work and fellowship according to Louise Hoskins, Secretary.

The greatest of faults is to be conscious of none - - Thomas Carlyle, the Scottish essayist and historian.

MRS. ALBERT BREWER

First Lady's recipes popular in state

Alabama's homemakers and cooks are apparently giving an excellent reception to a book of favorite Alabama recipes complied by the state's First Lady, Mrs. Albert P. Brewer. Mrs. Brewer announced this week that sales of the new cookbook are going so well that a second printing has been ordered.

The more than 500 delicious recipes contained in the "Alabama First Lady's Cookbook" are drawn from what Mrs. Brewer calls a "historical tradition of good food in Alabama."

The cookbook comes as a natural project for the lovely First Lady. Mrs. Brewer majored in Home Economics at the University of Alabama and enjoys cooking for her own family in the Governor's Mansion in Montgomery. Governor Albert Brewer and the two Brewer daughters, Becki and Alison, rate her an expert in the kitchen.

"I know we all realize the rich tradition of fine Southern cooking that has been such an important part of Alabama life during the first 150 years of our Statehood," Mrs. Brewer said. "The First Lady's Cookbook is an effort to compile some of our time-honored recipes from the past, along with some of the more modern recipes of our present time."

Some of the recipes, according to Mrs. Brewer, have been handed down for generations; others use modern convenience foods. The cookbook, which includes thirteen sections of foods, is illustrated with drawings and engravings of Alabama landmarks, in keeping with the Sesquicentennail observance.

Sales on the cookbook have been booming, as witnessed by the short order in which the first printing of 10,000 books was sold. Now, Mrs. Brewer has arranged for another printing of 10,000 and will have these available for sale in the near future.

"I am delighted with the response which has been given to the cookbook throughout the state," Mrs. Brewer said. "I feel that the next 10,000 copies will be sold just as quickly."

Proceeds from the sale of the cookbook are being used to help finance Alabama's Sesquicentennial celebration. It was in December, 1819 that Alabama was admitted to the Union as the 22nd State, and celebrations of the event have been going on throughout Alabama during this year.

The cookbook may be ordered by mail, for $4 including postage, from Sesquicentennial headquarters. Write to "Alabama 150, 15 Office Park, Birmingham, Alabama 35223."

"Freedom of speech" does not give a person the right to shout "Fire" in a crowded theater - - Oliver Wendell Holmes, Supreme court justice (1841–1935).

With our servicemen

Boilerman Second Class John M. Wilson, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wilson of Route 1, Siluria is serving aboard the guided missile destroyer USS Waddell off the coast of Vietnam.

The Waddell, flagship for Destroyer Division Thirty-Two provides fire support to shore forces in Vietnam.

The ship will soon be visiting the port of Hong Kong. The goodwill visit to Hong Kong will provide the crew with a chance for some rest and relaxation and give them a chance to go on liberty there.

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Airman Ronald H. Clary, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Clary of Alabaster has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas. He has been assigned to Sheppard AFB, Texas for training in the transportation field. Airman Clary is a 1966 graduate of Thompson High School, Siluria and attended Auburn University.

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Aviation Ordnanceman Second Class John G. Thompson, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff D. Thompson of Route 1, Vincent is serving with Attack Squadron 85 aboard the aircraft carrier USS Constellation in the Pacific.

The Constellation is scheduled to visit Hawaii to conduct exercises in preparation for her Operation Readiness Inspection (ORI). After completing ORI, the carrier is scheduled to sail for Subic Bay in the Philippines for duty in the Far East.

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Army Private Kenneth J. Johnson, 21, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson, and wife, Jane, live on Route 1, Wilsonville, was assigned to the 2nd Infantry Division in Korea, August 1.

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One of the Army badges that soldiers wear with special pride is the Combat Infantryman Badge. It was awarded to Pfc. Donnie O. Crumpton near Ban Me Thuot, Vietnam, last month.

Pfc. Crumpton, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wardie R. Crumpton, Route 1, Siluria is assigned as a rifleman in Company A, 2nd Battalion, 35th Infantry of the 4th Infantry Division's 3rd Brigade.

The CIB has been awarded since late in World War II for sustained ground contact against an enemy.

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Army Pfc. John A. Elmore, 18, whose mother, Mrs. Ruby F. Elmore, lives on Route 1, Helena was assigned July 31 to the 82nd Airborne Division in Vietnam, as a clerk.

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Pfc Robert P. Evans, son of C. H. Evans, Route 1, Vincent, was assigned to the 25th Infantry Division in Vietnam, August 1 as a mortarman.

His wife also lives in Vincent, Ala.

VICK REUNION

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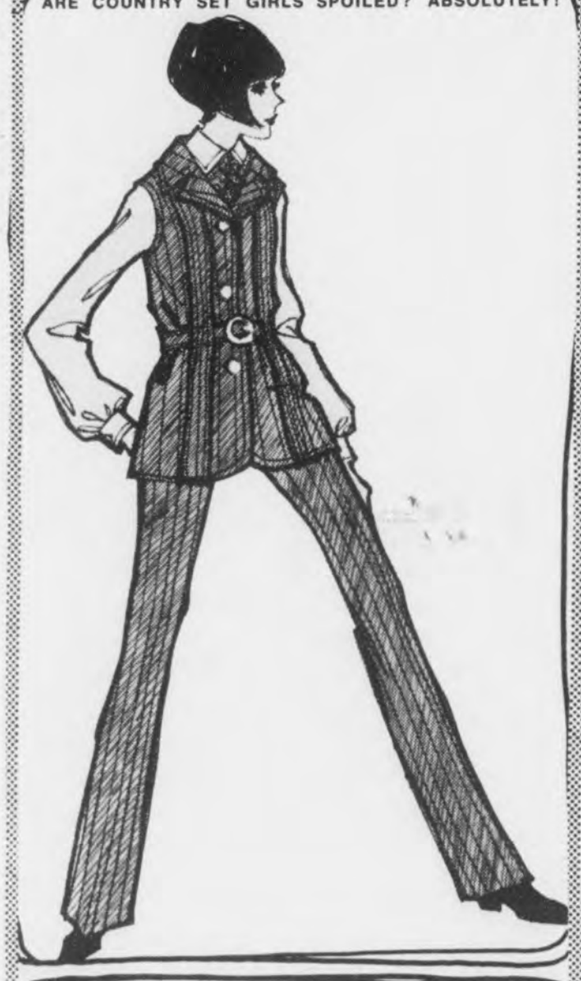

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DISMANTLING - - ABC agent Glen Sharit is pictured dismantling the still. Two men, R. F. Phillips and Billie Ray Compton were arrested and charged with distilling.

STILL DISCOVERED - - This 300 gallon still was discovered in operation by ABC and ATU agents last week. It was located in the woods just off the "Rabbit Gulch Road", southeast of Montevallo.

JUDGE SEES FIRST STILL - - Harold Walden, Judge of the Law and Equity Court, thought every judge should see a still to have a better understanding of evidence presented in court. After ATU agent Jim Powell and ABC agents Glen Sharit and Hubert Kirkland raided the Rabbit Gulch still, they telephoned the judge. He arrived in time to inspect the operation before they destroyed it.

Westover Homemaking Club wins ribbons at fair

by Elsie Jones

Some members of the Westover Homemaking Extension Club are proudly displaying their ribbons which were won at the County Fair last week. The Club was awarded a white ribbon for their exhibit of "Better Breakfasts for Better Living." Mrs. Tag Elliott was awarded two blue ribbons for huckleberry and blackberry jams; a white ribbon for her strawberry jam; and a white ribbon for an African violet. Mrs. Eva Strother received a blue ribbon for her African violet "Touch of Fire," and a red ribbon for her red African violet. Mrs. Patricia Arledge received a white ribbon for her Bottle Garden, and a white ribbon for her sweet pickles. Mrs. Elsie A. Jones received a blue ribbon for her grape jelly, and a white ribbon for her watermelon-rind preserves.

As president of the Homemakers Club, Mrs. Jones announced that "WE" had begun on our next year's project "yesterday." It was fun!

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This week our salute goes to two of our youngest newcomers to Westover. These adorable and lovable cherubs come to us from Babyland. Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Allen are the happy parents of one. The Allens have another daughter in their family. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitten are proudly acclaiming the arrival of their baby daughter, Lisa. We are sorry that we were not able to obtain the name of the Allen baby.

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The Elton Granthams are busily putting the finishing touches to their home on Westover Road, and it is a large and lovely home. I understand that the second floor is being completed and occupied by their son, Wayne and his wife, Ludie. This nice home and two lovely families are a really appreciated asset to our community.

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The holiday week-end brought several visitors which have been reported to me. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sexton's children and grandchildren were all present at their home. They were: Mr. and Mrs. John Fox and Carolyn and Lynn Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fox, of Franklin, Tennessee; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sexton, Jr., and Gerald and Robert Sexton, of Hueytown; and Dan Sexton, of Keesler Air Force Base, Biloxi, Mississippi. Dan was in the midst of hurricane Camille as it swept and washed across the Gulf Coast. He was fortunate that his living quarters remained intact, while he reported that he stood in his doorway and watched brick homes break up as easily as match stems about him.

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The Luther Hatcher family is always a busy family going here and there. Mrs. Hatcher recently returned from a visit to New Jersey where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Joyce Kerr. Miss Naomi Hatcher returned home just in time to enroll in school after a summer spent in visiting and camping at various places.

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The Ronnie Wortham family spent the week-end with his parents, the Frank Worthams, and her parents, the Luther Hatcher family. They are from Pascagoula, Mississippi. During the hurricane, Ronnie and family moved their trailer up to Westover for several days. We are very happy to report, also, that this ambitious couple have purchased a part of the original "Colonel Fancher" property. It is nice to know that this property is remaining in the family, since Ronnie is a great-grandson of Mr. Fancher.

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Mrs. Opal Cordell Littleton, of Alexander City, was a week-end visitor in the homes of relatives and friends. Mrs. Littleton owns and operates a Child Care Center in Alexander City.

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Mrs. Lois Segers, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rev. Vaughn in Linden, is reported to be very ill down there. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

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Mrs. Eva Strother spent several days in Marietta, Georgia, recently visiting the James Hatcher family.

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A welcome visitor to the Westover and Chelsea area is Mr. Paul Nivens, of Washington, D. C. Mr. Nivens is a native of Chelsea, and is detouring through here after a trip to Texas to enroll his son in Texas A & M College. He is visiti..g his nieces Mrs. Roy Grantham, Mrs. Marlin Brasher, and Mrs. Denver Brasher.

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Friends and relatives of Mr. Manning Stinson, of Columbiana, are sorry to know that he remains in a critical condition at St. Vincent's Hospital. Mr. Stinson is a brother of Mr. Roy Stinson and the late Mr. Carey Stinson of Westover.

Judson president accepts new post

The president of Alabama's only woman's college has resigned to accept a post at Indiana State University October 1.

Dr. James H. Edmondson, formerly executive head of the Alabama Association of Independent Colleges and vice president of a Birmingham bank, will leave Judson College here in early September.

Under his leadership the Baptist senior college has taken great strides as an imaginative academic institution respecting but not hidebound by tradition.

Judson was the first school in the South to operate under a modified academic calendar. Enrollment has jumped since the Judson Option became effective in the school year 1965-66. (Under the Option a student may earn a B.A. or B.S. degree in either three or four years, with two or four months vacation each year. The three-year plan saves more than a year's tuition.)

"Judson has tremendous promise for the future, with new and exciting developments in its academic program which will be copied by other institutions," Dr. Edmondson told the college board of trustees Thursday in giving his resignation.

Among these are a cooperative graduate program with the University of Alabama, an informal coordinate college relationship with Marion Institute, summer travel-study programs, and new uses for the May-June short term.

The Gadsden native came to the woman's college in January, 1966 after experience with AAIC and the Exchange Security Bank in Birmingham. He has been advisor to banks and corporations, labor-management arbitrator with the Federal Mediation Service, editor of business magazines and author of two books on higher education.

Dr. Edmondson has been a faculty member and administrator at Presbyterian Junior College in North Carolina, and Ouachita Baptist University in Arkansas. He has been advisor to Samford University and Birmingham University School; a commissioner for the Accrediting Commission for Business Schools; trustee for various colleges; and a member of the executive committee for the Southern Association of Colleges for Women.

The late Gov. Lurleen B. Wallace appointed him to the Alabama Education Study Commission. He is also president of the Association of Higher Education for the AEA.

The Judson president earned the A.B. degree at Jacksonville State College, the M.A. at George Peabody College, and the D.Ed. at Indiana University.

He is listed in Who's Who in American Education and Who's Who in Banking, and is a member of various civic and academic organizations. Among these are Newcomen Society of North America and the American Management Association.

Fleetwood Carnley of Elba, president of the Judson board of trustees, will be acting president of the college until a new president is elected.

New Hope News

Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Fulmer have returned from Tampa, Fla., where they spent several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Fulmer.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mahan with their children, Joy and Murray, spent Tuesday in Chattanooga, visiting Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Todd and other relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cross are improving at the Lloyd Noland Hospital. He was being treated for an infection in his foot.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moore and their attractive daughter, Shelia were guests of relatives in Fayette last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Blackwell with their children came up from Homestead, Fla., to visit Mrs. Estell Garrett and numbers of friends in this area.

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Mr. and Mrs. Trion Eiland have returned to their home in Talladega after spending the week end as guests of her mother, Mrs. H. M. Wilslett on Valley Dale Road.

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A wedding of interest here was that of Miss Lodie White and Mark Dobbs. They will make their home in Chelsea.

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Scott Fowler, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fowler, suffered a cut on his forehead when he slipped while in the shower.

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Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Brashier are spending some time here where they are house guests of Mrs. Sylvester Brashier.

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A delightful affair was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. H. M. Winslett Monday afternoon, when she was hostess at a shower for Miss Laura Rutherford. The honoree received an assortment of nice gifts for her new trailer home.

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Mr. Earl Morgan is improving at the Veteran's Hospital where he had surgery recently.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Wilson have returned to their home in Adamsville after visiting his mother, Mrs. J. M. Wilson here recently.

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Members of the Adult Fellowship from a number of churches will be present for a meeting at Camp Spain Friday evening.

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

Well, there's a tang of fall in the air, and mothers whose youngsters are back in school can relax for a quiet cup of coffee after the morning rush; those whose "baby" has grown up enough to enter school for the first time will keep very busy to avoid that "lonesome" feeling which follows this event.

As for us at the Falcon Book Store in Montevallo, we welcome the return of the regular school year; it is good to have the young people in and out of the store at fairly regular intervals, and the older folks too, with time to browse a little.

We have another nice Christmas card album – Norcross. With the other from California Artists, we really can supply every need for personalized greetings. We are already taking orders, which is a good sign of popularity for our cards; and we are confident that new names will be added to our growing list of satisfied card customers. Come in and look at them soon.

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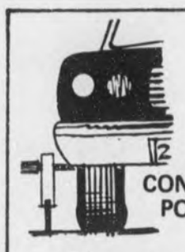
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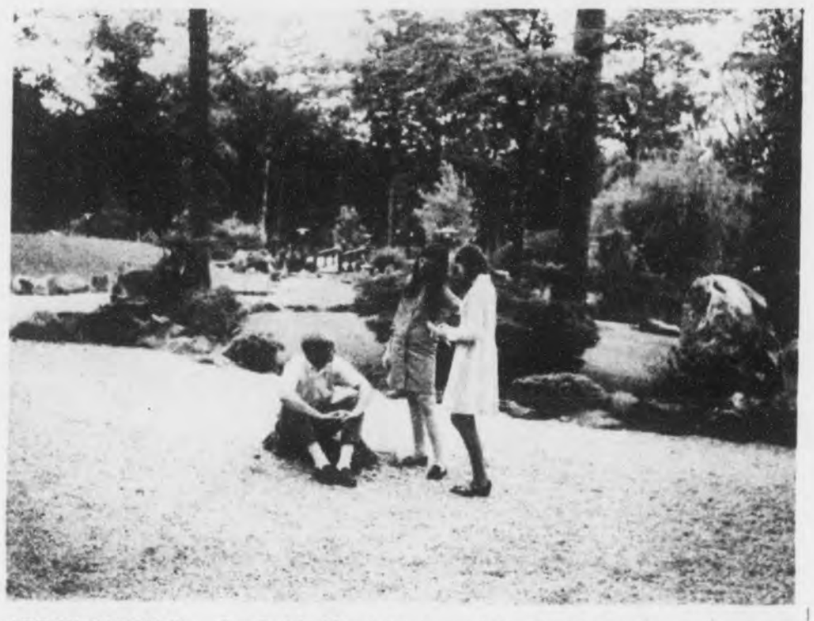

ART IN GARDENS - - Ben Smith, Sherri Hughes and Carolyn Hall study wood and walk patterns at the Japanese Gardens in Birmingham. The Columbiana teenagers are featured in the ETV series on art which will be shown statewide throughout the current school year.

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Feature at fair--

4-Hers win trophies at horse show

A new feature at the Shelby County Fair this year was the Shelby County 4-H Horse Show, which was held on Wednesday night. The 1st place winner in each class received a trophy and the 1st, 2nd and 3rd places in each class were awarded ribbons. Participation ribbons were also given to the other entries in each class.

Any 4-H member in the county with a horse project was eligible to enter the show. The seven classes of the show had a total of 71 entries. The classes and winners were:

Class III – Halter Showmanship – 1st Place : Roll On Poco, owned and shown by Carol Brown, Montevallo; 2nd Place: My Fair Lady, owned and shown by Cindy Wallace, Rt. 1, Leeds; 3rd Place: Laurwill, owned and shown by Deetsie Spires, Columbiana.

Class IV – 1968-1969 Foals Shown at Halter – 1st Place: Leo Geo Elaine, owned and shown by Susan McEwen, Columbiana; 2nd Place: Mucho, owned and shown by Scott Maxwell, Vincent; 3rd Place: Unnamed colt, owned and shown by Cindy Wallace, Rt. 1, Leeds.

Class I – Western Pleasure, Jr. Group – 1st Place: My Fair Lady, owned and ridden by Cindy Wallace, Rt. 1, Leeds; 2nd Place: Arab, owned and ridden by Martha Moore, Wilsonville; 3rd Place: Tony, owned and ridden by Jim Hall, Wilsonville.

Class II – Western Pleasure, Senior Group – 1st Place : Laurwill, owned and ridden by Deetsie Spires, Columbiana; 2nd Place: Charlie Brown, owned and ridden by Susan Grady, Helena; 3rd Place: Washita Boy, owned and ridden by Becky Morton, Vincent.

Class V – Ribbon Hack – The horses were ridden in pairs in this class. Two pairs of horses tied for 1st place: Buckboy, ridden by Suzette Embry, Vincent; Whiskers, ridden by Terry Baker, Harpersville; and Tony, ridden by Jim Hall, Wilsonville; Demascus, ridden by Roger Hutto, Wilsonville. 3rd Place: Went to Sondi, ridden by Scott Maxwell, Vincent and Yogi, ridden by Bill Maxwell, Vincent.

Class VI – Musical Chairs on Horseback – 1st Place: Fellow, ridden by Susan Grady, Helena; 2nd Place: My Fair Lady, ridden by Cindy Wallace, Rt. 1, Leeds; 3rd Place: Mountain Dude, ridden by Ginger Bearden, Helena.

Class VII – Novelty Costume Class – 1st Place: Buckboy, ridden by Suzette Embry, Vincent; 2nd Place: Washita Boy, ridden by Becky Morton, Vincent; 3rd Place: Tied by My Fair Lady, ridden by Cindy Wallace, Rt. 1, Leeds and Marsha Lefkovits, Columbiana.

During the show the Shelby County Horse Club Awards for the club year 1968-1969 were made. Winning awards in the Senior Group were given to Charles Wilder, Adell Simpson, Larry Cain and Frank McEwen. In the Junior Group Cindy Wallace and Marsha Lefkovits tied for the Project Award which is based on 4-H Club Record Books.

HEAD OF CLASS—Singer sewing experts say the cotton corduroy jumper will head the parade of back-to-school styles this fall. This zip-front version with new deep-cut armholes is made from Simplicity Pattern 8375. It tops a checked cotton blouse made by Simplicity Pattern 8226.

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RUGGED STOP - - Chin strap and mouth piece fly as Vincent Defenseman Larry McGinnis (73) latches onto Montevallo Quarterback Anthony Steffney. Harold Garrett (11) assists in making the tackle. The Montevallo Bulldogs came from behind in the final quarter to down the Yellow Jackets, 14-6. Montevallo will play Chelsea High Saturday night at Chelsea. The Yellow Jackets host Calera tonight. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Vulcan starts open pit quarry north of Helena

By Marcia M. Sears

A new quarry is making its appearance this week in the growing list of Shelby County industries.

W. Houston Blount, President of the Southeast Division of Vulcan Materials Company, announced that the company has acquired mineral and surface rights to 100 acres of land adjoining the northern city limits of Helena. Vulcan will develop an open-pit quarry there for the production of construction aggregates used in highway building.

The product will be the same as that produced at Vulcan's Calera quarry.

Mineral rights to the property were leased from Albert Belcher of the Belcher Land and Timber Company. Surface rights were acquired from J. E. Bearden.

No official figures concerning the transaction were announced.

Vulcan currently is setting up a temporary plant at Helena with a production capacity of approximately 300 tons an hour at the site. The temporary plant will be used for stripping and operation while the permanent plant is in the engineering design and construction stages. The permanent plant will produce some 500 tons an hour.

Some 35 people are being employed for the temporary plant. The permanent plant will employ approximately 50 or more persons, according to Blount. The average payroll for this plant will approximate $350,000 annually.

Blount noted that Shelby County is one of the leading counties in the United States in terms of rock quarrying.

What about air and water pollution, so often associated in the minds of Shelby Countians with rock quarries?

The Reporter asked Vulcan Vice-president George Pugh what steps the company planned to control pollution. Pugh said that Vulcan has been a leader in the field of air pollution control, installing more control devices than the law requires. High density collectors are systematically installed at all plants and the company has one man assigned to control in each division. Mechanized motor-driven devices and settling devices with filters are planned at the Helena operation, he indicated.

Pugh told the Reporter, "We start putting water on the stone as it goes to the first crusher to try to eliminate dust." He indicated that Vulcan does not do fine drying or kiln drying that creates fine dust. The Helena plant will produce crushed stone and will not be a lime operation, Pugh said.

Machinery at Helena will be similar to that at Vulcan's Huntsville quarry, which is the most modern of the Vulcan group.

On the subject of underground water, Pugh indicated that the company had gone to considerable trouble to study the water table. He feels that the new quarry will not affect the wells or water supply of anyone in the area.

Pugh said a hydrologist from the University of Alabama studied the well system of the Helena valley "to be sure before we start that we're not going to be drying up anybody's well."

The well supplying the town of Helena is so deep, according to the hydrologist's report, that it bottoms out on a level far below the level of the Ketona dolomite that Vulcan plans to quarry, Pugh said.

Columbiana, Montevallo Win--

Gridiron teams, fans roar in spite of rain

Rain soaked the spectators, ruined the women's hairdos and caused slippery footing on the grid iron, yet the downpour did not dampen spirits as county football competition got underway in Vincent Friday night.

If there had been a rainbow, the pot of gold would have been on the Montevallo side. Coach Charlie Martin unleashed a pack of spirited Bulldogs that came from behind to down the Vincent Yellow Jackets, 14-6.

Shelby County High was the only other county team to open the season with a win. The Wildcats blanked Clanton, 10-0.

West Blocton edged Calera, 12-8; Bibb County defeated Thompson High, 41-20 and Dallas County downed Chelsea, 39-0.

Vincent scored early in the fourth period on an 11-yard run by Paul Partridge. The PAT attempt went wide.

The Montevallo Bulldogs knotted the score at 6-6 on a 52-yard pass from Quarterback Anthony Steffney to Speedy Halfback Larry Fields. Roy Goggins booted the Bulldogs into the lead with the PAT.

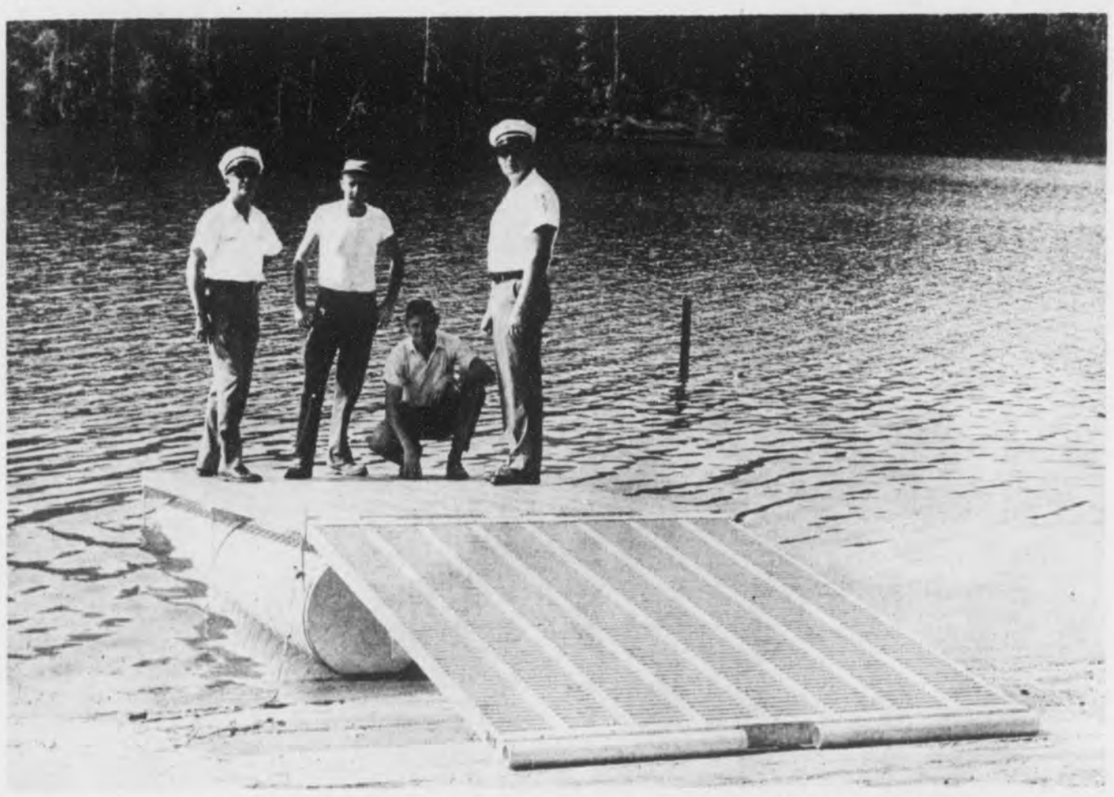
Fields added the Bulldogs' final score on a 58-yard dash. Goggins again converted.

The Calera Eagles, trailing at halftime 6-0, went ahead in the third period when Defensive End Harry Moon forced a fumble, picked up the loose football and dashed 56 yards for a touchdown. Rick Ousley passed to Moon for a two-point conversion.

West Blocton scored the winning trochdown in the final period on a 10-yard run by Johnny Horton.

Charles Wilder put the Shelby County High Wildcats on the scoreboard for the first time in the 1969 season with a 24-yard field goal. Ben Smith scored the Wildcats first touchdown of the new season with a pass interception and return for 65 yards. Wilder kicked the extra point for a 10-0 win over Clanton.

Dean Mayhew connected with Larry Darden on a 36-yard pass play for Thompson's first score. The point after was not good. Mayhew tossed another touchdown aerial of six yards to L. C. Laird for Thompson's second score. Steve Lee added the final tally for Thompson.



INSTALL NEW PIER - - Water Safety Patrolman and employees of the Shelby County Highway Department inspect the new six feet by 20 feet pier before installation is completed at the new public boat launch located at Old Kibbey's Camp on Lay Lake. Inspecting the new pier are (from left) Capt. Ray Hendrix, Harold Jones, Clifton Jones and Patrolman Bill Attaway. The pier was furnished by the Water Safety Division and installed by the county highway department.

PLAN NEW MATH TEXT - - A group of Montevallo parents met Monday to discuss buying "New Math" texts for the seventh grade at MHS. From left, Principal Cratie Corbett, Mrs. Harry Beach, Mrs. Louise Reeder, teachers Mrs. Glen Smith and Larry Jo Pickett, Dr. Angela Hernandez, Mrs. Philip Lacey and Mrs. J. H. Roberts, Jr.

Out of date textbooks handicap county's teachers, students

By Marcia M. Sears

Shelby County parents need to be alerted to the critical situation that exists in the textbook situation in the schools.

This is the fourth year textbooks have been distributed free to all Alabama public school pupils, from first through 12th grades. However, the program, which started off with high hopes for improving the educational growth of all students, now threatens to strangle those students on old and seriously outdated materials.

The major fault is, in the words of Superintendent Elvin Hill, "There never was enough money appropriated to provide the books that are needed."

In the beginning, the state purchased from students many of the books then in use. Several of these texts dated back five or six years. Now, with insufficient appropriations, many of those same books are still in use in Shelby County schools.

This was to be the year to replace all social studies books, according to Hill, but there was only money enough to buy half the social studies books needed in this county. Accordingly, the books were parceled out as fairly as possible.

Different grades in each school have some of the new books, but students with a new book this year may have to revert to an old book next year.

Mathematics is another critical area, largely because of the "New Math" method of teaching. The "New Math" is being taught all over the United States and was long ago accepted by educators as far superior to the older concepts of math teaching.

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U of Montevallo opens Monday with all time record enrollment

Alabama's newest universtiy - - which is at the same time one of the state's older institutions of higher learning - - - will open for the new school year this week with a record student enrollment, an increase in faculty members, an expanded academic program and a number of new physical facilities.

The University of Montevallo, long known as Alabama College, will begin its 73rd year of operation Friday, Sept. 12, when SGA leaders return for a pre-semester planning conference.

The annual joint meeting of faculty, staff and administration members is set for Saturday evening, and dormitories will open for a record number of students on Sunday, Sept. 14.

Freshmen and transfer students were registered during four special summer orientation sessions, and will begin regular classwork on Monday. Upperclassmen will register for classes on Monday, and take up studies the following day.

More than 2,100 students - - an increase of around five per cent over last year - - - are expected for the fall term.

Two new dormitories with accommodations for some 300 students will be opened this semester. Housing officials said the new residence halls will relieve crowded living conditions on campus, but will not solve the problem completely.

They said some three-to-a-room assignments have been necessary in spite of the new buildings.

With the official change-over from college to university status on Sept. 1, the Montevallo institution also reorganized all academic departments within three colleges - - - the colleges of

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LONG GAINER FOR WILDCATS - - Ben Smith (15), Shelby County High's quarterback, skirts end on an option play for a 15-yard gainer against Clanton last Friday night in Clanton. The Wildcats blanked Chilton County High, 10-0. Shelby County High will meet Lineville in its second outing of the season Friday night in Columbiana. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

Approval was given by the Board of Revenue Monday to the Water Works Board of Birmingham to extend a water line into an area along Valley Dale Road and the Indian Village Subdivision in north Shelby County.

EBSCO, a manufacturing firm in Vincent, asked the Board for a ten-year tax exemption for its manufacturing facilities. The exemption would be for all county taxes except school and hospital taxes. The Board granted the request, as is the custom to encourage the development of industry in the county.

Just to remind those of you who will want to cast your vote in the special election to be held Tuesday, Oct. 7: Monday, Sept. 15, is the last day when you can register to vote on the 1-cent gasoline tax.

The county's bill asking for an election on the question of a one-cent gasoline tax, passed the Senate on the last day of the legislative session. The date of October 7 has been set for the registered voters in the county to vote on this issue. Further announcements will be made on this matter at a later date.

Approximately 12,000 property owners in Shelby County will soon be making their way into the office of Tax Collector Fay Quick to pay taxes which will be due October 1.

This date also marks tag-time when auto owners will be required to purchase a new blue and white license tag in order to legally travel Alabama's autumn lit highways. Clerks and secretaries in the Probate office, Tax Assessor and Tax Collector offices are sharpening their pencils in anticipation of the "big-push" which is just around the corner!

A pleading term of the Shelby County Circuit Court is set for September 30 at 9 o'clock A.M. There are 114 cases pending on the Jury docket of Shelby County. On Sept. 30, Judge Kenneth F. Ingram will set the trial docket for the term beginning October 27, as well as settle the pleadings. There are also 26 cases listed on the Law and Equity docket which will be called after the pleading term docket.

Letter to Editor--

Writer questions need for new tax

Rt. 3, Bessemer, Ala.
September 1st, 1969

Editor
Shelby County Reporter

In recent months, there has been a great deal in The Shelby County Reporter about limited revenue and the need for an additional one-cent gasoline tax for roads in Shelby County.

It appears to me that the course of wise and responsible government warrants some explanation concerning the use of present revenues before additional tax burdens are forced on the residents and voters of Shelby County.

At the present, there is approximately two miles of road being constructed in Beat five; north west corner of Shelby County which has two families living on it. These residents have unsuccessfully opposed the construction of the road. Furthermore, I have heard no reasonable explanation as to the building of this road. The apparent benefits this road will provide for the citizens of Shelby County are very few, if any.

If there are any benefits, at all, they will be primarily for Jefferson County - the road leads out of Shelby County into Jefferson.

Although it may have been published, I am not aware of what this road is costing the tax-payers of Shelby County, and I would like to know. There is no question that the cost will run into thousands of dollars.

It is my sincere belief that before certain public officials of Shelby County can, in good faith, ask its' citizens to pay another tax they should explain the use of funds on projects like the one discussed in this letter. The tax-payer of Shelby County is entitled to a full explanation; and has a right to know why the county's road money is being spent as it is.

I hope you will publish this letter as it concerns a matter which is vital to all residents of Shelby County.

T. C. Dickinson

(Editor's Note:

The Board of Revenue of Shelby County makes all decisions regarding county roads and highways. Accordingly, the Reporter asked the Board to study Mr. Dickinson's complaints and to make a reply. Following is the statement of the Board:)

September 8, 1969

Dear Editor:

The county highway in Beat 5 questioned by Mr. Dickinson is a connecting road between the "Third Grade Road" (County Highway 13) and Crest Ridge Road in Jefferson County. The road is important in that it will provide a short cut (saving 10 to 15 miles) for the citizens of northwest Shelby County whose normal trade and employment are in the McCalla-Bessemer area. The road is a school bus route. Prior to reconstruction it was a narrow dirt road with sharp curves and steep grades - an unsafe road that was occasionally impassable.

There has been considerable local interest in this project. The property owners affected, with the exception of Mr. Dickinson and his son-in-law, donated the necessary road right of way.

The road was programed in 1964 by Commissioner T. R. Nash; grading and drainage was provided during the administration of Commissioner J. C. Acton; and now the basing and paving is being done during the tenure of Commissioner J. E. Bearden.

Our cost records reflect the following: grading and drainage, $33,000.00; base course application $23,000.00; paving $7,500.00-total cost $63,500.00. The project, upon completion will cost Shelby County $31,750.00. The other half is being paid by the State Highway Department. This construction qualified as a State Aid-County project from the beginning.

The Board is aware of Mr. Dickinson's opposition. The position of the Board has been explained to him on several occasions. The Board believes that the construction of a paved road through Mr. Dickinson's property, owned by him since 1959, will be of value and we hope that he will approve this project that life long residents of his community have sought for many years.

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Picket line down at Columbiana plant

The picket line at the Elastic Corporation in Columbiana disappeared last Thursday. The next day the company started interviewing employees who had taken part in the strike.

The story circulated that six or seven employees would not be re-hired, but that all others would be put on the company's list to come back as vacancies occured at the plant if the employees requested it.

Albert DeLoach, representative of the United Textile Workers Union, was released from Shelby County jail Thursday on a bond of $20,000, put up by the union.

Union attorneys, Max Pope and Lewis Gwaltney, obtained his release on an appeal to the State Supreme Court. The union has appealed Judge Kenneth Ingram's original injunction and the subsequent contempt of court decisions which set a bond of $75,000 on the union.

The Supreme Court ordered DeLoach released on the lower bond, pending the hearing on the other appeal.

The injunction remains in force.

Last Friday, 35 ECA employees filed for unemployment compensation in the Calera office. Monday 30 more filed and a few additional workers filed claims on Tuesday, according to Mr. Mitchell of the Calera state unemployment office.

Baptist Center opens Tuesday

On the evening of Sept. 16, at 7 o'clock, the Shelby Baptist Extension Center will open at the Baptist Building in Columbiana. The Rev. Ronnie Euler acting as Director and Registrar.

The Rev. Andrew Tampling, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Sylacauga, and the Rev. John Duncan will be the instructors. The two courses offered will cost a total of $17.00 for 12 weeks course. Samford University will give a scholarship to all ministerial students.

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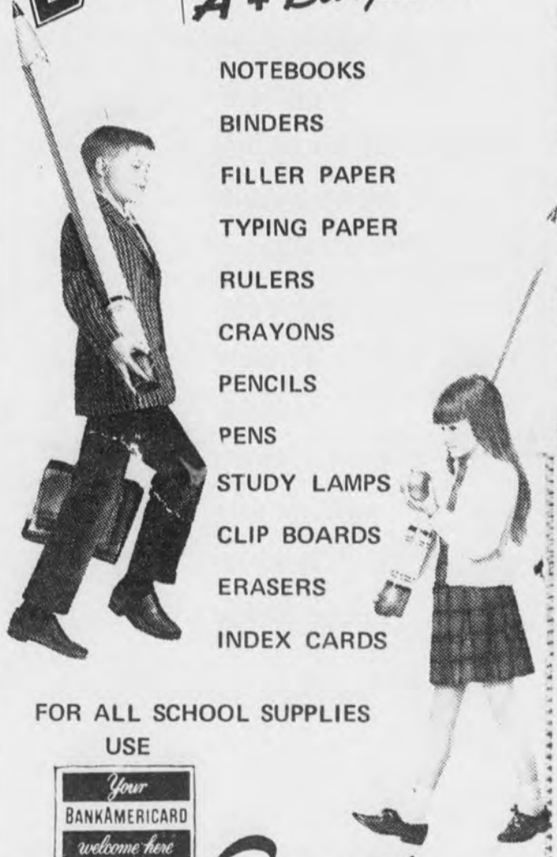

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Columbiana personals–

Mrs. Annette Skinner honored

Mrs. Annette Skinner, recently resigned her position as Chief Clerk in the Probate Office to accept a position with a firm in Pelham. Friday, marked her last official day in the courthouse and a cake and coffee hosted by Judge and Mrs. Conrad M. Fowler was given before closing hours to which the official family, secretaries, and close friends of the honoree were invited.

Regrets that Mrs. Skinner's new position would take her away from Columbiana were unanimously expressed along with congratulations and best wishes for her future success and happiness. A beautiful sandwich tray was presented as a gift of appreciation from her co-workers.

Mrs. Earline Doss has been appointed by Judge Fowler to succeed Mrs. Skinner and she assumed her duties in this highly responsible position Sept. 8. Mrs. Doss will be assisted by Mrs. Billy Voce and Mrs. Virginia Fowler.

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Hyche Receives Gifts Of Appreciation

Following the weekly rehearsal of the Sanctuary Choir Tuesday evening, director Gaines Hyche was presented with gifts of appreciation from the choral group bespeaking their gratitude to him for the many calls he has answered on various occasions, and for the promotion and full cooperation he has given to all the church programs since he arrived in Columbiana several weeks ago to begin his duties as Director of Music and Youth in the First Baptist Church.

The event was hosted, on behalf of the choral group, by Mrs. Ray Argo and Mrs. William Rasco and came as a complete surprise to the honoree - but he graciously accepted the individual gifts -- stating "This is the first experience of this kind that has ever happened to me".

Mr. Hyche has been in Columbiana only a few weeks but he has been called on to participate in many events far removed from his "line of duty" and has cheerfully answered them all and given his full cooperation where and when needed.

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The Restless Ones

The far-famed cinema version of "The Restless Ones" will be shown for one night only in the Mt. Signal Baptist Church in Westover on Highway 280, Saturday Sept. 13 at 7:30 P.M.

This film has received the endorsement of Billy Graham and has been widely acclaimed. It is sponsored by the youth of the Mt. Signal Church and everyone is cordially invited to be present. The picture presentation is free - - but a donation for the ministry will be appreciated.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Longshore, former residents of Columbiana, spent Friday in Columbiana. Mr. Longshore is a prominent attorney in Birmingham, and was here attending to legal matters pending in this county.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bath, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Richie and Lila of Demopolis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Lauderdale.

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Sunday was Promotion Day at the Columbiana Methodist Church and the program preceding the event was presented by Mrs. P. O. Luck and her teen age class assisted by Mrs. Jane Carter, soloist and Mrs. Mamye Horn, organist.

All classes formerly held in the Chandler Home have been moved to the church and the Chandler home, which has been utilized for Primary Department, is undergoing a complete renovation.

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Mrs. Dick Jones (Sissy Roberts) of Tuscaloosa is spending a few days in Columbiana as the guest of her mother Mrs. Stella Roberts.

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The Tax Assessor's office has been minus some familiar faces for several weeks during the summer months due to the illness of Mrs. Mabel Franks and vacationing Mrs. Murrel Mullins - - However, both have returned to their official posts in this busy office, and Tax Assessor Tommy Snowden seemed "happy about the whole thing" when we met him this morning over a cup of java.

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Conrad and Randy Fowler have returned to University of Alabama - - Brian Gordon and Tommy Harrison have enrolled in Samford University. Jeff Hand will transfer to Auburn from Samford this year. Nena Carter, a senior at Auburn, is doing practice teaching in a school in Georgia. Kathy Carter has returned to California to resume her musical career as a trombonist. Toni Minor, Carolyn Capps, Sherri Skinner, Chuck King and Becky Farris are Montevallo University bound, among mnay others who will soon leave Main Street and it will be a lonesome old town when these bright and breezy folk resume their collegiate routine.

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Regret to learn that Mrs. Eula Carter fell and broke her hip last week and is a patient in Shelby Memorial.

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The Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Scroggins have returned to Columbiana following two weeks vacation spent in the mountains of North Alabama.

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Congratulations to our good friend Joel Lovett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lovett of Wilsonville, who has been promoted from First Lt. to Capt. Joel Lovett as of August 29, when he completed school in Denver, Colorado. The young patriot is now stationed at Ellsworth AFB, South Dakota, and has requested the Reporter be mailed him each week so that he may keep in touch with former classmates and friends in Shelby County. This - - we gladly do and thank him for the privilege!

The really efficient laborer will not crowd his day with work. Those who work much do not work hard - - Henry David Thoreau.

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

Well, I guess it's best not to do always what everyone else does. At the Falcon Book Store in Montevallo, we decided to omit some school supplies we had handled in previous years without too much success, and stock some different type items. It paid off, as a number of parents and youngsters told us we were the "only ones" who had some things they liked or needed. Made us feel good!

Our nice Norcross line of greeting cards is again fairly complete, and we have some old favorites back in stock. We have some hilarious new "funny" cards, also. Drop by soon and check on these and other things. Always good to see you.

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MRS. THOMAS CHARLES BRACKETT

Miss Free marries Thomas Brackett

Miss Beverly Jo Free and Mr. Thomas Charles Brackett exchanged wedding vows Saturday afternoon in the sanctuary of the Vestavia Hills United Methodist Church. Rev. Woodfin Grove performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Allen Free and Mr. Brackett's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Brackett.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white wedding gown with detachable cathedral length train, of silk organza over peau-de-soie, re-embroidered alencon lace with pearls on bodice and long sleeves, with the same matching lace on front of the skirt. Her veil of silk illusion was attached to an alencon head piece. She carried a bouquet of white roses, lily-of-the-valley and stephanotis.

Miss Beth Wingo served as maid-of-honor. Other attendants were Anne Free, sister of the bride, Patricia Hallmark and Carol Watters. They wore slipper length gowns of moss green cotton ottoman, trimmed in candlelight antique lace. Completing their attire were matching bouffant veils. They carried cascading bouquets of gold and yellow chrysanthemums.

Mr. Brackett served his son as best man. Groomsmen were Micheal Garnett of Decatur; Douglas Shelton of Auburn; David Gamble, Earl Whatley and Frank Wingate, all of Birmingham.

After the ceremony a reception was given in the church parlor. Assisting were Mrs. Tuell Garnett and Mrs. Byron Carrell both of Decatur; Mrs. O. W. Frazier of Atlanta, Georgia; and Mrs. Richard Dominick, Misses Susan Wiley and Susan Gamble all of Birmingham.

The couple will be at home in Auburn following a wedding trip to Montego Bay, Jamaica.

Society Page And Personal Mention

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Slow down for tots

We again remind you this morning, as we look through the office windows at little fellows trudging along to school dodging bikes and high powered motor cars whizzing around Main - - that it is time to seriously consider slowing down!

Do you "grown-ups", who follow my errant penpoint each week, not remember some years ago - - the poignant heart-pang you experienced when your own portion of this nation's wide pilgrimage joined the September march into the various "Temples of Learning", how they left you wide-eyed, eager and happy in the anticipation of new worlds to conquer? Do you not recall how jauntily they walked, swinging along their new books, satchels, pens and pencils leaving the whole family a bit frustrated after getting them off to school on time? Surely you recall the first day that sturdy little figure, with his new found independence left you watching - - and found you waiting for his return on that first day at school. A strange tenderness somehow hovers around this particular period for those of us who have silently stood and watched them go!

Do you not recall at the beginning of his first school year how you returned to face the crashing silence of the house - after the pitter - patter of little feet had gone? Do you not remember picking up the blocks and putting them away - - and the wailing of the puppy you had to tie to keep from following the Lilliputian Parade - - ? These and many more memories are sufficient for me to grant the request of anxious mothers today, and reprint a little poem we once

used which, if we remember correctly - ran like this:

"They are so small Dear God
The school is blocks away,
Their steps so prone to lag
At bits of color in the street.

Make keen the eyes of drivers,
Stay the grinding wheels of trucks,
Spare us from tiny splintered bones
From flesh like blossoms crushed upon the stones!"
(Author Unknown)

Won't you please slow down and give them a chance to live?

M.W.W.

SCHS PTA meets Tuesday

The initial meeting of the Columbiana Chapter of the Parent Teachers Association will be held in the Shelby County High School auditorium on the evening of Sept. 16 at 7:30 o'clock, Mrs. Hilda Knight, presiding.

The PTA calendar drive will begin Sept. 15 and run for two weeks. Those interested in procuring a calendar are requested to give name, birthday, and anniversary dates to be listed, to the students as no parents will call this year.

Mary Ann Thompson
Publicity Chairman.

CHICKEN READY - - Mr. and Mrs. Hank Spires prepare to serve barbecued chicken to members of the Fulton-Suttle wedding party and guests Saturday night in Columbiana.

Miss Dawn Fulton honored with tea

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Julius Ozley furnished the setting for a bridal tea shower Sunday afternoon honoring Miss Dawn Fulton whose marriage to Allan Suttle will be an event of September 13, and will be held in the Columbiana Methodist Church at eight o'clock P. M.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. John McGraw (Grace Ozley) and presented to the receiving line composed of Mrs. Richard Ozley, Miss Fulton, bride-elect, Mrs. L. G. Fulton, Mrs. Frank Suttle and Mrs. John McCoy Mackey. Guests were registered in the bride's book by Mrs. Dick Jones (Sissy Roberts) and gifts were displayed by the co-hostesses: Mrs. John Bruce Alverson, Mrs. Jefferson Dowell Falkner Sr., Mrs. Wilton Willard Rabren, Mrs. Bennie Letcher Skelton and Mrs. Wales Wellington Wallace Jr. Floral arrangements of pink and white carnations and mums were placed throughout the spacious home, and the same color scheme was carried out in the candles and floral designs marking the lace covered table from which delectable party sandwiches and iced punch were served by Misses Shirley Wallace and Nena Carter.

A large number of guests registered from two until four o'clock during the afternoon.

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Glad to learn that Mrs. Fay Roberts, after spending several weeks in Shelby Memorial, is now convalescing satisfactorily at her home in Columbiana.

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We are among friends of Retta Argo's who are glad to learn that she has accepted a secretarial position in the Rux Carter Insurance Agency's offices and will begin her work with this Company on Monday, Sept. 15.

Spires entertain

The poolside at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hank Spires furnished the Hawaiian setting for a Luau honoring members of the Fulton-Suttle wedding party and college students last Saturday evening. Hostesses for this delightful event were Mrs. W. J. Spires and Mrs. Conrad M. Fowler who wore the colorful native dresses of Hawaii.

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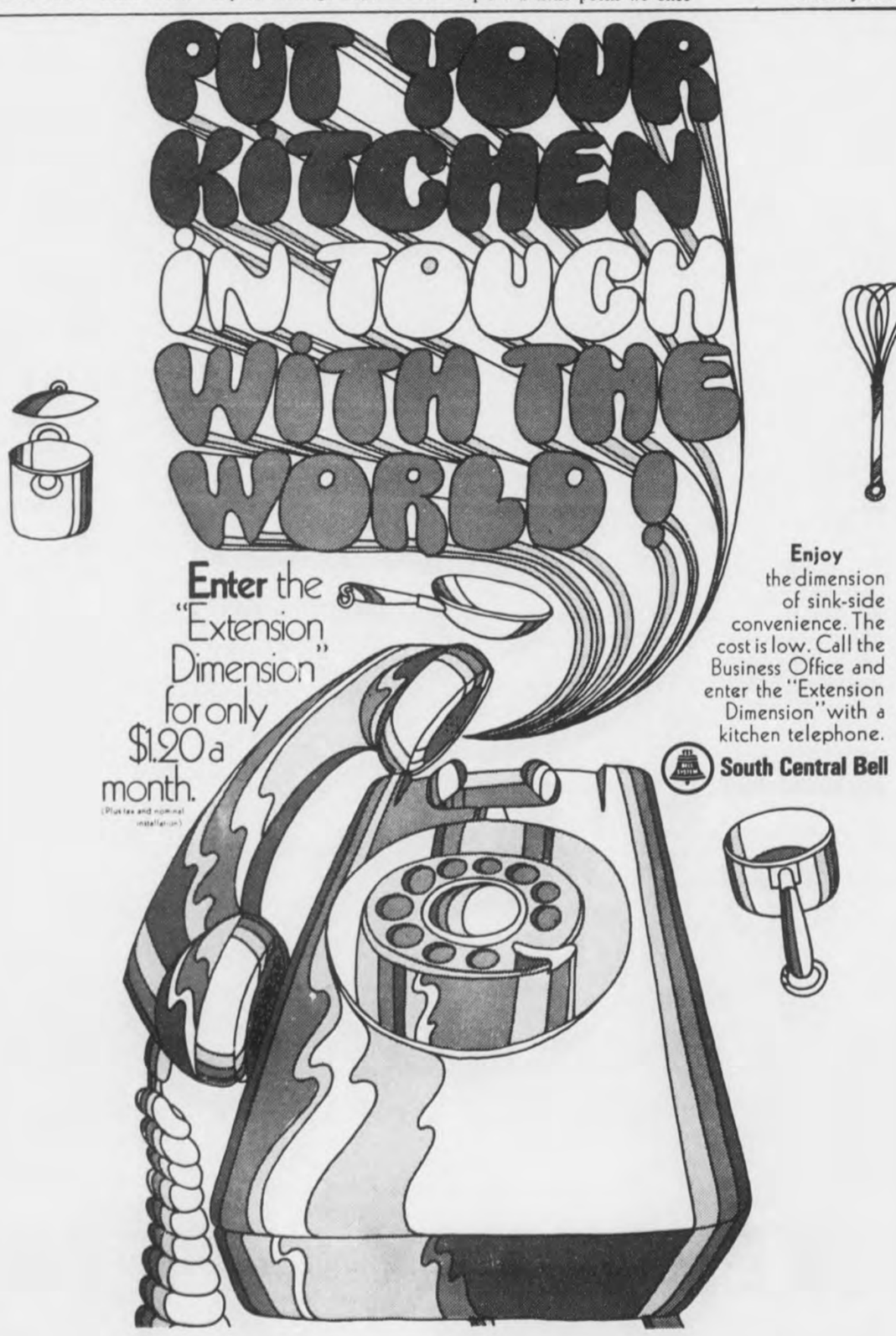

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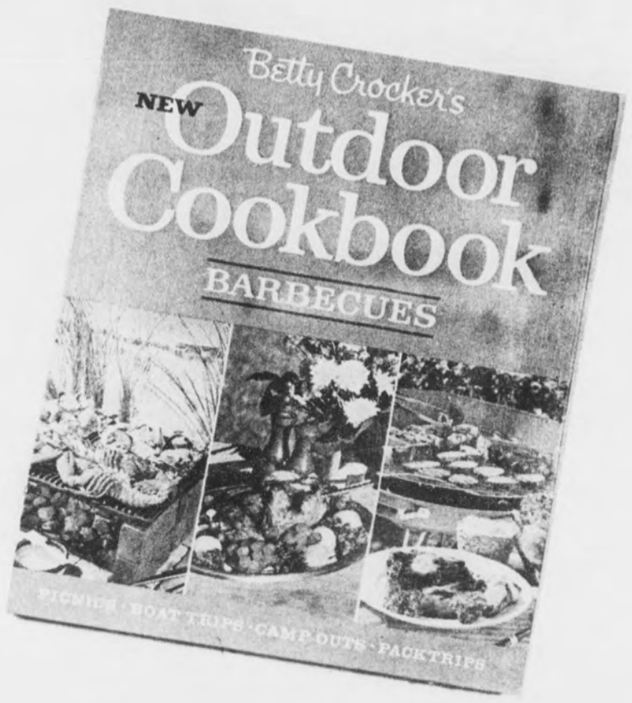

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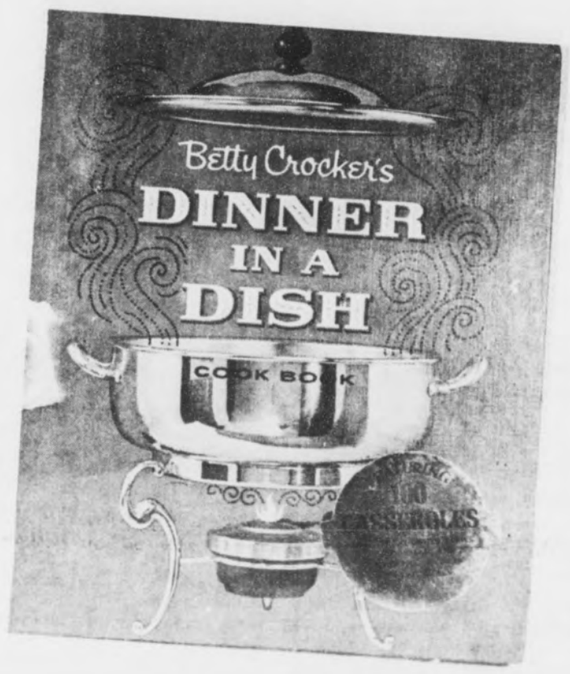

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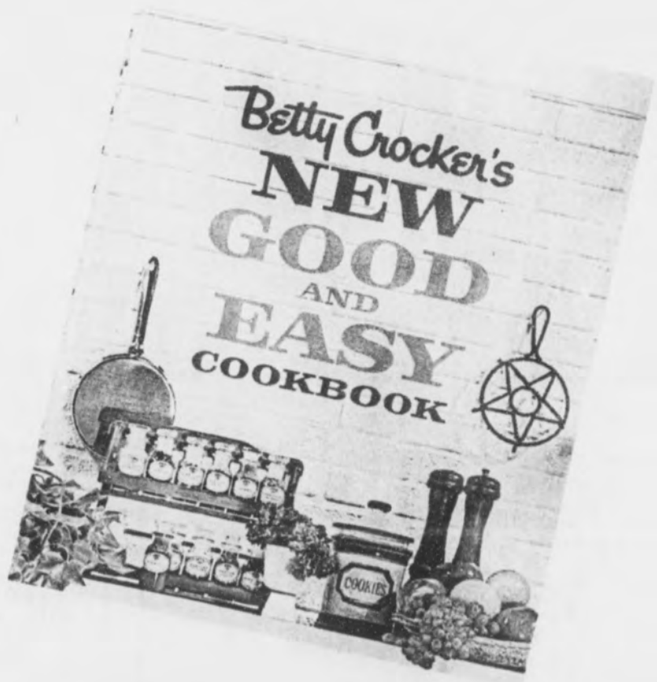

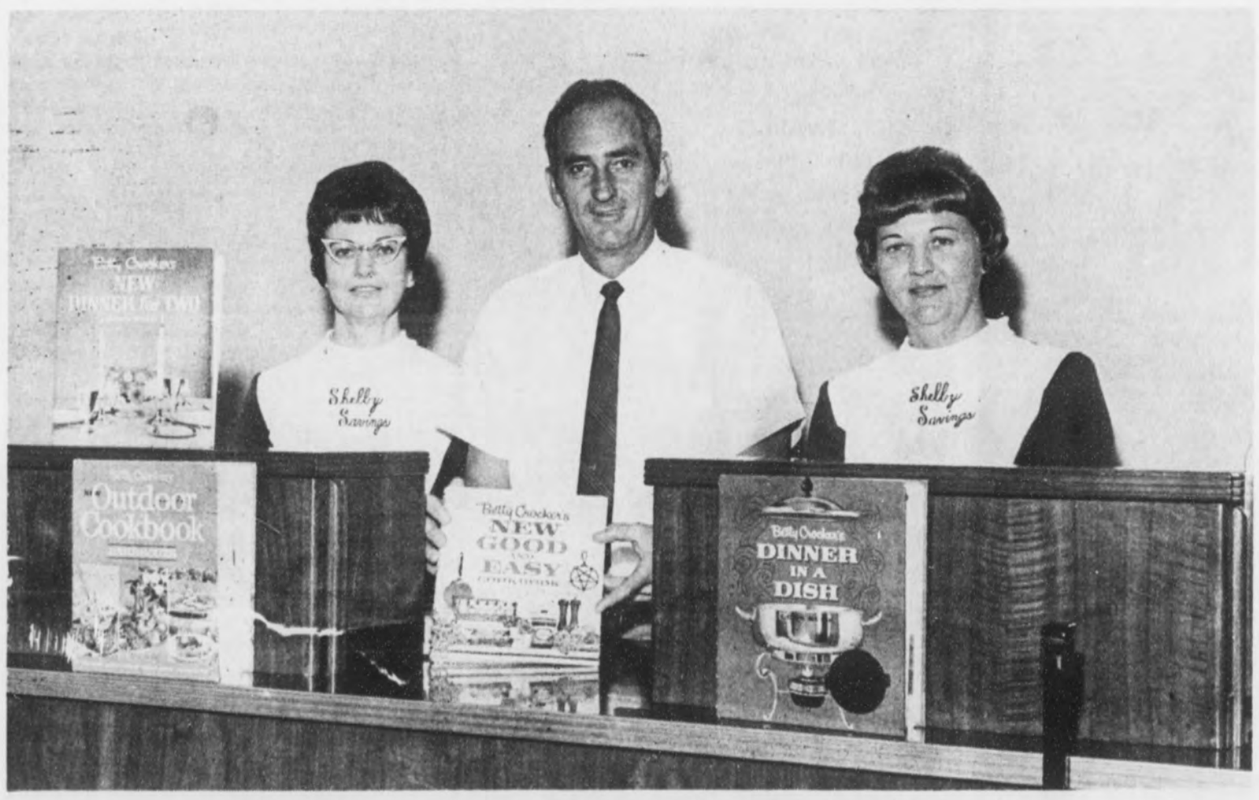

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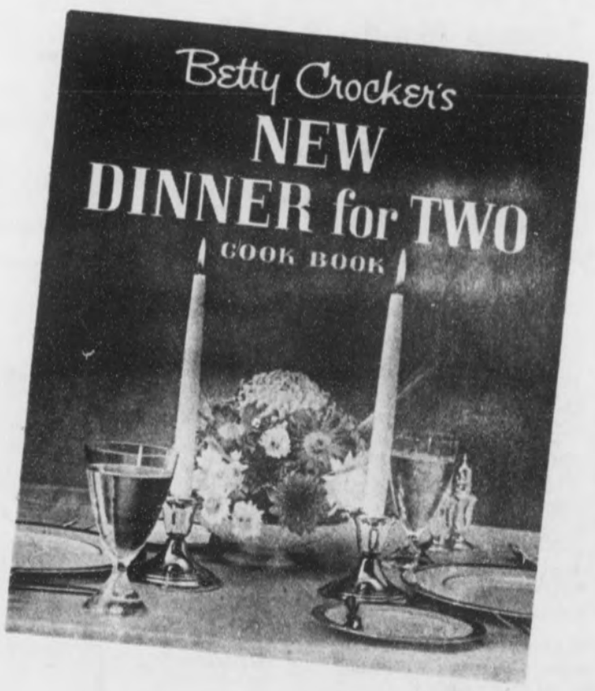

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Notice of Special Election
Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in Shelby County on Tuesday October 7, 1969 as provided by Section 13 of Act No. 691 of the regular session of the 1969 Legislature of the State of Alabama, at which time voters participating in said election shall vote on the question of whether or not a tax of 1-cent per gallon upon the selling, distributing, storing or withdrawing from storage in Shelby County, Alabama, for any use, gasoline and diesel fuel shall be levied and collected, the proceeds of which shall be paid into the Gasoline Fund of the Shelby County Board of Revenue and Control and shall be used exclusively for road construction and road maintenance in Shelby County, Alabama.
C. P. Walker,
Sheriff of Shelby County
Conrad M. Fowler, Chairman,
Shelby County Board of Revenue and Control
Sept. 11, 1969 †87.

FORECLOSURE NOTICE
STATE OF ALABAMA
SHELBY COUNTY
Default having been made in payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by J.M. Fleming and wife, Bessie Fleming to Shelby County Savings and Loan Association of Columbiana, dated February 22, 1964 and recorded in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama in Mortgage Book 286, page 740, and such default continuing, the undersigned will sell for cash at public outcry between the legal hours of sale at the Shelby County Courthouse door (front entrance) in the City of Columbiana, Alabama, on the 18th day of October, 1969, the following described real estate situated in the County of Shelby, State of Alabama, to-wit:
Commence at the NW corner of Section 14, Township 19, Range 2 East and run thence East along the NOrth line of said Section 14 a distance of 647.90 feet to the East right of way line of Alabama Highway No. 25 (Main Street of Vincent); thence turn an angle of 110 deg. 55 min. to the right in a Southerly direction along the East right of way of said Highway 25 a distance of 27.74 feet to the NW corner of McGraw Brothers Garage Building, being the point of beginning; thence turn an angle of 90 deg. to the left and run East 100 feet to an alley; thence turn an angle to the right of 90 deg. and run Southerly along the West right of way of said alley a distance of 25 feet to the NE corner of Florey lot; thence turn an angle of 90 deg. to the right and run along North boundary line of said Florey lot a distance of 100 feet to East right of way line of Highway 25; thence turn an angle of 90 deg. to right and run NOrtherly along East boundary line of said Highway 25 a distance of 25 feet to point of beginning, all being in NW¼ of NW¼ of Section 14, Township 19, Range 2 East.
Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, together with interest thereon and a reasonable attorney's fee.
Shelby County Savings & Loan Association of Columbiana
Holder of Mortgage
Wales W. Wallace, Jr.
Attorney for Holder of Mortgage
Sept. 11,18,25, 1969 †86

Legal Notice
The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
In Law and Equity Court, In Equity
Case No. 1425
Joyce Jean Holcombe Complainant
s. Vs.
Thomas Glenn Holcombe Respondent
In this cause it being made to appear to the Register by affidavit of Joyce Jean Holcombe that the Respondent is a non-resident of Alabama, and that his postoffice address is unknown, and further that in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Shelby County Reporter a newspaper published in Columbiana, Shelby County, Ala., once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring Respondent, the said Thomas Glenn Holcombe to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 1st day of Oct. 1969, or in thirty days thereafter a decree Pro Confesso may be taken against him.
Done at office in Columbiana, Ala., this the 29 day of August, 1969
Filed in Office Aug. 29, 1969
L. G. Fulton Register.
9-11,18,25,—10-2,1969†85.

CARD OF THANKS
We would like to thank our many friends and relatives for their deep concern and sympathy and for the floral offerings sent us at the time of the death of our father and husband.
The Charlie Edwards family

LEGAL NOTICE
WILLIE PEARL HARDIN EDWARDS, COMPLAINANT, VS. THOMAS HUGH EDWARDS, RESPONDENT
IN THE LAW AND EQUITY COURT OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA CASE NO. 1439
ORDER OF PUBLICATION
In this cause it being made to appear to the Court and to the Register of the Court, by the affidavit of the complainant in the above entitled cause that the respondent Thomas Hugh Edwards is over the age of 21 years and a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Alabama and that the respondent is concealing himself so that process of this Court cannot be served upon him, it is, therefore:
CONSIDERED, ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that publication be made in the Shelby County Reporter, a newspaper published in Shelby County, Alabama, for four consecutive weeks requiring the said Thomas Hugh Edwards to appear and plead to, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in the said cause by the 29 day of Sept., 1969, or in thirty days thereafter suffer decree pro confesso to be rendered against him.
Witness my hand and seal this 27 day of August, 1969.
L. G. Fulton
Ex-Officio Register,
Law & Equity Court
of Shelby County, Alabama
9-4, 11, 18, 25, 1969 †78

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
SHELBY COUNTY
The Law & Equity Court of Shelby County, Alabama
Case No. 1449
IN EQUITY
PEGGY JOYCE JONES v. ALVIN LEWIS JONES
IN THIS CAUSE it appears to the Register from the Affidavit of Peggy Joyce Jones, Complainant, that the residence and post office address of the Respondent, Alvin Lewis Jones is unknown and cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort, that the last known residence of Respondent was in 1966 and was believed to be San Jose, California, and further that in the belief of said Affiant, the Respondent, Alvin Lewis Jones, is over the age of twenty-one years.
IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by the Register that publication be made once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Shelby County Reporter, a newspaper published in Shelby County, Alabama, requiring the said Alvin Lewis Jones to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause within thirty days from September 22, 1969, or in default thereof, a decree pro confesso may be taken against said Respondent.
Done at Office, this 19 day of August, 1969.
L. G. Fulton
Register
8-21, 28, 9-4, 11, 1969 †74.

Notice by Contractor of Completion of Public Improvements:
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned contractor, on the 5th day of Sept. 1969 completed the public improvement under their contract with the Board of Education Shelby County Ala. which included the following to-wit.
The addition to Thompson Elem. School Siluria, Ala.
Any person, firm, or corporation having an unpaid claim against the said Contractor for supplying the said Contractor with labor, materials, feedstuffs, or supplies in connection with said work is hereby notified to present the same to address shown below in the manner and time required by law.
James E. Greene d/b/a
Southern Masonry Co.
General Contractors
P.O. Box 4426
Birmingham, Ala. 35206
9-11,18,25,10-2,1969. †83

Legal Notice
Estate of Grace Garrett Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 4th day of September, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
K. E. Fulton
as Administrator of Estate of Grace Garrett, dec.
Sept. 11,18,25,1969 †84.

Notice To Contractors
Project No. State-1671-E (Federal Safety Project IS-68-1-001)
Chambers, Clay, Cleburne, Coosa, Lee, Macon, Randolph, Shelby, Talladega & Tallapoosa Counties, ALABAMA
Sealed bids will be received by the Alabama Highway Director at the office of the Alabama Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 10:00 o'clock A.M., September 26, 1969, and at that time publicly opened for Furnishing and Installing Mileposts on various roads.
The entire project shall be completed by April 15, 1970.
Proposal fee is $5.00. Plans are available for 30 cents. Plans and proposals are available in Room 304 of the Highway Department. No refunds will be made.
Minimum wage rates for this project have been pre-determined by the Secretary of Labor and are set forth in the advertised specifications and are subject to the Work Hours Act of 1962, PL 87-581, and Implementing regulations.
Certified check or bid bond for 5% of bid (Maximum - $10,000.00) made payable to the Alabama Highway Department must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith.
The proposed work shall be performed in conformity with the rules and regulations for carrying out the 1966 Federal Highway Safety Act, as amended.
Plans and Specifications are on file in Room 304 of the Alabama Highway Department at Montgomery, Alabama 36104.
In accordance with the rules and regulations of the Alabama Highway Department, proposals will be issued only to prequalified contractors or their authorized representatives, upon requests that are received before ten o'clock A.M., on the day previous to the day of opening of bids.
The Alabama Highway Department, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252) and the Regulations of the Department of Commerce (15 C.F.R., Part 8), issued pursuant to such Act hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the ground of race, color, or national origin.
The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.
R. G. Kendall, Jr,
Highway Director
9-11,18,25 †82.

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LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF SALE
STATE PARKS TIMBER
Notice is hereby given to all interested parties that sealed bids for the purchase of timber will be received by the Director of Conservation, acting for and in behalf of the State Director of Finance, until 2:00 p.m. Monday. September 15, 1969. Said bids are to be submitted to the office of the Director of Conservation, 702 Administrative Building, Montgomery, Alabama.
The timber to be sold is located on approximately seventy-five (75) acres of land in Oak Mountain State Park which is to be cleared for the location of a lake. The estimated volume of timber is as follows:
Pine Pulpwood 117 cords
Pine Sawtimber 128,077 board feet Scribner
Hardwood Pulpwood 81 cords
Hardwood Sawtimber 79,612 board feet Scribner
Persons desiring to inspect the subject timber may contact the Oak Mountain Park Manager, Cecil R. Wilkinson, at the park, telephone 663-2641, or Park Ranger J. W. Anderson, telephone 663-2581. Prospective bidders are cautioned that the above timber is an estimate only and the volume could actually be more or less than shown.
All bids will be publicly opened at the time stated in the office of the Director of Conservation and any interested person may attend such opening. All bids submitted shall be sealed bids and clearly marked on the outside of the envelope with the words, SEALED TIMBER BID, NOT TO BE OPENED UNTIL 2:00 P.M., SEPTEMBER 15, 1969, in order to avoid the opening of same as ordinary mail.
The successful bidder will be required to commence cutting immediately and will be given sixty (60) days to cut and remove all timber.
Terms of sale - Cash with a 10 per cent deposit to accompany the bid. The deposit must be in the form of a certified or cashier's check or money order which will be applied to the purchase price of the successful bidder. All deposits submitted by unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately. The contract awarded to the successful bidder will be on the Department of Conservation's standard timber sale contract form.
Persons desiring additional information concerning this sale should contact the Chief, State Parks Division, Department of Conservation, Montgomery, Alabama.
The Director of Finance reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Robert B. Ingram, Director
State Department of Finance
9-4, 11, 1969 †79

LEGAL NOTICE
EXECUTRIX' SALE
STATE OF ALABAMA
CHILTON COUNTY
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CHILTON COUNTY, ALABAMA, IN EQUITY — CASE NO. 4245
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARY DELLA LATHAM, DECEASED; MARY UPCHURCH BENTLEY, EXECUTRIX:
By virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause on the 28th day of August, 1969, by the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity, to satisfy said decree and in pursuance to the decree of said Court, the undersigned, as such Executrix, will sell to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at public sale, at the front door of the Courthouse on Second Avenue North, in the City of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, between the legal hours of sale and at the hour of 12:00 o'clock Meridian, on Friday, September 26, 1969, the following described property, to-wit:
40 shares of stock in the First National Bank, Clanton, Alabama;
176½ shares of stock in the First National Bank of Birmingham, Alabama;
8 shares of stock in the Merchants and Planters Bank, Montevallo, Alabama.
Said stock shall be sold in separate parcels; that is, 40 shares of stock in the First National Bank, Clanton, Alabama, will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash and then 176½ shares of stock of the First National Bank of Birmingham, Alabama, will be sold to the highest bidder for cash and then the 8 shares of stock of Merchants and Planters Bank, Montevallo, Alabama, will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash and then the undersigned will sell all of said stock en masse for cash to the highest and best bidder and the highest bid of the total sales by parcels or the highest bid for the stock en masse shall control and be knocked down accordingly; that is the highest of the sum total of the sale in parcels or the sale en masse shall be accepted as the highest and best bid.
This 30th day of August, 1969.
MARY UPCHURCH BENTLEY
Executrix, Estate of
Mary Della Latham, Deceased.
9-4, 11, 18, 1969 †80

LEGAL NOTICE
Hooper & McDonald, Inc. hereby gives notice that they have completed the construction on Project No. State 1255-R "B", 1255-S "B" and SCP-30(A-H) & 30-A(1-2) in Shelby County and the County has set the date for final settlement as September 20, 1969. All claims should be filed in our office in Andalusia, Alabama before date set for final settlement.
Hooper & McDonald, Inc.
Andalusia, Alabama
8-21,28; 9-4,11, 1969 †73

LEGAL NOTICE
State of Alabama
Shelby County
Mortgage Foreclosure
Sale
Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Tommy Charles and wife, Judy Charles, to Bessie M. Mussey, on the 14th day of January, 1969, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 310, Page 549, Record of Mortgages, the undersigned, as mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Courthouse at Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, on the 16th day of October, 1969, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:
Lot No. 6, Brookstone Estates, the map of which is recorded in Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, in Map Book 4, Page 53, subject to Restrictive Covenants as shown in Deed Book 222, Page 871, Office of Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, and also subject to building set back line, as shown on the recorded map of said Subdivision in Map Book 4, Page 53, in said Probate Office, and also subject to Transmission line permits of record to Alabama Power Company and Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company.
This is a purchase money mortgage. This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.
Bessie Mussey, Mortgagee
Thomas F. McDowell,
Attorney for Mortgagee
9-11,18,25,1959 †81.

Whistling through the–

Heart of Dixie

BY ED BLAKE

Football rules can become confused.

Nowadays fans can watch their favorite high school football teams play under one set of rules on Friday night, watch a college game on television the following day being conducted under another set of rules and lounge around Sunday afternoon watching the pros playing with additional rule variations.

Dick Burleson and Jim Lester of the Birmingham Football Officials Association explained to county coaches last week that the goal is to eventually adopt one set of common rules for high school and college football.

There is an unusual number of rule changes this season and knowing these changes may save a red face for some spectator who might shout out protests to the officials from the stands.

Extending the width of the goal posts will be optional during the 1969 and 1970 seasons, but will be mandatory in 1971. The width of the cross bar will be extended four feet and 10 inches to 23 feet and four inches - - the same as the college width.

The area near the line of scrimmage where clipping is legal has been expanded by one yard. Explaining this rule change is rather complex without a diagram, so ask a player or coach if interested.

The coach is authorized to send in a player to call time out if he feels the officials have misinterpreted or miss applied a rule.

If a mistake has been made, the officials will be charged with the time out; however, if the coach is wrong, his team will be charged with the time out. This applies only to rules and not to judgement calls made by the officials.

If a team has more than 11 men on the field and that additional player participates in the play, the penalty will be 15 yards for illegal participation instead of five yards for illegal substitution.

If a foul occurs immediately before the snap of the ball, the ball is dead. This does not apply when the foul is committed simultaneously with snap.

A punt can now be used as a free kick after a safety.

All extra point attempts will be made from three yards out. A team may now run for two points or kick for one point.

If a ball is thrown or kicked from the playing area, a penalty of 15 yards will now be assessed.

Live and dead ball fouls cannot be combined. For example: if the offensive team is offside and the defense is charged with piling on after the whistle, both penalties will be stepped off if accepted and not nulified.

We heard this description of Calera's football team from Vincent Coach Gary Garrett who scouted the Eagles last week:

They are like gnats. Small like gnats, but you know how gnats are - - you swat one away from one side of your face and there will be three more on the other side ready to get after you.

Vincent plays Calera in the first Thursday night game of the season tonight in Vincent.

"Gnats" vs Yellow Jackets - - the game of the week.

GAMES THIS WEEK

Thursday Night

Calera High at Vincent High

Friday Night

Lineville High at Shelby County High

Jemison High at Thompson High

Saturday Night

Montevallo High at Chelsea High

VICTORY RIDE - - Montevallo High players lift Head Coach Charlie Martin to their shoulders and ride him across the field after the Bulldogs downed Vincent, 14-6 last Friday night. The win boosted the Bulldogs to an early lead in county competition.

OBITUARY

Lee Chancellor

Funeral services for Lee Chancellor, a lifelong resident of the Harpersville area were held on August 25 at the Harpersville Methodist Church.

A farmer, Mr. Chancellor was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Chancellor, who were early settlers in Shelby County.

He is survived by his sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Graham, Harpersville; two nieces, Mrs. Warren Hamby of Jackson, Miss., and Dr. Beth Stone of Des Moines, Iowa; two great nieces and two grand nephews.

He was a member of the Harpersville Methodist Church, the Farm Bureau and the Cattlemen's Association.

Burial was in the old Childersburg cemetery.

Pallbearers were Clois Williamson, Jim Pruet, Jimmy Sharbutt, Dot Guy, Doug Wyatt and Ralph Caddell.

Rev. C. E. Stricklin, Jr. of Harpersville, and Rev. Warren C. Hamby of Jackson, Miss., officiated.

Town assists

Mayor J. W. Donahoo of Harpersville announced today that the citizens of Harpersville contributed $412 for the relief of conditions along the Gulf Coast following the effects of hurricane Camille.

Donahoo commended his fellow citizens for "an excellent job."

County enrollment increases by 780

Attendance figures for the first day of school were released Monday by the County Superintendent, Elvin Hill. Figures show a total increase in enrollment of 780 students county-wide. All Negro schools showed a drop in enrollment as integration moved forward in the county. Three schools, Mayberry, Maylene and Vandiver closed this year, with nearby schools absorbing the 135 students who attended the three schools last year.

The Valley School on Highway 31 north of Pelham showed the largest percentage increase of any school in the county, jumping from 254 to 374 students.

Thompson High has the highest enrollment with 960, followed by Thompson Elementary with 870 students.

Following is the list as prepared by the county education office, showing the enrollment on September 5 and the difference in enrollment over the last day of the school year last May.

SHELBY COUNTY SCHOOLS
First Week Enrollment

	Enrollment Sept. 5, 1969	Difference 1968-69
Calera High	784	+55
Chelsea High	759	+40
Columbiana Elementary	434	-37
County High	587	+91
Helena Jr. High	371	+65
Mayberry	0	-46
Maylene	0	-45
Montevallo Elementary	519	+44
Montevallo High	617	+109
Shelby	119	+9
Sterrett	61	+5
Valley	374	+120
Vandiver	0	-44
Thompson Elementary	870	+114
Thompson High	960	+125
Vincent Elementary	499	+37
Vincent High	559	+123
Wilsonville Elementary	135	+15
TOTAL	7,648	+780
Alabaster High	465	-103
Almont Elementary	312	-9
Calera Elementary	123	-42
County Training	204	-93
Prentice High	150	-87
W. A. Jones	354	-84
TOTAL	1,608	-418
GRAND TOTAL	9,256	+362

AU announces honor roll

Auburn University's deans have announced the names of students included on the Honor Roll for the summer quarter, 1969. The honor students represent the upper five per cent, academically, in the undergraduate schools.

From Shelby County they are: Helena: Pamela McHugh, Home Economics; Montevallo: Albert Lafayette Scott, Business; Barbara Barclay Bell, Home Economics.

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Astronaut's family from Westover area

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

First, I got the news through the channels of the grapevine, and after many telephone calls, I have been able to affirm the fact that Henry Hartsfield, Jr., who has been chosen as a member of the NASA Space Program, is one of our very own Shelby County Hartsfields. His father was the late Henry Hartsfield and his mother is Mrs. Pete Moore, of Birmingham. He has one brother, Earl Hartsfield, who is with the Ala-Gas Company in Montgomery. The late Will Hartsfield, of Sterrett, was his paternal grandfather, and was in the lumber business in Shelby County for many years. At one time, this family lived at the crossing of Pumpkin Swamp Road and the present Highway 280.

According to information received from Mr. Hartsfield's mother, he has been a member of the Space Military Program, the MOL, for three years. When this Program was phased out, he became a member of NASA. At present, Mr. Hartsfield is residing in Tullahoma, Mississippi, attending the Space Institute, and working for his PhD in Aeronautics.

Mr. Hartsfield's wife is the former Frances Massey, of Goldsboro, North Carolina. They have two daughters, Judy, 11 years old, and Keely, 10 years old.

Mrs. Moore, the mother, says it is quite thrilling to have a son who is a member of the Astronaut Team and to live, literally, in the clouds; but, also, she is mighty proud that her other son is, just as literally, down to earth.

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We are very proud of a group of our teen-agers who operated a "Road Block" on Highway 280 last Sunday for the Cerebral Palsy Telethon. This group was organized by Shaun Spencer who was a victim of Cerebral Palsy earlier in life, but has surgery at Children's Hospital. The other members of this team were Pam, Gay, and Caron Pardue and Wanda McWhorter. They made $81 which was turned over to the Telethon Group.

Special thanks and recognition is to be given to the member of the State Highway Patrol and to one of the County Sheriff's Department who assisted these young people with the "Road Block" and furnished transportation for them.

RACESTOPPERS - - The unique, nationally-famous Race Stoppers, a corps of top professional models and beauty queens, will make their Alabama debut during appearances at opening races of the new multimillion dollar 2.6-mile paved Alabama International Motor Speedway near Talladega this weekend.

Mike Dewberry saves two lives

Mike Dewberry, 15, a frequent visitor in the Four Mile community, is credited with saving the lives of Mr. and Mrs. David Mulligan in a Florida bay.

Mike was in his boat on King's Bay when he noticed the couple in trouble. They had been skin diving, became entangled in weeds and panicked. Mike struggled with them and they were on the point of drowning when he finally got them into his boat. After oxygen, a rescuscitator and a trip to the hospital, they recovered.

Mike's Shelby County grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Dewberry of Four Mile and Mrs. Ola Steele of the Bethel community.

Art Festival Oct. 11 In Sylacauga

If any Shelby County artists are interested in exhibiting or visiting the annual Sidewalk Art Festival held at Noble Park in Sylacauga, the date for this event has been set for Oct. 11. For further information write the Sylacauga Parks and Recreation Department at Sylacauga.

New in Shelby County–

Huey directs local state troopers

State Public Safety Director Floyd Mann has announced promotions that will make Highway Patrol supervisors more readily available to the people of Alabama.

The supervisors, Corporal in rank, will be based in counties not containing a Highway Patrol Office and will assume supervision of the Troopers in that county. Colonel Mann remarked that the placing of the new Corporals would result in increased efficiency and control in the Public Safety Department's work through out the state. The decentralization of the Patrol's Supervisory Force to the local county level is effective September 1, concluded the Director.

Corporal H. R. Huey, 29, has been transferred from Alex City Post to Birmingham Post, Birmingham District, and will live in Alabaster where he will direct the work of local troopers in Shelby County.

Singing set at Shelby

The regular second Saturday night singing will be held this Saturday night, September 13, at the Shelby Church of God.

A youth quartet from Selma will be the featured singers .

The singing will begin at 7 p.m.

The Reverend Thomas George, pastor, extends a cordial invitation for the public to attend.

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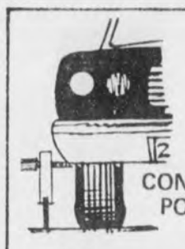
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Miss Olivia Crane dies at age 98

Mrs. Olivia Jane Crane

Funeral services were held in the Liberty Baptist Church, at two o'clock P. M. Sept. 2, for Mrs. Olivia Jane Crane, 98 years old, from Chelsea, who died in Shelby Memorial Aug. 31, 1969. The Rev. Fowler conducted the service.

Mrs. Crane was the mother of eleven children who survive her. They are: Mrs. Dovie Chesser, Mrs. A. Weldon and Mrs. Ben Sims of Chelsea; Mrs. Ed Medlin and Mrs. Jack Byington of Orlando, Fla.; Mrs. Frank Pierce of Sterrett, Mrs. Elmer Kendrick of Columbiana; Mrs. Jesse Martindale of Bessemer and Mrs. Una Tenland of North Carolina; two sons, Roy Crane of Bessemer and Lewis Crane of Chelsea.

Interment in cemetery adjoining the Liberty Baptist Church, Bolton-Brown Service directing.

WILDCAT CHEERERS - - Shelby County High School Cheerleaders, who won the spirit stick and the superior trophy at the Mid-South Cheerleader Clinic held in Oxford, Miss. in early August, are (from left from top) Donna Strickland, Patty Pate, Rachel Porter, Lynne Dill, Linda Riley, Diane Foshee and Karen Brasher.

Textbook shortage deemed critical in county schools

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Most of the teachers and principals in Shelby County are also in favor of it, yet they cannot carry through a full program of it, because of the hit-and-miss availability of math texts. Grades one through three now have the texts, but the students revert to "old math" in the fourth grade in Shelby County schools, unless the parents or PTA groups purchase new books privately.

This kind of thing seriously handicaps the children.

The predicament faced by school officials is simply that the state provides only $1.40 per year per student for textbooks. Yet each student needs at least five different texts per year. When new, costs average around $4 to $5 for each book. It is apparent, whether you use the old math or the new math, that this amount of money just will not pay the bill.

It is difficult to generalize on the subject, since some schools in the county, with various fund raising projects, have provided modern texts for some classes to supplement those provided by the state.

Many social studies books in use this fall are 11 to 12 years old. One principal told the Reporter, "Laws and court decisions have changed American history so much in the last few years that these books are seriously out of date." He said that teachers often have to skip entire chapters, because they are incorrect in modern terms.

Highly skilled teachers can and often do work out ways that students can supplement their inadequate texts with library materials, but this works a hardship on teacher and student alike.

Many parents, remembering the days when a junior or senior high sch $20 to buy his ow fall, have enjoyed respite. Howe program has not well as hoped are now buying their children with the rest when they get ou

UM expects record enrollment

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education, business and liberal arts.

This year's faculty roster shows an increase in the number of teachers employed at the U of M, and administrative leaders noted that some 42 per cent in the faculty ranks hold doctoral degrees - - - a major consideration by educational accrediting agencies.

The university's graduate program has been expanded this year in both course offerings and class hours. With the number of graduate students doubled this year, late afternoon classes are scheduled to be offered.

A special program of teacher training and recertification will be conducted this fall in cooperation with the school systems of Birmingham, Selma, Jefferson County and Shelby County. Some 25 former teachers are enrolled in the program.

Three academic departments will be "open for business" in a new setting this year. Offices and classes of the departments of art, psychology and home economics are set up in the completely remodeled Bloch Hall, one of UM's landmark buildings since 1915.

A similar remodeling project is now under way on B. B. Comer Hall. Academic departments and classes usually housed there will be relocated in other campus buildings until the project is completed early in 1970.

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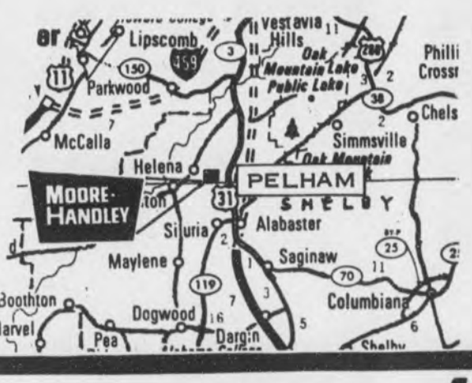

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START AT THE BEGINNING - - University of Montevallo coed Myra Lawley, Siluria, sets the stage for an active day of registration. First item of business: figure out a tentative schedule, and a bright September day out-of-doors is great for the chore.

(Photos by U. of M. News Bureau)

NEXT, GET IN TO REGISTER - - Registration for classes is organized by alphabetical groupings. Robert Thornburg (right), fourth-year student from Shelby, is one of the luckier ones this semester - - the "T" group was near the front and he draws his entry card early. Junior Bob Posey (seated left) of Eufaula is the student assistant issuing cards.

ON THE INSIDE, MORE FIGURING - - Fitting classes needed and time available calls for more figuring. Nida Threet (center) of Alabaster pores over a trial schedule in an effort to reconcile the class-time elements. The sophomore coed is framed on the right by Jerry McGaughy, junior from Montevallo.

County firm to cut Oak Mtn. timber

The Shelby County Lumber Company of Columbiana was the low and only bidder to cut 75 acres of timber at Oak Mountain State Park, according to State Conservation Director Joe Graham. The State Department of Conservation has authorized that the timber be cut to develop a lake at the park.

Bids were opened Monday at noon.

This step is part of the over-all development plan to make Oak Mountain one of the three leading recreational state parks in the state.

Graham told the Reporter by telephone Tuesday that Shelby County Lumber had bid $6,666.22 for the timber in the 75-acre tract.

Graham said that no construction contracts have yet been awarded for construction of the promised new facilities at the park. He said that planning, architecture and engineering have been completed. The schematics are now being worked on, Graham indicated and preliminary estimates are being made. When this step is completed Graham said the department can see "what the budget will let us spend and what we might have to cut."

A. B. Brown of Shelby County Lumber Company told the Reporter he had not yet been officially notified that his company received the bid.

Brown said that the timber on the site is "good size", lies between two mountains and is "about 75–80 years old."

He anticipates it will require the work of eight or ten men to complete the cutting in the sixty days alloted by the state.

Montevallo sets Fall Festival

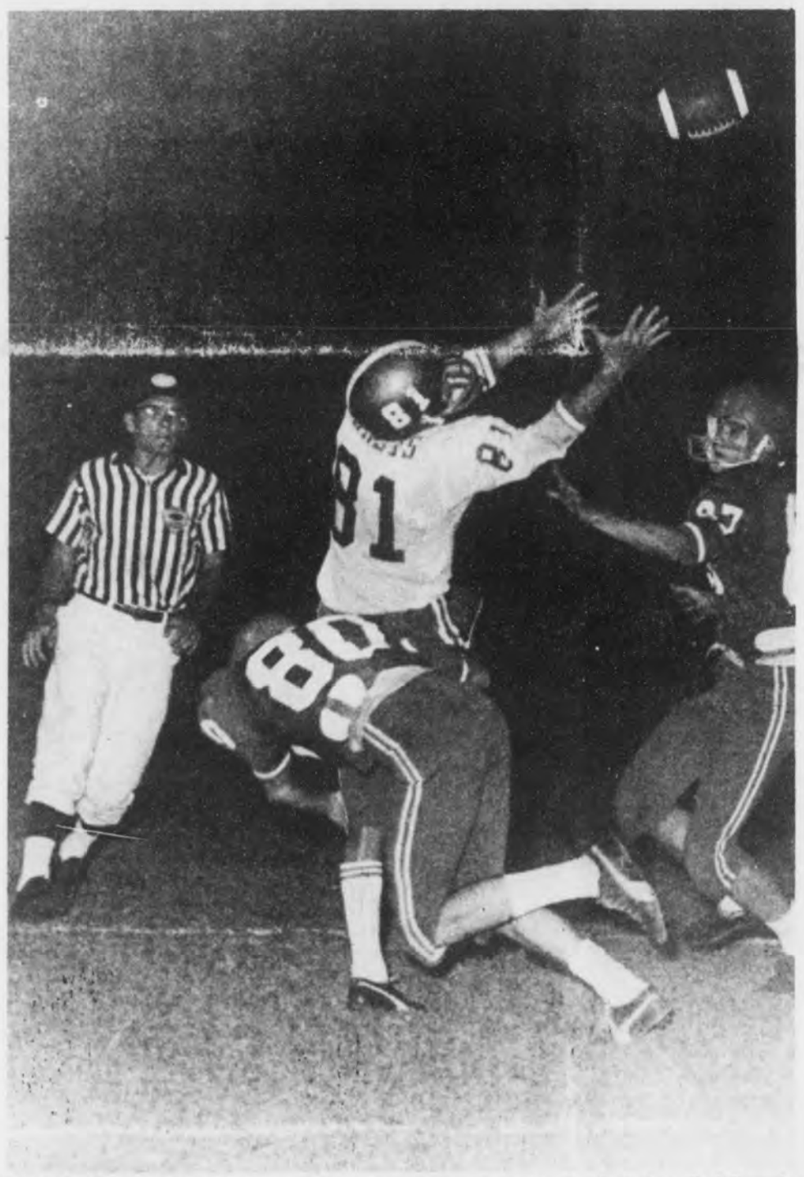
Students at the University of Montevallo will be honored by members of the Montevallo Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening, October 7.

Plans are being drawn by the chamber to hold the first annual Montevallo Student Fall Festival. The event will be held in downtown Montevallo with all businesses holding an open house.

Other features of the first Student Fall Festival include more than $1,000 in prizes to be awarded to students in a drawing to be held on the city's Main Street.

The first Fall Festival will celebrate Founders' Day.

Plans for the event are being made by a Chamber of Commerce subcommittee. Chairman of the subcommittee is Dr. S. M. Mahan. Other committee members are Don Lovelady, Greg Eanes, Mrs. Laura Roberts and Mrs. Elizabeth Meyer. Chamber President Ken Terry is an ex-officio member.



PASS GOES INCOMPLETE - - A pass bounds from the hands of Chelsea End Donnie Hardin as Montevallo's Roger Bice (80) attempts to bring down the receiver. Assisting Bice is Bulldog Russell Battle (87). (Photo by Joe Miller)

University of Montevallo commences 74th year

With a new name, a reorganized administration, a record breaking enrollment and the largest number of faculty members ever assembled, Shelby County's only institution of higher learning began its 74th academic year on Monday.

The University of Montevallo, known as Alabama College until two weeks ago, opened the fall semester with more than 2,200 students. This represents an increase of approximately 10% over last year's first semester enrollment. Final enrollment figures will not be available until late registration is completed later this month.

Officials at Montevallo are pleased with this fall's enrollment figures. Several colleges in Alabama have reported a decline in the number of students on campus for the fall semester.

One hundred sixteen members of the teaching faculty were on hand Monday morning to begin classes for freshmen and to register upperclassmen.

Classes began Tuesday morning for sophomores, juniors, seniors and graduate students.

For the first time in the school's history students are being advised and counseled by three academic deans and have a choice of entering three different colleges.

Earlier this month the University's Board of Trustees created three colleges within the University and elevated two professors to the rank of dean.

The Montevallo school now includes the college of liberal arts, the college of education and the college of business administration.

Dr. John B. Walters is dean of the college of liberal arts. Dr. Bill E. Fancher is dean of the college of education and Dr. Allen L. Terry is dean of the college of business administration.

In announcing the administrative change, Board of Trustees chairman Wales W. Wallace, Columbiana attorney, stated that the reorganization will permit greater flexibility in curriculum and will make possible a greater service to the state at large.

A number of extra-curricular activities are scheduled for the first few days at Montevallo. Some of the

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Highway program depends on voters

By Judge C. M. Fowler

The Question is, "Which is the Best Judgment?"

To approve a 1-cent county-wide gasoline tax all of which will be used in the construction and maintenance of Shelby County roads; or

To disapprove the tax and see the county road construction and maintenance program decline to the point that paved roads will be inadequately maintained; badly needed road construction will be even further postponed; and curtailment of other services of the county highway department such as cooperation extended to municipalities, reconstruction of unsafe bridges and unsafe portions of the highways of the county, center line striping, traffic signs both directional and safety.

This is the decision to be made by the voters of Shelby County on October 7. A county wide election will be held on that date. The only question before the voters will be the approval or disapproval of this revenue measure.

It is the responsibility of the Board of Revenue to point up the problem and to propose a solution. It is the responsibility of the voters to make the

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David Brinkley on UM calendar

A variety of extra-curricular and public interest events are on the fall calendar at the University of Montevallo.

The series of student-faculty convocations begins this morning when Dr. Kenneth McFarland, a Topeka, Kansas educator addresses the student body.

New faculty members will be presented to the students at a convocation scheduled for next Tuesday morning. Principal speaker at this meeting will be the president of the University of Alabama, Dr. David Mathews.

The third convocation of the fall semester will be the traditional Founders Day observance scheduled for October 7. Alabama's Fifth District Congressman Walter Flowers will be the featured speaker at this event.

The Founders Day convocation will also feature a U. S. Air Force Band from Maxwell Air Force Base as well as Air Force officers.

Convocations will begin at 10:00 a.m. in the university's Palmer Hall auditorium.

Five events make up this year's series of concerts and lectures.

Soprano Elena Nikolaidi opens the series on Monday evening, October 20.

The "Book of Job" will be interpreted and presented in dramatic form by the travelling Everyman Players on November 17.

A concert by the Abbey Singers will be an event of January 12.

The Birmingham Symphony Orchestra will be the fourth event of the season. The symphony concert is scheduled for March 5.

David Brinkley, television personality and news analyst will conclude the series when he appears in Palmer Hall on April 16.

The University Theatre, directed by W. T. Chichester will present an "old fashioned melodrama entitled "East Lynne" beginning Thursday evening, October 30. The five act performance will be staged in Palmer Hall.

Several concerts by the University's Music Department will be presented during the fall semester. Dr. Bennie Middaugh, baritone will be featured in a recital on November 11. The University's wind ensemble under the direction of John Owen will present a concert on November 4. The traditional Christmas concert by the entire Music Department will be an event of December 16, starting at 10:00 a.m.

Two performances by the school's Experimental Theatre are scheduled this fall. "Do Not Pass Go" will be presented November 7 and 8. "Camino Real" on December 17 and 18. Experimental Theatre productions are presented in Reynolds Hall. Curtain time is 8:15.

The annual dance concert by the university's modern dance group, Orchesis, will have twin performances on December 11 and 12.

The 1969-1970 version of the Falcon basketball team will make its home debut on November 13 or 14. Opposition will be furnished by Columbus College of Columbus, Georgia.

The Falcons, under new head coach Bill Jones will play eleven home games during the season.

In addition to the opening game the Falcons will play host to Birmingham-Southern College, Nov. 24; Jacksonville

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VINCENT RUNNER STOPPED - - Calera's Tim Watley (66) grabs Steve Clinkscale as the Vincent back attempts to break through the Eagle defense. Ricky Ousley, Calera defensive back, is at right. The Yellow Jackets edged the Calera Eagles, 3–0, in Vincent Thursday night. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

The Probate Office is encouraging tag-buying by mail again this year, to reduce the lines that que up in the courthouse each fall.

Cards are available in all filling stations throughout the county to use in ordering tags by mail.

Automobile licenses, boat registration, fishing and hunting licenses can all be ordered by mail, according to Probate Judge Conrad M. Fowler.

Boat registration has gone up this year from $2 to $2.25 and from $3 to $3.25, depending upon the type of boat.

A robbery at Miss Estelle Crumpton's filling station in the Kingdom Community netted two men about $24 last Saturday. Lt. Kyle Lansford of the Sheriff's department apprehended one of the men who went across the ferry into Talladega County and then returned. The man is charged with grand larceny, having also taken about $1 worth of gasoline that he did not pay for.

Two Vincent youths who played hooky from school last Thursday wound up in jail.

Their story goes that they stole a horse somewhere "above Vincent" and rode it through Sterrett and Westover. When the horse was unable to walk any further, they left it in Harpersville and stole a car. They drove the car to Yellowleaf Creek, where it stopped. They tried to steal another car, but could not get it started.

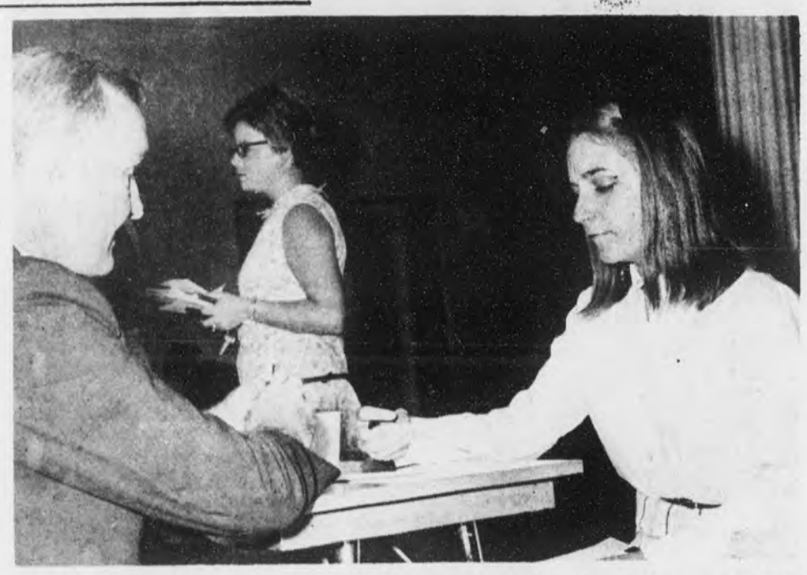
The boys eventually wound up in Calera at two a.m. and were picked up by Police Chief Wells as runaways.

When the rest of the story came out they were taken to jail, charged with burglary.

Former State Senator W. G. McCarley, who represented Shelby, Autauga, Coosa and Chilton Counties before he was expelled from the Senate, was indicted Tuesday by a Montgomery County grand jury on charges of soliciting bribes.

Senator Ray Lolley was also indicted on the same charge.

A fund to help McCarley entitled the "Senator McCarley Defense Fund" was started last week. Chairman of the fund is Kenneth Hemphill of Prattville. Co-chairman is Mrs. D. H. Ballard of Rt. 2, Montevallo. Contributions can be made at the Bank of Prattville, Prattville, AL 36067.



ADVICE IS HELPFUL - - Senior Anita Joyce Sloan (right), Columbiana, gets helpful counsel in registration from physics-mathematics professor Fred C. Blackmon.

University of Montevallo

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men's fraternities have already held meetings.

An all student-faculty convocation will be held this morning with Dr. Kenneth McFarland of Topeka, Kansas delivering this morning's principal address.

The Student Government Association will honor freshmen and transfer students Friday night with a concert in Palmer Hall. The concert will feature "The Mutual Agreement".

An all campus dance is on the agenda for Saturday night.

The president of the University of Alabama, Dr. David Mathews will address an all-student convocation at 10:00 o'clock next Tuesday morning.

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High speed chase ends with wreck

An exciting chase involving eight police cars culminated when the driver of the car being chased wrecked his car on a country road near the Summer Hill Church last Saturday.

A 19-year old man from Rt. 2 Sylacauga reportedly went through Harpersville at speeds of up to 120 miles per hour, on Highway 25. Three sheriff's cars, three city police cars, Wilsonville, Columbiana and Calera and two state troopers' cars tried to stop the young man. He passed the Summer Hill Church after traveling the Columbiana by-pass and turned off on an unpaved road. He wrecked his car and was taken to the hospital for observation. His father later told police officers he had been receiving medical attention for some time.

Charges dropped

Charges were dropped against A. E. Etress after a family argument last Thursday afternoon in Columbiana. He and his father-in-law, Henry Bristow, Sr., were allegedly involved in a misunderstanding in a business matter. In the ensuing argument Mr. Bristow was slightly injured by a gunshot blast.

Brierfield man wreck victim

Two accidents occuring within a 40 hour period have left one person dead and another in critical condition. One accident involved a bicycle, the other a motorcycle.

Sam Devine, 66, of Brierfield was pronounced dead at 7:00 o'clock Tuesday morning after the bicycle he was riding was struck by a car in Brierfield.

The car, a 1969 Ford two-door was driven by Harold W. Smitherman of Route 1, Randolph.

Smitherman told Montevallo Police Chief Robert Boyd, who investigated the accident, that it happened when he met a loaded truck and was unable to see Devine's bicycle. The bicycle was travelling in the same direction as Smitherman's car.

Jack Jones, 32, of Huntsville was critically injured Sunday when the motorcycle he was riding ran into the side of a car at the intersection of Highway 25 and the Montevallo Cemetery Road.

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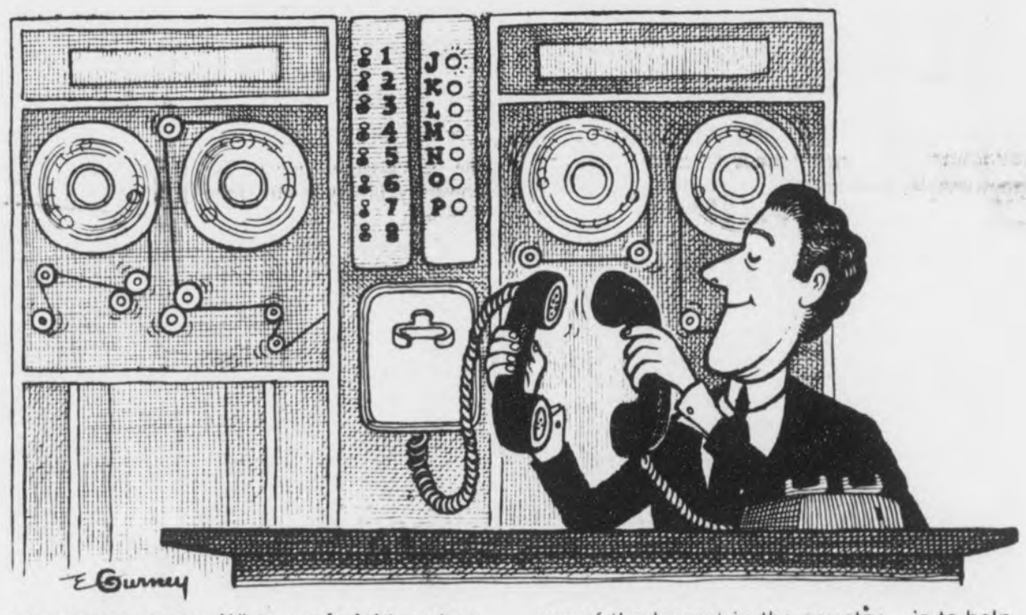

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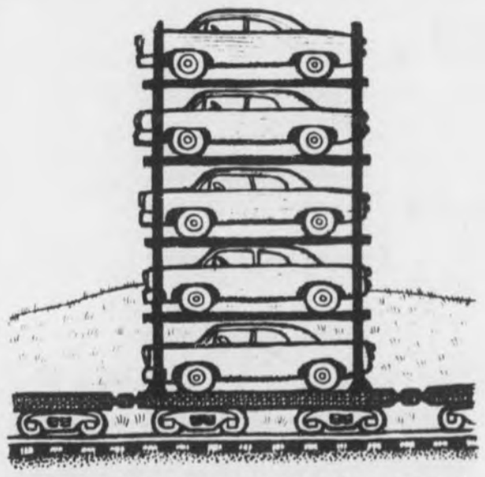

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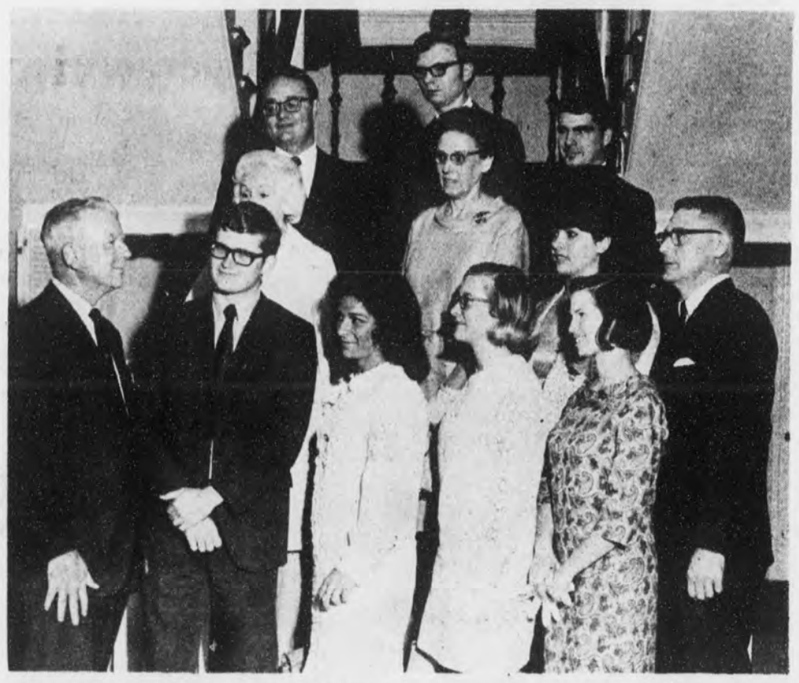

PRESIDENT HONORS NEW FACULTY - - University President and Mrs. Kermit Johnson honored new members of the Montevallo faculty Saturday evening with a reception at Flower Hill. Pictured left to right, first row are: Dr. Johnson, Joseph D. Eversole, Sarah F. Biondo, Linda Jean Hammett, Anne Malone and Charles R. Strong. Second row: Mrs. Nell Malone, Eleanor C. Johnston, Mrs. Ninfa Caruso. Back row: Dr. Lonnie E. Zumalt, Bruce McClanahan and David F. Sears.

Fourteen new faculty members join University of Montevallo

What does it take to provide a program of higher education for more than 2,200 students?

At the University of Montevallo it takes 116 faculty members, 50 staff officers and 13 administrative officials.

Fourteen new members of the teaching faculty were on hand to greet the more than 660 freshmen when classes began Monday morning. There were nine new members of the administrative staff.

New faculty members, listed by academic department include: Art, Sarah F. Biondo, assistant professor.

Business Administration, Charles R. Strong, Associate professor.

Chemistry, Dr. James B. Beal, associate professor.

Education, Nell Malone, Associate Director for EDPA Project; Dr. Lonnie E. Zumalt, assistant professor.

English, Anne Malone, assistant professor.

Foreign Languages, Bruce McClanahan, associate professor and chairman of the department.

Music, Ninfa Caruso, instructor; David F. Sears, instructor.

Health, Physical Education and Recreation, Linda Jean Hammett, instructor.

Physics and mathematics, Dr. T. H. Kwon, assistant professor.

Vocational Home Economics, Eleanor C. Johnston, associate professor.

Speech, Mary B. Bensberg staff clinician.

Social Sciences, Joseph D. Eversole, instructor.

Staff appointments include House Directors: Mrs. S. E. Finley, Mrs. Nell Hoit and Mrs. Cindy Hope.

A new general assistant in the periodicals section of the university library is Mrs. Jane B. Jones.

Other new staff appointments include Mrs. Leona Carnes, manager of the student center snack bar; Patricia E. Fochtmann, secretary, Dean of Men; Mrs. Blanche Johnson, housemother, Speech and Hearing Clinic; Mrs. Suzanne Turpin, secretary, Education Department project; Kay Johnson, Southeast District Supervisor, Home Economics Education.

Legal Notice
Estate of James B. Higgins Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of administration with the Will Annexed of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 12th day of September, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
MRs. Jade H. Cole
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Wilsonville News

Miss Nona Faye Roberson of Birmingham, Mrs. Inez Roberson, George and Keith Roberson, and Mrs. Jack Eastis of Wilsonville spent the week end in Atlanta. While there, they toured "Six Flags Over Georgia", and saw the Atlanta Braves and Houston Astros in two exciting games.

This is the final test of a gentleman: His respect for those who can be of no possible service to him

Mr. Earl Hendrix, formerly of Wilsonville, now of Douglasville, Ga. visited friends in Wilsonville last Thursday.

Singing at Bethlehem

The regular Third Saturday Night Singing will be held at the Bethlehem (Spring Creek) Baptist Church on Saturday, June 20th at 7:30 with the Midstate Quartet from Helena as guests. The public is invited. Lloyd Busby is Chairman of the singing.

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Registration to vote date changed

A minor change in the notice for registering to vote in Shelby County is made this week in the registration notice appearing elsewhere in the paper. The October 7 election on the issue of the one cent gasoline tax created the need for the change.

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An Open Letter to the University of Montevallo Family:

The members of the Montevallo Chamber of Commerce wish to extend to you students, faculty and staff members a most sincere "Welcome Back".

We have missed all of you during the summer months, but we are now looking forward to sharing with you a most successful 1969-1970 academic year.

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Miss Dawn Fulton marries Frank Allan Suttle

The Columbiana United Methodist Church was the setting September 13 at 8 p.m. for the marriage of Dawn Fulton and Frank Allan Suttle. The Rev. Burl Oliver performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gerald Fulton, and Mr. Suttle's parents are Mr. and Mrs. John Frank Suttle.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white organza over peau de soie with trumpet sleeves bordered with Chantilly lace. The same lace detailed the skirt, and reembroidered chantilly lace formed a cathedral train caught to a camelot cap trimmed with seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of white butterfly roses and stephanotis.

MRS. FRANK ALLAN SUTTLE

Mrs. Richard Jones of Tuscaloosa, was matron of honor. Maid of honor was Cecilia Jones of Pensacola, Florida, cousin of the bride. Other attendants were Ashley and Joanna Jones, cousins of the bride of Demopolis, Dianne Payton of Siluria, Millie Blackburn of Arvin, Cal., Donna Bell, of Birmingham, Mich., Linda Varga of Columbus, Ohio and Mrs. Lloyd Suttle of Woodbridge, Conn. The bridal attendants wore aisle-length gowns of azalea pink silk, Ottoman styled, with jewel necklines and short puff sleeves. They carried nosegays of pink roses and gypsophilia. The flower girl, cousin of the bride Sally Jones of Demopolis, wore an aisle-length gown of white embroidered organdy with azalea pink sash.

John Lloyd Suttle, twin brother of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were James Walter Suttle, Loyd Gerald Fulton Jr., Conrad Fowler, Jr., Rick McDow, Wayne Rasco, Wilmot J. Spires Jr., all of Columbiana, Richard Jones of Tuscaloosa, and Steve Sutton of Peoria, Ill. Junior usher was Warren C. Duke Jr., cousin of the bride of Siluria.

Music was presented by Mrs. William Parrish, organist, and the Rev. James I. Harrison III, vocalist.

The mother of the bride wore a gown of camelia pink imported silk with bodice embroidered in crystals.

The groom's mother chose an empire gown of lime green chiffon with jewel embroidered bodice.

Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton were reception hosts at their home on Pine Hill Drive.

Assisting with the serving were Miss Linda Wall, Bessemer, Mary Emily Heard, Monroeville; Mrs. James F. Duke, Mrs. Warren Duke, Alabaster; and Mrs. Fannie Mae Brown, Columbiana.

Miss Barbara Gayle Duke registered the guests.

After a honeymoon in the Bahamas, the newlyweds will make their home in Columbiana until January when Mr. Suttle will enter the U. S. Navy Officer Candidate School in Newport, R. I.

A bridesmaid's luncheon was given at The Club by Mrs. Cecil S. Jones Jr. and Mrs. Frank E. Jones and Mrs. J. I. Harrison on the day of the wedding.

On Friday night preceding the wedding, the after-rehearsal party was given by Mr. and Mrs. John Frank Suttle at The Club. The seated dinner party numbered 53 guests, including the wedding party and out-of-town guests.

Guests coming from a distance of more than 50 miles included: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil S. Jones, Jr. Pensacola; Mrs. Charles B. Owens, Brewton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Jones Demopolis; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Deer, Montgomery; Mr. and Mrs. George Heard, Matthew Heard and Mrs. Curtis Heard, Monroeville; Mrs. Henry Farish, Atmore; Mrs. Mark J. Williams, Oxford; Mr. and Mrs. Coke Williams, Anniston; Miss Hitsy Parnell, Tuscaloosa.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Wrenn, Newhall, Cal; Mr. and Mrs. James Henry Lowe, Lafayette; Mr. Joseph Messinger, Milwaukee, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. James B. Snider, Decatur; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tidmore, Tuscaloosa; Mr. and Mrs. Del Campbell, Huntsville; Mr. Jamie Coutlas, Pensacola; Mr. Bob Vernon, Oklahoma City, Okla.; and Miss Ann Norman, Atlanta.

Society Page And Personal Mention

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Friendliness essential to good business

We recently read in a leading magazine an account of a distinguished gentleman who had visited a hotel in Chicago. He spoke of the fact "that everybody seemed glad to see me"

Many people, in fact, almost everybody we know, attaches a great deal of importance to the way one is received in a business or a professional office, store, or what have you? A cordial greeting or a cheerful welcome does go a long way toward making friends; and after all, friendliness and plain old ordinary courtesy does not cost a cent, and it does bring a degree of happiness to an otherwise cold blooded "business world".

You might be surprised, the writer of this article continues - to find out how the attitude of an unfriendly clerk, secretary, or owner of an establishment can curtail trade and in some instances create a positive dislike for the place. Personality plays a vitally important role in "putting an idea across". If you don't believe it - - try it!

Personally speaking, in our association with Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Public, especially in the journalistic and musical professions, we have met very few people whom we had rather "never had the pleasure" - - but - - thank Heaven - - only a few of these exist. The majority of folk whom we have known have been friendly or tolerant - - and it really made no big difference - - just so they were pleasant about it. Get what I mean?

M.W.W.

Mrs. Wood honored

"Honor to whom honor is due" is in order today as we have the privilege of joining county and state officials in extending congratulations to Lanice Wood, the efficient Executive Secretary of Shelby County's Local Draft Board No. 58, upon the completion of 15 years service with the Alabama Selective Service System.

In appreciation for this long tenure in office Mrs. Wood has been awarded a sterling silver lapel pin in recognition of her outstanding work in this office along with a Certificate of Appreciation from State Director Hugh J. Caldwell Jr., in which she is commended for the "superior manner" in which she has accomplished the responsibilities this office entails.

In addition to this official recognition, Mrs. Wood has received a letter from Gov. Albert Brewer offering his personal congratulations for her faithful assistance in performing the obligations and duties the office of Executive Secretary carries.

We proudly add our sincere congratulations to Mrs. Wood, knowing full well the honor and the recognition above mentioned is richly deserved.

MISS REBA JUNE LANGSTON

Miss Reba Langston to wed Mr. Miles

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Langston, Sr., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Reba June to Mr. F. M. Miles Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Miles, Sr., of Asheville, N. C.

Grandparents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Payne of Alabaster, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Langston of Prattville. Miss Langston is a graduate of Thompson High School in Siluria.

Mr. Miles is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thomas Miles of Montevallo and Mrs. D. B. DeMent and the late Mr. DeMent of Pea Ridge. Mr. Miles is employed by South Central Bell.

The wedding is planned for Sept. 26, 1969 at the First Baptist Church in Alabaster.

That queer looking object, with hugh pontoon foundation, you have been asking about in the W. T. Bradley yard - - is the beginning of what, eventually will be, a house-boat which "W. T." tells me he is going to cruise around in on Old Man River.

Columbiana personals

We had the pleasure of meeting personable Joe Messenger of Milwaukee, Wis., during his visit in Columbiana as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Suttle and we were gratified to learn that on this initial trip South that he was "thoroughly enjoying every minute of it. - - even to the traditional southern dishes - - like ham, grits and red-eye gravy". Joe is a student at Yale and a friend of Lloyd and Alan Suttle who graduated from Yale last June.

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Collegiates number 39 from the First Baptist Church were given public recognition by Dr. Scroggins at the eleven o'clock hour of worship last Sunday. The University of Montevallo had the largest number listed. There were 15 who hold membership in the First Baptist Church at Montevallo this year.

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The Rev. and Mrs. Jim Harrison, former residents of Columbiana, now residing in Jacksonville, attended the Fulton-Suttle wedding last Saturday evening and were the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Harrison.

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Howard Hill merits place in state Sports Hall of Fame

We are numbered among Shelby County friends of world-famous archer - - Howard Hill, who read with avid interest Walter Lowry's article in Birmingham News regarding Grady McBride's efforts to put Hill into Alabama's Sports Hall of Fame. Neither Robin Hood nor William Tell has ever topped Shelby County's own Howard Hill in the field of archery. Our question is - why has this merited recognition not been done long ago? What are they waiting for?

The writer had the privilege of directing the music department at SCHS when Howard Hill and Elizabeth Hodges (later Mrs. Howard Hill) began their courtship which later resulted in a happy marriage - - the kind where fortunate folk like Howard and Elizabeth "live happily ever after". The Hill's returned to his native heath some months ago - - when he returned from the silver screen in Hollywood, and are now at home to their friends in a spacious home they have built in Vincent.

Shelby Countians proudly claim the distinction of furnishing to the entertainment world two "stars" who have won fame, fortune, and world wide recognition in their professional fields - - Howard Hill - - the matchless archer - - and the late Henry B. Walthall, a native of Wilsonville, who played so successfull the role of the "Little Colonel" in the Birth of a Nation.

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Storkline News

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Crowson (Jan Rowe) announce the arrival of a daughter who was born on Sept. 8, 1969 in Shelby Memorial Hospital. They have named the little newcomer Tabitha Lynn.

Grandparents in Columbiana are Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Rowe, and in Calera, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Crowson. Great-grandparents include the remarkable Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Foster of the Kingdom Community who have been happily married for 61 years and are the parents of 13 children all of whom are now living.

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The Norman Lefkovits home was the scene of much activity last week. Norman Jr., was busily engaged in getting all set for his official duties as president of the School of Commerce at University of Alabama; Norman Sr., was recuperating from a big umpteenth birthday dinner last Saturday, in addition to the observance of a religious holiday - - and Sonya was making big plans for the arrival of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Damsker of Tyler, Texas, and the family reunion she is staging in honor of her father's 80th birthday. Truly a "merry-go-round" of interesting events.

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James Taylor's friends will regret to learn that he had to have another eye operation last week in the Eye Foundation Clinic in the Magic City. "Jit" is a former home town boy who resides in Birmingham but remains loyal to Columbiana friends and former classmates of S.C.H.S.

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Dr. and Mrs. John Duncan have returned from a delightful motor trip thru the Eastern states stopping over en route to visit their son, Pfc. Charles Duncan, who is stationed in Fort Devens, Mass.

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Jimmy McDow has returned to Columbiana after attending the funeral of the late Mrs. McDow's mother which occurred in Jacksonville, Fla.

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Dr. and Mrs. Harold Hall and Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Harrison will be numbered among the football fans of the Crimson Tide who will watch the battle for the pigskin waged between University of Alabama and V.P.I. next Saturday in Blacksburg, Va.

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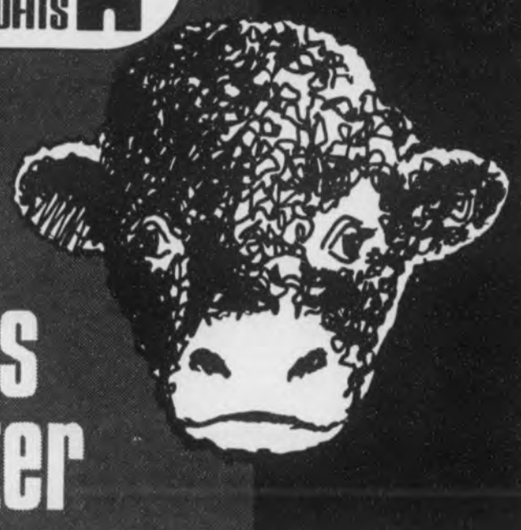

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The addition to Thompson Elem. School Siluria, Ala.

Any person, firm, or corporation having an unpaid claim against the said Contractor for supplying the said Contractor with labor, materials, feedstuffs, or supplies in connection with said work is hereby notified to present the same to address shown below in the manner and time required by law.

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Registration Notice

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE REGISTRATION LAWS, TITLE 17, SECTION 26, CODE OF ALABAMA, 1940, THE REGISTRARS OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA, DO HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT THE FOLLOWING APPOINTMENTS ARE SET FOR THE PURPOSE OF REGISTERING THOSE QUALIFIED UNDER THE LAW TO REGISTER AS ELECTORS:

Precinct Number

2 at Jordons Barn 9-12 A.M. on Oct 8, 1969
3 at City Hall, Calera 9-12 A.M. on Oct 9, 1969
4 at City Hall, Montevallo 9-12 A.M. on Oct 10, 1969
1 at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Oct 11, 1969
5 at Mitchell Home, Bamford 9-12 A.M. on Oct 13, 1969
6 at City Hall, Helena 9-12 A.M. on Oct 14, 1969
7 Box 2 at City Hall, Siluria 9-12 A.M. on Oct 15, 1969
7 Box 1 at Community Center, Saginaw 9-12 A.M. on Oct 16, 1969
8 at Weldon Store, Chelsea 9-12 A.M. on Oct 17, 1969
1 at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Oct 18, 1969
1 at Court House, Columbiana 9 A.M. - 3 P.M. on Oct 20, 1969
9 Box 1 at City Hall, Wilsonville 9-12 A.M. on Oct 21, 1969
9 Box 2 at Blaylock Store 9-12 A.M. on Oct 22, 1969
10 at City Hall, Harpersville 9-12 A.M. on Oct 23, 1969
11 at Archer Store, Westover 9-12 A.M. on Oct 24, 1969
1 at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Oct 25, 1969
12 at New Hope Community Center 9-12 A.M. on Oct 27, 1969
13 at Lake Purdy Cross Roads 9-12 A.M. on Oct 28, 1969
14 at Watson Store, Vandiver 9-12 A.M. on Oct 29, 1969
15 at Anderson Store, Sterrett 9-12 A.M. on Oct 30, 1969
1 at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Nov 1, 1969
1 at Court House, Columbiana 9 A.M. - 3 P.M. on Nov 3, 1969
16 at City Hall, Vincent 9-12 A.M. on Nov 4, 1969
17 Box 2 at City Hall, Alabaster 9-12 A.M. on Nov 5, 1969
17 Box 1 at City Hall, Pelham 9-12 A.M. on Nov 6, 1969
18 at Bowdon Store, Dunnavant 9-12 A.M. on Nov 7, 1969
1 at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Nov 8, 1969
19 Box 1 at Union Hall, Maylene 9-12 A.M. on Nov 10, 1969
19 Box 2 at Community Center, Dogwood 9-12 A.M. on Nov 11, 1969
20 at Mayberry School, Peariдge 9-12 A.M. on Nov 12, 1969
21 at Crocker Store, Moores Cross Rd 9-12 A.M. on Nov 13, 1969
1 Box 2 at Davis Store, Shelby 9-12 A.M. on Nov. 14, 1969

E. C. Sumner, Chairman
D. J. Ratliff
S.M. Mahan
Registrars Shelby County

No person shall be registered except at the court house or in the precinct or ward where he or she resides.

9-18, 25, 1969 †77

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage dated the 5th day of May, 1966, executed by Robert I. Meadows, an unmarried man to City Federal Savings & Loan Association, which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 300, Page 415 Record of Mortgages, and said mortgage now being in default and subject to foreclosure, the undersigned has elected to declare the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage to be due and payable as provided by said mortgage, and notice is hereby given that pursuant to law and the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the undersigned will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the main entrance of the Shelby County Courthouse in Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on the 20th day of October, 1969, the following described real estate situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Commence at the SW corner of the SW1/4 of NW1/4, Section 3, Township 24 North, Range 12 East and from said SW corner run a distance of 794.75 feet on a bearing of North 11 degrees 33' East to a point; thence turn an angle of 62degrees 06' to the right for a distance of 128.00 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the left for a distance of 84.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 15.5 feet to a point on the North side of a public driveway; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 15.0 feet to the South side of said driveway to the point of beginning of lot herein described; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the left along said driveway for a distance of 57.42 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 131.75 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 57.42 feet to the East side of a public driveway; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right along said Driveway for a distance of 131.75 feet to the point of beginning, said lot being a part of Block 4 of Seamon D. Brown Survey of East Montevallo, situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

City Federal Savings & Loan Association,
Mortgagee
Lange, Simpson, Robinson & Somerville,
Attorneys for Mortgagee
9-18,25,—10,2,1969 †88.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 2 bricklined coalburning heaters - 1 large, 1 medium size. A-1 condition. $25.00 each. S. L. Crowson, Wilsonville Rt. 2; Phone 669-7666 9-18,p.

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IN MEMORIAM
Cannady
In loving memory of my husband, and children's father, Marion Cannady, who passed away one year ago, September 17, 1968.
In our hearts there is a picture more precious than silver and gold. It's a picture of you, darling, where memories never grow old. Till memories fade and life departs you will forever live in our hearts.
Wife Lucille and Children

LEGAL NOTICE
EXECUTRIX' SALE
STATE OF ALABAMA
CHILTON COUNTY
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CHILTON COUNTY, ALABAMA.
IN EQUITY — CASE NO. 4245

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARY DELLA LATHAM, DECEASED; MARY UPCHURCH BENTLEY, EXECUTRIX:

By virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause on the 28th day of August, 1969, by the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity, to satisfy said decree and in pursuance to the decree of said Court, the undersigned, as such Executrix, will sell to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at public sale, at the front door of the Courthouse on Second Avenue North, in the City of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, between the legal hours of sale and at the hour of 12:00 o'clock Meridian, on Friday, September 26, 1969, the following described property, to-wit:

40 shares of stock in the First National Bank, Clanton, Alabama;

176½ shares of stock in the First National Bank of Birmingham, Alabama;

8 shares of stock in the Merchants and Planters Bank, Montevallo, Alabama.

Said stock shall be sold in separate parcels; that is, 40 shares of stock in the First National Bank, Clanton, Alabama, will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash and then 176½ shares of stock of the First National Bank of Birmingham, Alabama, will be sold to the highest bidder for cash and then the 8 shares of stock of Merchants and Planters Bank, Montevallo, Alabama, will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash and then the undersigned will sell all of said stock en masse for cash to the highest and best bidder and the highest bid of the total sales by parcels or the highest bid for the stock en masse shall control and be knocked down accordingly; that is the highest of the sum total of the sale in parcels or the sale en masse shall be accepted as the highest and best bid.

This 30th day of August, 1969.
MARY UPCHURCH BENTLEY
Executrix, Estate of
Mary Della Latham, Deceased.
9-4, 11, 18, 1969 †80

Legal Notice
Notice of Publication to Probate Will
The State of Alabama
Shelby County
PROBATE COURT
September 12, 1969

To Peggy Wilson Justice, 1705 W. 11th Street, Panama City, Florida, Bobby E. Griffin, Sherry Wilson, Randall Wilson, Carl Wilson and Wayne Wilson whose addresses are unknown

You will hereby take notice, that on this day came Pearl C. Wilson and produced to the Court a paper writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Andrew Lee Wilson, deceased, and moves the court to admit the said will to Probate and Record.

You are notified to be and appear before me, at my office in the Court House of said County at Shelby, on the 10 day of October, 1969, when the motion will be considered, and show, if anything you have to allege, why said paper writing should not be admitted to Probate and record, as the true last will and testament of said decedent Andrew Lee Wilson

Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Ala.
9-18,25,—10,2,1969. †89.

Legal Notice
Estate of Grace Garrett Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 4th day of September, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

K. E. Fulton
as Administrator of Estate of Grace Garrett, dec.
Sept. 11,18,25,1969 †84.

Notice To Contractors
Project No. State-1671-E (Federal Safety Project IS-68-1-001)

Chambers, Clay, Cleburne, Coosa, Lee, Macon, Randolph, Shelby, Talladega & Tallapoosa Counties, ALABAMA

Sealed bids will be received by the Alabama Highway Director at the office of the Alabama Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 10:00 o'clock A.M., September 26, 1969, and at that time publicly opened for Furnishing and Installing Mileposts on various roads.

The entire project shall be completed by April 15, 1970.

Proposal fee is $5.00. Plans are available for 30 cents. Plans and proposals are available in Room 304 of the Highway Department. No refunds will be made.

Minimum wage rates for this project have been pre-determined by the Secretary of Labor and are set forth in the advertised specifications and are subject to the Work Hours Act of 1962, PL 87-581, and Implementing regulations.

Certified check or bid bond for 5% of bid (Maximum - $10,000.00) made payable to the Alabama Highway Department must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith.

The proposed work shall be performed in conformity with the rules and regulations for carrying out the 1966 Federal Highway Safety Act, as amended.

Plans and Specifications are on file in Room 304 of the Alabama Highway Department at Montgomery, Alabama 36104.

In accordance with the rules and regulations of the Alabama Highway Department, proposals will be issued only to prequalified contractors or their authorized representatives, upon requests that are received before ten o'clock A.M., on the day previous to the day of opening of bids.

The Alabama Highway Department, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252) and the Regulations of the Department of Commerce (15 C.F.R., Part 8), issued pursuant to such Act hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the ground of race, color, or national origin.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

R. G. Kendall, Jr.
Highway Director
9-11,18,25 † 82

LEGAL NOTICE
WILLIE PEARL HARDIN EDWARDS, COMPLAINANT, VS. THOMAS HUGH EDWARDS, RESPONDENT
IN THE LAW AND EQUITY COURT OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA CASE NO. 1439
ORDER OF PUBLICATION

In this cause it being made to appear to the Court and to the Register of the Court, by the affidavit of the complainant in the above entitled cause that the respondent Thomas Hugh Edwards is over the age of 21 years and a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Alabama and that the respondent is concealing himself so that process of this Court cannot be served upon him, it is, therefore:

CONSIDERED, ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that publication be made in the Shelby County Reporter, a newspaper published in Shelby County, Alabama,, for four consecutive weeks requiring the said Thomas Hugh Edwards to appear and plead to, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in the said cause by the 29 day of Sept., 1969, or in thirty days thereafter suffer decree pro confesso to be rendered against him.

Witness my hand and seal this 27 day of August, 1969.

L. G. Fulton
Ex-Officio Register,
Law & Equity Court
of Shelby County, Alabama
9-4, 11, 18, 25, 1969 †78

Legal Notice
The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
In Law and Equity Court, In Equity
Case No. 1425

Joyce Jean Holcombe Complainant
s. Vs.
Thomas Glenn Holcombe Respondent

In this cause it being made to appear to the Register by affidavit of Joyce Jean Holcombe that the Respondent is a non-resident of Alabama, and that his postoffice address is unknown, and further that in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Shelby County Reporter a newspaper published in Columbiana, Shelby County, Ala., once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring Respondent, the said Thomas Glenn Holcombe to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 1st day of Oct. 1969, or in thirty days thereafter a decree Pro Confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Columbiana, Ala., this the 29 day of August, 1969

Filed in Office Aug. 29, 1969
L. G. Fulton Register.
9-11,18,25,—10-2,1969†85.

FORECLOSURE NOTICE
STATE OF ALABAMA
SHELBY COUNTY

Default having been made in payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by J.M. Fleming and wife, Bessie Fleming to Shelby County Savings and Loan Association of Columbiana, dated February 22, 1964 and recorded in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama in Mortgage Book 286, page 740, and such default continuing, the undersigned will sell for cash at public outcry between the legal hours of sale at the Shelby County Courthouse door (front entrance) in the City of Columbiana, Alabama, on the 18th day of October, 1969, the following described real estate situated in the County of Shelby, State of Alabama, to-wit:

Commence at the NW corner of Section 14, Township 19, Range 2 East and run thence East along the NOrth line of said Section 14 a distance of 647.90 feet to the East right of way line of Alabama Highway No. 25 (Main Street of Vincent); thence turn an angle of 110 deg. 55 min. to the right in a Southerly direction along the East right of way of said Highway 25 a distance of 27.74 feet to the NW corner of McGraw Brothers Garage Building, being the point of beginning; thence turn an angle of 90 deg. to the left and run East 100 feet to an alley; thence turn an angle to the right of 90 deg. and run Southerly along the West right of way of said alley a distance of 25 feet to the NE corner of Florey lot; thence turn an angle of 90 deg. to the right and run along North boundary line of said Florey lot a distance of 100 feet to East right of way line of Highway 25; thence turn an angle of 90 deg. to right and run NOrtherly along East boundary line of said Highway 25 a distance of 25 feet to point of beginning, all being in NW¼ of NW¼ of Section 14, Township 19, Range 2 East.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, together with interest thereon and a reasonable attorney's fee.

Shelby County Savings & Loan Association of Columbiana

Holder of Mortgage
Wales W. Wallace, Jr.
Attorney for Holder of Mortgage
Sept. 11,18,25, 1969 †86

LEGAL NOTICE
State of Alabama
Shelby County
Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Tommy Charles and wife, Judy Charles, to Bessie M. Mussey, on the 14th day of January, 1969, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 310, Page 549 Record of Mortgages, the undersigned, as mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Courthouse at Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, on the 16th day of October, 1969, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lot No. 6, Brookstone Estates, the map of which is recorded in Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, in Map Book 4, Page 53, subject to Restrictive Covenants as shown in Deed Book 222, Page 871, Office of Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, and also subject to building set back line, as shown on the recorded map of said Subdivision in Map Book 4, Page 53, in said Probate Office, and also subject to Transmission line permits of record to Alabama Power Company and Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company.

This is a purchase money mortgage. This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.

Bessie Mussey, Mortgagee
Thomas F. McDowell,
Attorney for Mortgagee
9-11,18,25,1969 †81.

LEGAL NOTICE
State of Alabama
Shelby County

This is to give legal notice that on or after September 4, 1969 I will not be responsible for any debts other than those incurred by myself.

Terry W. Crim
Rt. 1, Box 67
Calera, Alabama 35040
9-4, 11, 18, 25, 1969

CATTLE SALE
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Every Wednesday, at Morris, Ala. at 11:00 a.m. We have more buyers than any sale in Central Alabama and can assure you of top market prices for your cattle and hogs at all, times. Our new, modern facilities enable us to handle livestock better and faster than ever.

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BY ED BLAKE

There are plenty of doves in Shelby County.

Conservation Officer Doyle Wood was in the office the other day and reported seeing a lot of doves throughout the county. Doves move around a good bit, but the chances are good that there will be fine shooting Monday - - the opening day of dove season.

There is one important change in the regulations governing dove hunting. The bag limit and possession limit has been increased by 50 per cent. Hunters will not have an opportunity to go for a limit of 18 doves instead of 12.

The shooting hours are from noon until sunset.

If you have the opportunity this weekend, it might be a good idea to check with a local farmer and get a written permit to shoot in his fields. Written permission is required.

You might ask to look over the field, check the flight patterns of the doves and pick out a good stand.

Most dove hunters agree that fields where corn has been harvested recently with a mechanical picker is the choice spot to be on opening day. Sunflower fields were reported to be the hot spots last year during the first few weeks of dove season. However, the sunflowers apparently did not pay off for the farmers and there are few if any sunflowers in the county this year.

We flagged down Captain Ed Lightsey Tuesday morning on the way to work and asked him if he had any information to pass along. Lightsey said both 1968–1969 and 1969–1970 hunting licenses will be valid during the first eight days of the season. You will need to get a new license before going afield on Oct. 1. Fishing licenses also expire on September 30.

Because doves are classified as migratory birds, federal regulations also apply to dove hunting.

Captain Lightsey requested that the following regulation controling the baiting of fields be passed along:

"All migratory game birds, including waterfowl, may be taken on or over standing crops (including aquatics), flooded standing crops, flooded harvested crop lands, grain crops properly shocked on the field where grown, or grains found scattered solely as a result of normal agricultural planting or harvesting; and in addition, all migratory game birds except waterfowl, may be taken on or over lands where shelled, shucked, or unshucked corn, wheat or other grain, salt or other feed has been distributed or scattered solely as a result of valid agricultural operations or procedures."

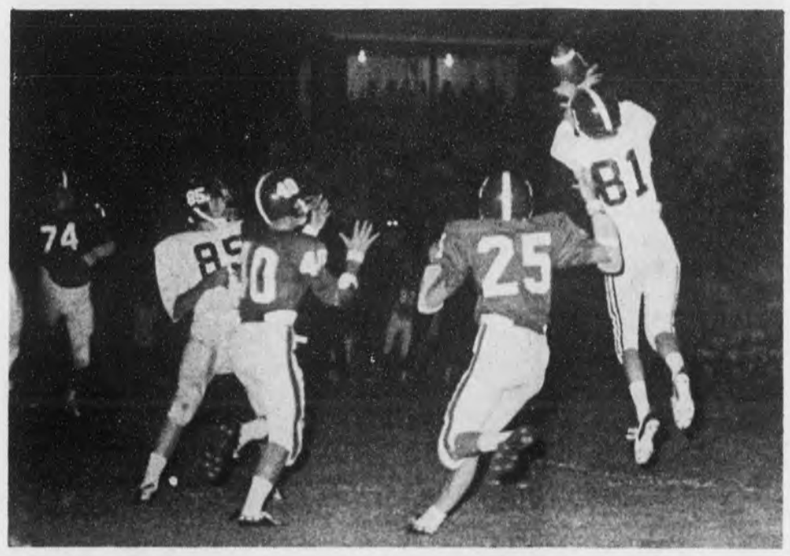
Lightsey pointed out that a grain field that has been bush hogged is considered a baited field. There must be some attempt made to harvest the field. If there is any question that a field may be considered baited, make certain that the field has been inspected by a conservation officer before you hunt in the field.

When hunting please remember that you are a guest of the land owner. Respect his property and leave the field knowing that you will be invited back.

Fishing is red hot along the gulf coast as indicated in the above picture. John Henry Roberts, Mike Smith, Fred Frost, Jr., and Ard Chambers of Montevallo are shown with 39 king mackrel they caught last Thursday fishing out of Destin, Fla.

They flew down with Roberts and caught more fish than they could bring back on the airplane.

Mike Smith caught the largest fish, a 14 and one-half pound king. They were trolling a cigar minnow behind a duster.



JUMPING FOR PIGSKIN - - Jemison's Larry Chandler (81) leaps high for a pass in the game against Thompson Friday night in Siluria. Warrior defenders are Charlie Parker (40) and Larry Darden (25). Photo by Don Hughes

Shelby County, Montevallo maintain perfect records

After two weeks of football action, only two Shelby County football teams possess unblemished records - - Montevallo High and Shelby County High.

Coach Charlie Martin's Montevallo Bulldogs maintained its grip on the county crown Saturday night by defeating Chelsea, 40-6. The Wildcats of Columbiana, yet untested in county competition, boosted their record to 2-0 for the season by ripping Lineville, 42-0.

Vincent High evened its record for the season by edging Calera, 3-0. Jemison High downed the Warriors of Thompson High, 25-6.

Montevallo boomed into a 20-0 halftime lead on three touchdown passes from Quarterback Anthony Staffney. The first was a 57-yarder to Roy Goggins, second a 63-yard pass to Larry Fields and the third a 17-yarder to Ricky Yancey.

Goggins scored again in the third period on a 13-yard run up the middle, Staffney ran one in from nine yards out and took a 17-yard pass from Yancey for the Bulldogs' final score.

Larry Kelly scored Chelsea's touchdown on a four yard run.

The Wildcats of Shelby County High came home Friday night and gave the hometown crowd a thrilling exhibition on how to score nearly every way possible.

Robert Montgomery returned a punt 90 yards for a touchdown, Larry Strickland intercepted a pass and galloped 50 yards for a tally, Billy Mitchell scored twice on passes from Ben Smith, and Smith ran one in from the two.

James "Bozo" Barnes also scored for the Wildcats on a two yard plunge. Charles Wilder kicked four extra points for the Wildcats.

Vincent's Harold Garrett used just enough toe in just enough time remaining in the first half to boost the Yellow Jackets by Calera, 3-0.

Garrett's 39-yard field goal came with 19 seconds remaining in the first half. Yellow Jacket Ricky Vick intercepted three Calera bombs to keep the Eagles from the scoreboard.

Thompson bounded back in the second quarter to match Jemison's first period touchdown but a passing attempt for two points failed and the Warriors were never able to catch up.

Sophomore Gary Carter scored the Warriors' lone tally on a two yard run.

In games this week, Thompson hosts Montevallo Friday night, Calera hosts Birmingham University School Friday night, Shelby County High plays Friday night at home against B. B. Comer and Vincent travels to Chelsea for a Saturday night game.

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September 18
Thompson Cowboys VS Chelsea Rams
Thompson Redskins VS Chelsea Falcons
Montevallo Bears VS Calera Giants
Montevallo Chiefs Vs Calera Colts

September 27
Montevallo Bears VS Thompson Cowboys
Montevallo Chiefs VS Thompson Redskins
Chelsea Rams Vs Calera Giants
Chelsea Falcons Vs Calera Colts

October 9
Thompson Cowboys VS Montevallo Bears
Thompson Redskins VS Montevallo Chiefs
Calera Giants VS Chelsea Rams
Calera Colts VS Chelsea Falcons

October 16
Calera Giants VS Montevallo Bears
Calera Colts VS Montevallo Chiefs

October 18
Chelsea Rams VS Thompson Cowboys
Chelsea Falcons VS Thompson Redskins

October 23
Thompson Cowboys VS Calera Giants
Thompson Redskins Vs Calera Colts
Montevallo Bears VS Chelsea Rams
Montevallo Chiefs Vs Chelsea Falcons

October 30
Calera Giants VS Thompson Cowboys
Calera Colts VS Thompson Redskins
Chelsea Rams VS Montevallo Chiefs
Chelsea Falcons VS Montevallo Bears

Home Team Listed First

1st Game Starts at 6:30 P.M.

WILDCAT PLUNGES OVER - - An official looks down and signals a touchdown as Shelby County High's James "Bozo" Barnes dives in from two yards out. The Wildcats defeated Lineville 42-0 last Friday night in Columbiana. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

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Camper families number four

The typical Alabama camping enthusiast is 44 years old and has a slightly higher than average annual income.

A recent survey reveals that camping is becoming one of the favorite types of outdoor recreation for Alabamians. The study involving 550 camping families produced a profile of the average camper.

The average age of campers is 44 and the average family of campers is composed of four members. Average education of the campers in the study is equal to a beginning college sophomore.

Annual family income averages about $9,600. Slightly more than one out of every three women in camping families are employed outside the family home.

Chances are better than three to one that families in the study come from a city with 5,000 or more population.

Cowart attends course

Stephen D. Cowart of Calera attended a refresher course conducted by Auburn University School of Pharmacy in Auburn last week.

Lecturers were Auburn pharmacy professors Joe Rash, G. W. Hargreaves, Kenneth Shrader and Larry Thomasson. Mr. George McKee of the State Narcotics Division and Mr. Norbert Adamski of the U. S. Narcotics Division reviewed the narcotic laws.

Wilton Baptist holds revival

Wilton Baptist Church announces a special Four Night Revival Services beginning Sept. 21 at 7:30 P.M. and continuing through Wednesday night, Sept. 24th. Dr. Hudson Baggett will be the Evangelist. J. W. Bowden will be in charge of the music. Dr. Baggett is the Editor of the Alabama Baptist and a well known preacher. Everyone who is interested is invited. Rev. Joe R. Bancroft, Pastor.

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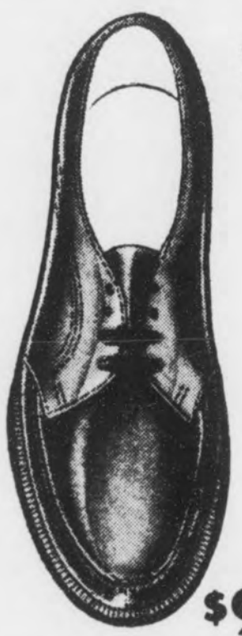

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County obituaries

Earle Cecil Bailey died last week at his home in Tuscaloosa.

He was the son of the late Earle C. Bailey, grandson of Mrs. Emma C. Bailey and great grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Campbell formerly of Montevallo.

He was a graduate of Auburn University.

He is survived by his widow, three children, his mother, Mrs. Gertrude Bailey of Selma, and a sister, Mrs. Kolbe Curtice of Houston, Tex.

Burial was in Selma. Officiating at the graveside service were the Rev. T. Frank Matthews and Rev. Robert R. Cook of Christ Episcopal Church in Tuscaloosa.

John Manning Stinson

Funeral services were conducted from Bolton Chapel in Columbiana Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for John Manning Stinson, 76, who died in St. Vincent's Hospital Sept. 10, 1969, the Rev. Raymond Scroggins officiated.

Mr. Stinson, since his retirement, has resided in Columbiana. For a number of years he was an employee of T.C.I. and lived in Ensley.

Survivors are: one sister, Mrs. Olive Moore of Columbiana; and one brother, Roy M. Stinson of Sterrett.

Nephews were the pallbearers and interment was in the Old Chapel Cemetery. Bolton-Brown Service in charge.

Often aid to dependent children cases are closed because they become self-supporting when a parent becomes employed or an absent parent returns.

EAT BREAKFAST - - Alabama Governor Albert P. Brewer endorses "Back to School With A Better Breakfast." The Chief Executive has proclaimed the month of September as "Better Breakfast Month." On hand with a supply of Alabama eggs for the occasion was state Poultry Queen Rosemary Simpson of Bessemer. Pete Gilmer, Assistant Commissioner of Agriculture, holds the proclamation.

County gasoline tax to provide $190,000

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decision.

The 1-cent tax, in our judgment, will provide about $190,000 per year. Portions of it will be used to match state and federal funds on a 3 to 1 basis, thus payment of one penny means a total of four pennies for the road program. The Board considers this a fair solution in that those who use the highways will pay in accordance with the extent of their use. The average motorist (1,000 miles per month) would pay from $8 to $10 per year.

Through changes in the state tax structure in 1967 we have experienced a reduction of approximately $250,000 per year in county revenue. In the past we have been successful in obtaining from $100,000 to $150,000 per year in grants from the State Highway Department. The Highway Director told county officials this summer that the Department would not be in position to continue this grant program. The circumstances constitute a financial crisis.

Growth and development within the county has intensified request for services. Greater traffic volumns indicate a need to upgrade the quality of county roads. Curves, bridges, and hills acceptable a few years back now constitute traffic hazzards and need improvement. The Board of Revenue is reluctant to see the performance of the County Highway Department fall short of what the citizens of Shelby County would prefer. But it is inevitable that a failure to approve this 1-cent gasoline tax will be followed by a reduction in the operation of the department and this has but one meaning - an inadequate road program.

We invite your questions. Board representatives solicit invitations to appear before your groups.

The Editor of the Reporter has agreed to make space available during the next three weeks for a presentation of this issue. Please keep abreast of this campaign by reading the Reporter.

Civitan Club inter-club meet set in Calera

The Calera Civitan Club will sponsor an inter-club meeting of all Shelby county Civitan Clubs according to an announcement from A. B. Carder and F. E. Leonard, Lieutenant Governors of the Alabama Central Civitan District. Members and their ladies from the Calera, Cahaba Valley, Central- Alabaster, Chelsea, Columbiana, Helena and Wilsonville Civitan Clubs will meet at the Clara-Neal Restaurant on Thursday, September 18, 1969 at 7:30 P.M. The meeting is to be in recognition of National Constitution Week. The speaker for the occasion will be Frank Bulgarella, Civitan International Director of Club Development from Birmingham.

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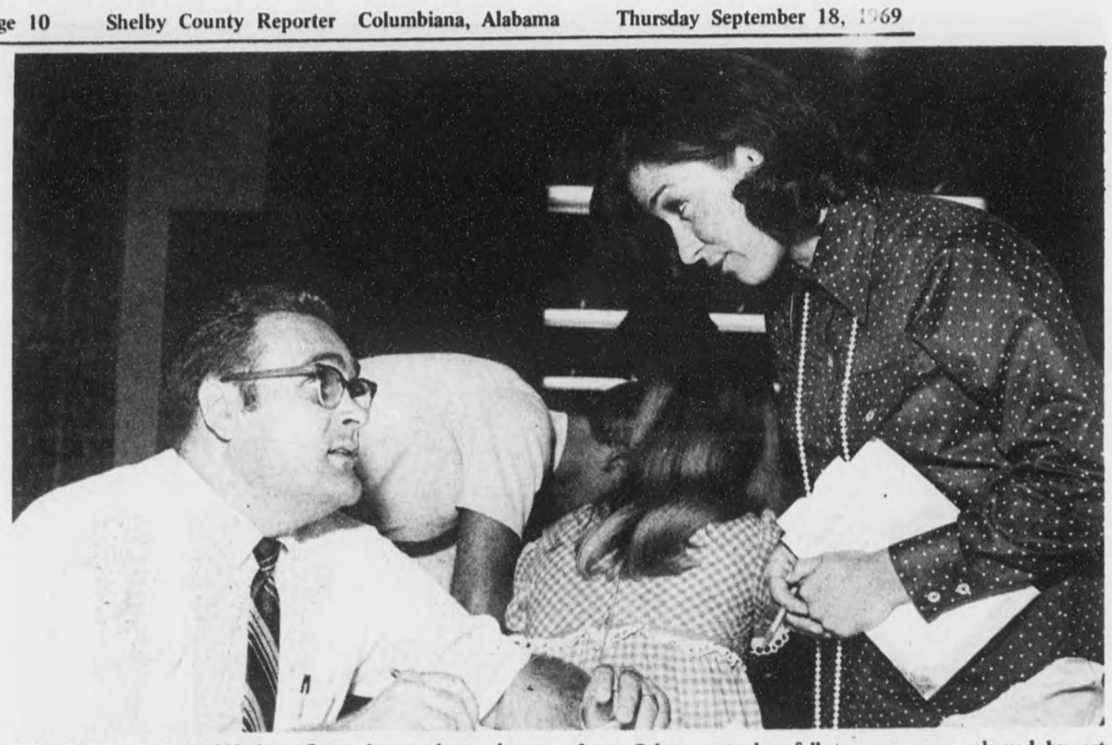

CHAIRMAN'S APPROVAL - - Once class cards are drawn and a schedule worked out, the major porfessor must "give the nod." Sharon Bacher (right), second-year art major from Calera, gets her fall term program okayed by art department chairman Thomas D. Turpin.

New Hope News

By Mrs. J. M. Denson

Mrs. B. W. Carter of Alabaster was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Wayman Moore and family here Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cross are improving at their home here after spending last week in the Lloyd Noland Hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crawley have returned to Atlanta after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Martin and other relatives on Valley Dale Road.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scotch visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown in Marietta, Ga. recently.

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Mrs. J. A. Nevin and Mrs. J. W. Mahan attended a luncheon at the Alabama Power Auditorium Thursday which was sponsored by the Valley Garden Club.

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Mrs. Frank Johnston and Mrs. Joe Scotch recently attended an exciting fashion show in Atlanta.

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Mrs. J. D. Bates, Mrs. H. M. Winslett and several others spent Wednesday in Talledega where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Trion Eiland.

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Mr. Floyd Garrett is improving at his home here after spending several days in South Highland Hospital.

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The family of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Winslett enjoyed a family reunion in Sunnyside, Fla. recently. Among those attending were Mrs. Sally Smith of Arab, Knox Pitts of Terre Haute, Ind., Sharon Pitts and Howard Winslett Jr.

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Eddie Finch is showing marked improvement after undergoing surgery at the St. Vincent Hospital Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Day are parents of a new born son, Jeffery Robert, who arrived at St. Vincent's on Sept. 9. He weighed 7 pounds 8 ounces. The Days have recently moved to the New Hope community.

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Shelby County WAC ranks among top lady skydivers

Did you know that one of the top lady skydivers in the United States, Pfc. Martine Durbin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Vanderslice of Saginaw, hails from Shelby County and is a former graduate of Thompson High School?

Pfc. Durbin, who placed second in international women's parachute competition in 1966, is currently vieing for the Adriatic Cup Meet in Yugoslavia to decide the world parachute standings. She is a veteran of 700 jumps. Perhaps the most memorable were in Varna, Bulgaria, in 1966 when she finished second in international women's competition to a Russian girl. This competition included a jump into the Black Sea where "if you miss your target you have to swim to it", she said.

Her score in competition in 12 states and as a member of the United States team in Germany and France and other places would have placed her in the top five in the men's division.

Army Pfc. Martine Durbin has been parachuting for eight years and hopes to join the Army's precision skydivers - the Golden Knights. A warm, personable individual, Martine speaks of parachuting with the articulate involvement of the aficionado.

So - - up goes another first for Shelby County and we doff our best chapeau to Pfc. Durbin as we wish for her a safe parachute landing.

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State Fair opens Oct. 2

Headed by a star-studded free Grandstand Show with such names as Brenda Lee, The Casuals, The Gold Diggers, Roy Clark and Lynn Anderson, the 1969 Alabama State Fair opens October 2 at the Birmingham Fairgrounds.

There will be something for everyone at the big 10 day agricultural and industrial exposition, according to Virgil E. Pierson, General Manager of the Fair.

This year's State Fair will offer over $53,000.00 in premiums and prizes for exhibits ranging from cut flowers to livestock.

And Fair-goers will get to see almost at first hand what it was like when man first landed on the Moon. At the big NASA Exhibit, there will be models and photographs of the command modules, the LEM, the control cluster and the space suits.

You will feel as if you were looking over the astronaut's shoulder as he hovers for a moon landing!

The Midway will be filled with the sound, glitter and excitement of the mighty Olson Shows, and throughout the Fairgrounds will be acre after acre of exhibits, displays, and livestock shows.

The women will find there is much for them to see at the big State Fair, with horticulture, handwork, cakes, antiques, canned foods, and such.

Meeting date changed

Plans for the first meeting of the Shelby County Mental Health Association have been changed. The meeting date has been moved to Monday, September 29.

Dr. John B. Hottel, deputy director of the Alabama Department of Mental Health will be the speaker at the 7:30 meeting, which is scheduled to be held in the courthouse.

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Montevallo News

The new Crown Royal Apartments opened to tenants this month, and were immediately filled from the long waiting list. Those who are listing the Crown Royal as their new address are: Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Knight, Mrs. Eleanor Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. John Bethea, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Prior, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Zumalt, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Welm, and Mr. Tom Tanner.

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New residents in a Tillman Davis apartment on Highway 119 are Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Caruso. Mrs. Caruso is a new member of the U. M. faculty.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strong have moved into the Hicks' home next to the Presbyterian Church.

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A farewell dinner party honoring the Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Counts and their children was given on September 7 at the home of Rev. M. D. Harper.

Rev. Counts was honored for his three years of service as pastor of the Bethel Free Will Baptist Church at Pea Ridge. The Counts have moved to Pensacola, Florida.

Fifty three members were present at the surprise dinner and afternoon social.

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State, Dec. 2; Livingston State, Dec. 2; Troy State, Dec. 13; Athens College, Dec. 16; St. Bernard, Jan. 10; Florence State, Jan. 13; LaGrange College, Jan. 24; Tennessee Temple, Febr. 7; and Huntingdon College, Febr. 10.

SHELBY COUNTY LIBRARY BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE
September 1969 - May 1970

MONDAY Sept.15, Oct.13, Nov.10, Dec.8, Jan.19, Feb.16, Mar.23, Apr.20, May 18

Clark Home-Dunnavant Rd.	8:45
Wallace Home-Dunnavant Rd.	9:05
Vandiver-Watson's Store	9:35
Sterrett-McGuire's Store	10:05
Jim's Gro. and Ser. Station	10:40
Sterrett School	11:05
Evan's Home-Vincent	12:30
Carver Apts. - Vincent	12:45
Reynolds Home-Vincent	1:00
W.A.Jones School	1:25
Harpersville Apts.	2:25

TUESDAY Sept. 16, Oct. 14, Nov. 11, Dec.9, Jan.20, Feb.17, Mar.24, Apr.21, May 19

Montevallo Elem. School	8:45
Eddings Kindergarten	12:30
Lovejoy Home	12:50
Battle Home	1:15
Reid Grocery - Highway 155	2:35

WEDNESDAY Sept.17, Oct.15, Nov. 12, Dec. 10, Jan. 21, Feb. 18, Mar.25, Apr. 22, May 20

Chelsea School	8:35
Sewell Hill-Lott Home	1:00
Culberson Home	1:20
Sanford Wallace Grocery	1:45
Strothers Store	2:05
Westover Post Office	2:30
Wayne Archer Home	2:45

THURSDAY Sept.18, Oct. 16, Nov.13, Dec.11, Jan.22,Feb.19, Mar.26, Apr.23, May 21

Alabaster Garden Apts.	8:35
Griffin Home	9:00
Brantleyville	9:20
Cox Grocery-Maylene	9:45
Dogwood Church	10:15
Mayberry School-Comm.	10:40
Terrell's Store	11:00
Aldrich-Hall Home	11:30

ALL FRIDAYS

Headquarters	Columbiana

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

As you read this, we shall be nearing the end of the first week of classes at the University of Montevallo. (It takes effort to remember to say that, instead of the familiar "Alabama College") With a record enrollment at school, this should be a good year for the Falcon Book Store on Main Street in Montevallo, and we look forward to it, eagerly. We are proud of our many friends among students and faculty, and they increase each year.

We see also a reassuring number of folks in Montevallo and the neighboring areas who have discovered the book store; it pleases us when they tell us how glad they are to find their needs close to home. In case you are not yet numbered among our customers, won't you come in soon and get acquainted? Browser or buyer, we're glad to have you.

Organization suggested-

Legislative reforms in hands of voters

By Rep. Phil Smith

Thorough modernization and reform of the Alabama legislature will never come about until the voters of Alabama learn what needs to be done, and find a way to make their voices heard in Montgomery.

There must be a statewide organization to inform the public on what it takes to have an effective, modern, responsible legislature, and to follow through in pushing for these changes when the legislature goes into session.

A national organization, The Citizen's Conference on State Legislatures exists to help individual states form just such an organization. With the help of this national group Alabamians could be prepared to push for a complete revision of our legislature by the 1971 session.

Address of the group is 4722 Broadway, Kansas City, Missouri 64112. The executive director is Larry Margolis.

Interest in creating an Alabama Citizen's Conference on the state legislature already is being started up across the state. The Alabama Jaycees in particular are in correspondence with Mr. Margolis, and may consider adopting this as a project.

An active group like the Jaycees, with dedicated young men from all over the state, could be the decisive factor in beginning the badly needed revitalization of Alabama state government.

Other groups, such as the League of Women Voters and the Alabama Bar Association, which often associate themselves with governmental reform efforts, should join as co-sponsors in organizing such a citizen's conference.

Any massive effort by the public to modernize the legislature would be joined in by many present and former legislators, but they should not dominate the attempt.

Such an effort would attract the support of every civic-minded organization in Alabama. It would give all the people of the state an opportunity to renew their faith and confidence in state government by participating directly in its renovation.

No election of new members to the legislature can accomplish what such a statewide drive could do. Sixty per cent or more of any new Alabama House of Representatives is composed of freshman members, and this rapid turnover has contributed greatly to the inability of the House to correct its own affairs.

A broadly based citizen's group representative of all segments of society, properly organized, properly financed, and properly publicized would have a far reaching impact on the 1971 legislature.

Interested persons should write Mr. Margolis for further information on how to get started.

AAUW holds tea

The Montevallo Branch of the American Association of University Women will hold its annual membership tea Sunday at Flower Hill, with Mrs. Kermit Johnson as hostess.

The hours of the tea are 3:30 to 5:30,p.m.

On Tuesday, September 23, the AAUW will hold its first meeting of the academic year at the Library on the University of Montevallo campus. The time is set for 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium. Miss Mary Frances Tipton, President, will preside.

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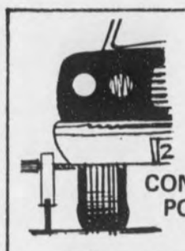
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ATTEND MEETING - - Alabamians at the Cotton Board meeting in Huntsville recently were (left to right) Albert McDonald, Huntsville; E. D. Wyatt, Harpersville; and James A. Minter, Tyler. The Cotton Board reviewed recommendations for a $10.6 million effort in research and promotion for cotton in 1970. The program is financed by the dollar-a-bale program of cotton farmers.

25 years ago--

Rogers builds first courthouse in county

The first courthouse in Shelby County was built by Thomas Amis Rogers at a cost of ("$50 and some odd") dollars according to a record found in the Alabama Masons Manual.

Mr. Rogers was a young lawyer. He represented Shelby County in the first Constitutional Convention, was secretary of the senate in 1819 and served as secretary of state from 1819 until his death in 1821.

Mr. Rogers was Grand Secretary of the Alabama Grand Lodge of Masons and a funeral service for him was conducted by the Grand Lodge "as its very first act on the first day of its annual communication on Dec. 11, 1821, according to the Masonic Manual. Mr. Rogers died at 29 years on Nov. 22, 1821, and was the first Grand Lodge officer in the State to be called by death.

25 Years Ago

Mayors and members of Town Councils for the seven incorporated towns of Shelby County will be chosen in elections to be held Sept. 18.

Columbiana has two candidates for mayor - Homer J. Walton and F. E. Williams; Solon E. McGraw is unopposed as mayor of Vincent; R. L. Ozley is the only candidate for mayor in Calera. The two candidates for mayor of Montevallo include C. G. Sharp and P. C. Wilson; E. B. Lindsey is the lone candidate for mayor of Wilsonville and T. S. Wallace is unopposed for mayor of Helena.

25 Years Ago

R. J. Ozley has received word that his brother, Sgt. Leonard Ozley has been wounded in action in France.

25 Years Ago

The late John R. Irby of Shelby Springs directed in his will that funds from the sale of certain property be given to some medical school for use in the study of arthritis, a disease from which Mr. Irby suffered for a number of years. Sidney W. Smyer of Birmingham was the executor and has authorized that $25,000 be donated to the school of medicine of the University of Alabama to be used as specified in his will.

25 Years Ago

The Merrell reunion will be held Sunday Sept. 24, at Mostellers Baptist Church.

25 Years Ago

Coach Braxton Baker of Shelby County High School is getting his football team in shape for the opening game which will be played Friday against Vincent.

25 Years Ago

Stephen Cowart S 2/c, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Cowart of Calera, is now stationed at Naval Operating Base in Norfolk, Va. He will soon leave for overseas duty.

25 Years Ago

The first cotton bale of 1944 was ginned at the local gin, Wednesday. It was brought in by L. C. Baker of Horseshoe Bend community.

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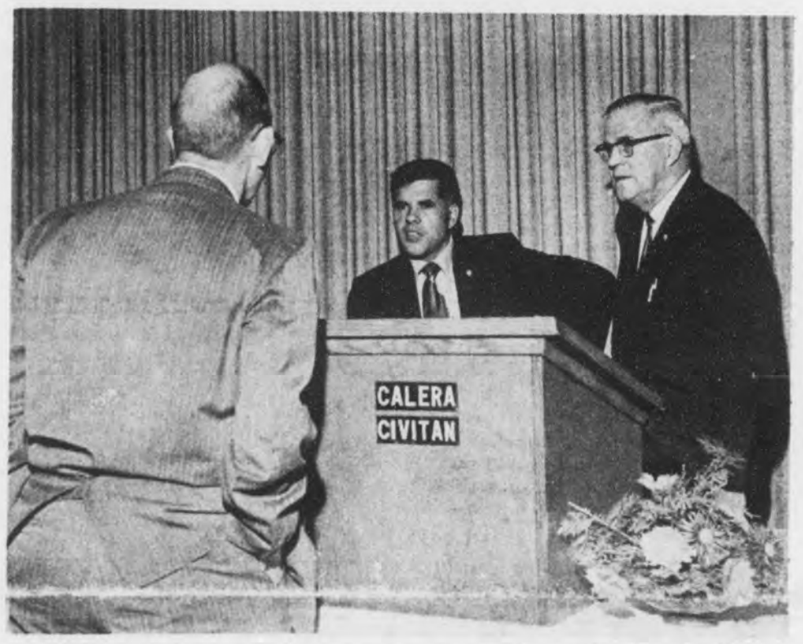
CIVITAN DINNER - - This group from Chelsea was part of the crowd of 150 Civitan members and wives from all clubs in the county to attend the club's gala annual dinner in Calera last Thursday. (Photos by Wayne Rasco)

Civitans meet



SHARING IDEAS - - Frank Bulgarella, in charge of Civitan's collegiate clubs, talks over club matters. F. E. Leonard of Columbiana is at right. The Civitans awarded Probate Judge Conrad M. Fowler their coveted Citizenship Award at the dinner.

Montevallo's mayor, council named in pool hall law test case

Montevallo is the center of a case to test the law governing pool halls in Alabama. The civil action was filed in U. S. District Court last week.

Montevallo Recreation Center, Inc. and several individuals are bringing the suit against the mayor, town council, and police chief of Montevallo, and against the Attorney General and the Governor of Alabama.

The plaintiffs also seek a temporary restraining order, a temporary and permanent injunction and damages.

The chief complaint seems to be that minors under 21 years of age are prohibited by state law from playing pool in pool halls. Montevallo has been enforcing this law. The Recreational Center seeks to have the law declared unconstitutional.

The Montevallo Recreation Center has been operating under a city license as a pool hall since February 8, 1969.

It first opened in this capacity in December 1967 and later became a private club.

Part of the complaint mentions that Montevallo's license for pool tables has increased from $100 for the first table and $5 for additional tables to its present rate of $200 for the first table and $50 for additional tables.

The plaintiffs charge the city, among other things, with harassment.

The Montevallo Recreational Center is incorporated on county records by Arthur W. Ingram, Box 74, Calera; John Burgess, 210 King Street, Montevallo and Herbert Milstead, 387 Nabors Street, Montevallo. In addition to these, the directors is composed of Kay Carder, Montevallo, and Larry Pickett, 458 Wilson Drive.

Plaintiffs in addition to the Recreational Center are Sp/4 Paul J. Knowles, 19, Montevallo; Samuel Payne, 17, Siluria; Steve Spears, 19, Montevallo; Eugene Scott, 18, Calera; Bruce Hayes, 16, Wilton; Joe Smitherman, 17; Tommy Hensley, 16, Wilton; Joe Smitherman, 17; Tommy Hensley, 16, John Boyd, 20, Roscoe Hudson, 23, Bobby Geslin, 21, John Burgess, 28; Charles Thompson, 39; Daniel Reed, 42; Harvey F. Johnson, 21; and Mack Murphy, 64, all of Montevallo, and Robert C. Chambliss of Alabaster, Manager of the Center. Others listed without age or address are Bruce Reynolds, M C. Jemison, Jr. and Mitchell Spears.

The defendants are Mayor Milton L. Orr, town councilmen T. E. Watson, J. A. Brown, Jr., Ralph Sears, Jim Seaman, J. A. Kelly and Chief of Police Robert Boyd. All of the city officials are sued in their official capacities and as individuals.

The Attorney General and Governor are named in their official capacities.

The plaintiffs also ask the Federal Court to restrain the Circuit Court of Shelby County from hearing the appeals of Harvey Johnson and Robert C. Chambliss on cases dating from last April.

Mayor Orr told the Reporter this morning that Montevallo had turned the matter over to its attorney, Karl Harrison. Orr indicated the city's intentions to stand firm saying, "If he (Chambliss) is going to stay in business in Montevallo, he's going to have to operate under the existing state laws."

Sheriff C.P. "Red" Walker discussed with the Reporter the various legal points surrounding a private club as distinguished from a public recreation center operated for profit.

He added that in his opinion, the Montevallo Recreational Center "has not been operated in the best interests of the young people of the area."

Hackney names Brown new manager

The Hackney Corporation has announced the appointment of William S. Brown as Manufacturing Manager fo the corporation. He will direct the operation of Hackney's manufacturing facilities in Birmingham and Columbiana.

Brown joined Hackney Corporation in January, 1968 as plant manager of the Birmingham wire plant. He assumed his new title August 15.

In January of this year Mr. Brown was appointed plant manager of Hackney's Columbiana plant located in Industrial Park, and will remain in this position until a new manager is assigned to the plant.

Mr. Brown was a rolling mill superintendent with Conners Steel Division of H. K. Porter Company, in Birmingham for eight years, before joining Hackney Corporation. He is a graduate of Auburn University (1957) with a degree in industrial management, and earned his Masters Degree in Business Administration from Samford University in June, 1968.

Hackney Corporation completed construction on its plant in Columbiana approximately 2 years ago, which brough more than one hundred new jobs and an annual payroll of approximately $650,000.00 into the Shelby County area.

HOWARD DRAPER

France honors Draper of ISS

Mr. Howard Draper, teacher of French at Indian Springs School in Helena, has been named to the Order of the Academic Palm.

The French Order, founded in 1808, is the highest award the French Government can bestow for services rendered in

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State Bar admits Dr. Sara Morgan

Dr. Sara Ruth Posey Morgan of Montevallo was admitted to the bar to practice law in Alabama in ceremonies held in Montgomery on September 12.

A member of the University of Montevallo faculty since 1944, Mrs. Morgan holds the Doctor of Jurisprudence Degree from the Cumberland School of Law at Samford Universtiy.

Mrs. Morgan is an associate professor in the College of Business Administration at UM. She holds a B.Sc degree from Asheville College and Ashville Law School and an MS degree from the University of Tennessee.

She becomes the only resident woman attorney in Shelby County and one of the few women attorneys in the state.

DR. SARA POSEY MORGAN

FHA loans important in relieving Shelby County's housing shortage

By Marcia M. Sears

Say "government agency" to a lot of people and you will get a groan in reply.

Red tape, bureauocracy, endless forms, politics are among the images that leap to mind.

People tend to forget that every government agency was initially designed to fill a real need. Many are doing an excellent job in living up to the hopes their legislative sponsors had for them.

Among these agencies is the federal Farmers Home Administration.

The Shelby County Reporter recently interviewed S.S."Sam" Pierce, Supervisor of FHA in Shelby County and found that among other things, the FHA is providing decent housing to hundreds of Shelby Countians who could not otherwise have afforded it.

The FHA does this by loaning money to people who cannot get loans from private lending sources. At the moment, there are 186 individual families in Shelby County living in improved housing through FHA loans. Many other county families have repaid their FHA loans in past years. The principal balance due on loans in the county at present is $3,800,000.

Improving housing of people who live in rural areas is one of the major reasons for FHA's existence. All of Shelby County is considered rural since no town has a population above 5,500.

An applicant must be without decent, safe and sanitary housing or without farm service buildings essential to the success of his farming operation to qualify. He must have sufficient income to pay operating and family living expenses and meet payment on debts, including the proposed rural housing loan. He must possess the character, ability and experience to carry out the undertakings and operations required of him in connection with a rural housing loan.

A three-member committee studies applications and approves or disapproves them. Members of this committee are Roy G. Fleming, Harpersville; Onie E. B. Hughes, Columbiana and Sam T. Farmer, Wilsonville.

As an example of the care with which these loans are granted and supervised, there have been no foreclosures in the 19 years Pierce has been FHA supervisor in the county.

He told the Reporter the first loan he made was paid off long ago and added that when a person acquires enough equity in the home he is expected to re-finance with private lenders.

Individuals have to live up to several government standards, but the government expects the borrowers to do the planning and make most of the decisions. The borrower furnishes his own plans and selects his own contractor.

Pierce said most loans in the county are made for a 20 to 25 year period with a maximum of 33 years. Loans are approved in varying amounts depending on the size and need of the family. Homes are expected to be economically designed, and modest in size, design and cost.

Pierce points out that rural housing loans encourage people to live in rural areas, help check the flow of people to urban areas and encourage city dwellers to live in the country if they can find employment there.

In general it can be said that the program raises living standards and makes rural communities attractive locations for the development and expansion of rural industry.

Rural housing loans may be used to build, improve or repair rural homes and related facilities or farm service buildings or to provide water for farmstead and household use. In addition to major construction, funds are available to modernize homes, add bathrooms, central heating, modern kitchens and other home improvements as well as to enlarge or remodel farm service buildings.

Loan funds also may be used to buy an existing house and lot or to buy a minimum adequate site on which to build the house.

S. S. "SAM" PIERCE

Families may refinance debts with FHA funds on its home under certain conditions.

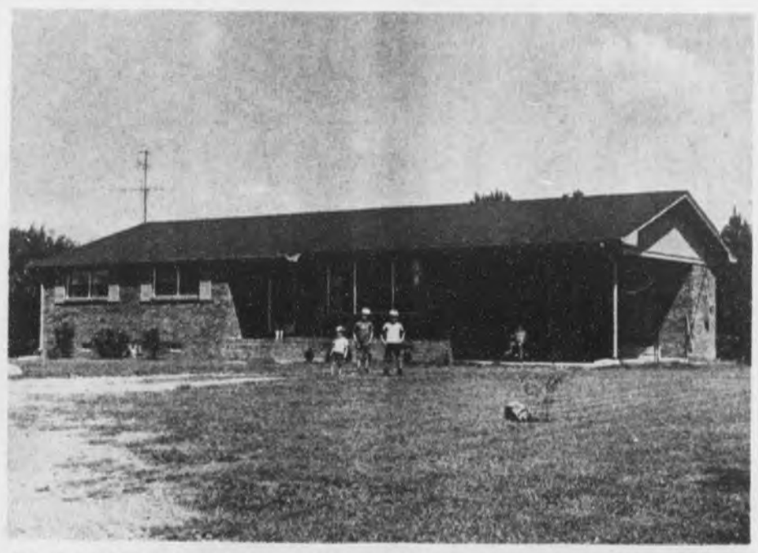
Another important type of loan is for the construction of rental units. In Shelby County such loans have been made for the construction of 74 rental units.

The agency also makes loans for farm and home operating expenses, buying and developing family farms, water development and soil conservation, rural water and waste disposal systems, developing small water-shed projects and for emergency credit needs.

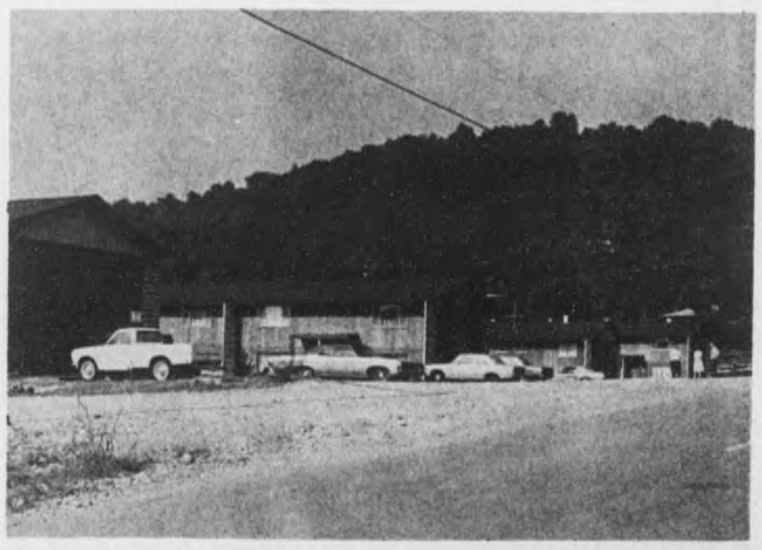
The work of the FHA in Shelby County has increased so that a year ago an assistant supervisor, Raymond Cobb, was added to the staff. Mrs. Ruby H. Thigpen is county office clerk.

Supervising the central Alabama district is J. B. Turner, Jr. of Columbiana.

NEW HOME THROUGH FHA - - Contractor Hollins Hilyer greets Janice Jones as she arrives for a final inspection before moving into her new home in Columbiana. The five room house has panel walls and a modern kitchen. (Photos by Ed Blake)



ON A VINCENT HILLTOP - - Kyle, Kevin, and Keith sons of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Green, play happily on the lawn of their home in Vincent. They lived in a mobile home before their FHA financed home was completed in February.



APARTMENTS TOO - - The Meadow View Apartments at Pelham are financed through FHA to alleviate the serious rental housing shortage in the county. James L. King opened the first of 26 units a year ago and has had 100 per cent occupancy. For additional photo see page 9.

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

Judge Conrad M. Fowler testified Wednesday before the Senate Finance Committee in Washington D. C. He appeared in his official capacity of President of the National Association of Counties. Five other officials of the NAOC joined Judge Fowler in a panel presentation to the committee.

Two burglaries last weekend at Wilton Texaco station and at a shop on Highway 25 in Montevallo were investigated by the sheriff's department. Johnnie Lee Colbert, 60, was arrested in Vestavia on suspicion of the burglaries.

Sheriff C. P. "Red" Walker addressed the Montevallo Business and Professional Women's Club last week on the subject of juvenile problems. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Roberts, Jr.

Circuit District Attorney James H. Sharbutt told the Reporter that Joseph Raymond Harmon has been found to be of sound mind after mental examinations at Bryce Hospital. As a result of the examination it is expected he will go on trial in Circuit Court this November on charges of armed robbery, burglary and rape.

The Board of Revenue in its meeting Monday granted 10-year tax exemptions to National Standards, Inc., Cheney Bigelow and the Bethea Corporation.

The Board voted to borrow $30,000 on September 30 for expenses. Central State Bank, Calera, Merchants and Planters Bank, Montevallo, and the First Bank of Alabaster will each loan the county $10,000.

Requests were made of the Southern Railway to install flashing signals at crossings at Dogwood and Turner Station.

The Board will meet September 29 to discuss the budget for the coming fiscal year.

Bowdon Motors of Calera was low bidder to supply county vehicles with anti-freeze. The price quoted was $1.35 per gallon in quart containers or $1.25 per gallon in gallon containers.

Larry Edmondson has joined the police force at Pelham as a full time officer. He will work with Chief Jimmy Thompson and four special policemen.

CYNTHIA BATHURST

STEVE SEARS

Bathurst, Sears Merit semi-finalists

By Mildred W. Wallace

Shelby County to the top again as records reveal the result of the competitive tests taken by high school students last February in the National Merit Scholarship program, and we proudly step up to congratulate Steven Sears, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sears of Montevallo, a student at Indian Springs School, who is numbered among the semi-finalists; and Cynthia Bathurst, of Shelby County High School, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bathurst of Wilsonville, who is also numbered among the students who met the required challenge and scored highest in the qualifying tests.

This coveted recognition will doubtless furnish the inspiration for these young students to continue in the finalist competition for the $1,000 National Merit Scholarship, or for the additional limited number of four-year scholarships provided by 400 colleges and other organizations and individuals.

Montevallo News

By Bert Seaman

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Killian of Knoxville, Tenn., were here over the weekend visiting friends. They were entertained at a Sunday night supper at Mr. and Mrs. Nick LaGrone's, at a coffee on Monday morning given by Mrs. D. R. McMillan, at lunch at Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lawler, Sr. and supper Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Eddings. The Killians now have 12 grandchildren, the latest additions being twins, born last month to Mr. and Mrs. David Yother of Atlanta, Ga.

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Mrs. Addie Edwards celebrated her 80th birthday this past Monday. She has 27 grandchildren, 29 great grandchildren and one great-great grandchild. Of her eight children, three are still living; Herman, Howard and Mrs. Ione Fancher.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Mahan, Sr. have as their guest this week Mrs. Jean Pittman of Tullahoma, Tenn.

Litter costs

The Anti-Litter campaign conducted by the state highway department in June and July netted 3,891,244 gallons of litter, and cost $246,924.

Vote 'Yes'–

Revenue board urges tax support

By Conrad Fowler

Details for the local election in Shelby County on October 7 are falling into place. Voters on that date will determine if approximately $190,000 per year in additional revenue is to be provided the County Highway Department.

A "Yes" vote on the 1-cent gasoline tax issue means a vote to continue the highway construction and maintenance program at the level we have experienced in the past two years, with the possibility of improvement in some areas. Those of us who are close to the operation of the Department know that a "No" vote is a vote to reduce a substantial portion of the county road program.

The revenue for road purposes has been reduced by better than $250,000 per year since 1967; this due to alterations made on the state level of the tax procedures relating to local government.

At the same time, cost of operations has increased substantially. Our predicament at this point is less money available at a time when demands for service, both maintenance and construction, are increasing, and a road dollar, like all other dollars, that is diminishing in value.

The Board of Revenue gives assurance to you that we have proposed a new revenue measure only because we know of the severe decline in construction and maintenance services that is ahead if we do not provide more revenue. If the "No" vote prevails we will do the best that we can but we know that the road program will fall well below that to which you have become accustomed.

The number of voting machines for the election has been reduced from 51 to 34, but there will be one machine in each voting place in the county. Absentee ballots are now available in the office of the Clerk of Courts. Polls will be open from 8:00 till 6:00.

Vote 'No'

Petroleum Council against gasoline tax

By Shelby County Petroleum Council

It is obvious that gasoline is now bearing a far greater burden of taxation than even luxury products. And gasoline, of course, is far removed from the luxury classification. It supplies the motive power for our vital highway transportation system and is, in many respects, the very lifeblood of our economy. A tax on gasoline, in the final analysis, means higher consumer prices for food and other vital products which are transported by motor vehicle. Not only would the pyramiding of another tax upon the existing special imposts on motor fuel be highly inequitable, but it would also be a further spur to the already dangerous inflationary price spiral.

Holladay serves

Hugh Ed Holladay of Pell City is serving as vice president of District Six for the University of Alabama National Alumni Association.

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Westover News

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Shirley and children, Jimmy and Rita, have returned from a most enjoyable and interesting vacation-trip to upper New York State and Canada; stopping in Williamson, with a sister, Mrs. Gordon Burlee, and in Sodus, with other relatives.

They reported that the Burlee's are fruit farmers, with orchards on the banks of Lake Ontario. They were harvesting apples, peaches, pears, and plums. The "Gerber" people were coming in to harvest the prunes for their baby foods. While apples are their main crop, they grow these other fruits in abundance.

Mr. Burlee is a native of Holland and operates three fruit farms in this area.

An interesting side trip for the Shirleys was over to the Thousand Islands, which they reported was a beautiful sight, and they then motored across to Canada for more sight-seeing.

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Frank Elliott remains ill in the Shelby Memorial Hospital. We miss Frank around Westover and it is hard to believe that the "bug" can immobilize him for this period of time. We hope that the next news from him will be better.

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The last report I had about Mrs. Ella Lybrand was that she continues ill in the Baptist Medical Center, Montclair. We hope she will be able to return home soon.

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At the Baptist Medical Center, Montclair Road, Mrs. Joe Slimp is ill. We wish for her an early recovery.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Hatcher and son, Alan, visited the Hatcher and Strother families for the week-end. Mrs. Floyd Hatcher, from Huntsville, is also a visitor in the Hatcher home, while Floyd is in Oklahoma in school.

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Two very small, but adorable, newcomers to our community are being very much admired by everyone. The David Davis's on Pumpkin Swamp Road are proudly acclaiming, "It's a boy!". While the Charles Champion's on Highway 280, East, are just as happily saying, "It's a girl!" These new citizens are David Davis, Junior, and Tina Leigh Champion. We say "Welcome," to each of them.

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The Westover Homemaking Extension Club met at the home of Mrs. John G. Reese, on Highway 280, West, last week, with Mrs. Elsie Jones, president, presiding. Since this was the first business meeting for three months, numerous business items were brought before the Club. An interesting demonstration was given by Miss Marian Cotney, who pointed out some do's and don'ts to be considered when buying a coat. One very important bit of advice to the consumer is that garment producers are no longer required to label their goods as "Inspected," and it is almost impossible to return a garment which has flaws in it. So, Beware!

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One of our oldest and loveliest homes burned last Saturday night. This was at one time known as the "Lee" place, and later as the "John Rasco" place. I was unable to learn the name of the present owner, but it was being occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fortner and two children. The Fortner's were away from home at the time the home burned and were unable to save anything. However, as Westover friends have always proven themselves to be, they are alert to the needs of this family. Today, Monday, there are two quiltings scheduled - - one at Mt. Signal Church, and one at Union Church, where needles are already busily making new coverings for these chilly nights. On Thursday night, there will be a "pounding" for this family at the Union Church, from five until eight. I understand that Becky wears a size 16 and Ted, a size 32 waist. The babies are 18 months and 2 months old.

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Rusty Smith, who was involved in an automobile accident the first of July, is celebrating his eighth birthday today, even though he is still in casts from the waist down. His grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Gardner, told me that they expect these casts to be removed next Thursday. This was Rusty's third auto accident to be a victim of. We sincerely wish for Rusty a "Happy Birthday", but most of all many, many more years free from accidents.

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The regular Fourth Saturday Night Gospel Singing will be at Mt. Zion Baptist Church, in Westover, on September 27, at 7:30. The Adams family will be guest singers at this time. Everyone is invited! Submitted by Mrs. Ruby Gardner, Chairman.

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MR. AND MRS. GARY RUSSELL GORE

Miss Martin weds Gary Russell Gore

Miss Mickey Louise Martin became the bride of Gary Russell Gore (former resident of Columbiana) on the evening of Saturday, August 30, at seven-thirty in the Memorial Chapel of the First Baptist Church in Opelika. The Rev. J. T. Ford, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. William T. Pike and the late Mr. Bennett Martin of Opelika, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Gore of Zachary, Louisiana.

A musical program presented by Miss Karen Jinright, organist, and Mr. Bill Hornbuckle, soloist, preceded the ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her step-father, Mr. William T. Pike. She wore an Empire gown of candlelight silk organza designed with a bodice featuring a Florentine neckline and short sleeves of Chantilly lace. The bodice and A-line skirt were adorned with pearl-trimmed appliqued lace and the chapel train, attached beneath a Dior bow at the back waistline, was edged in scalloped lace. Her bouffant veil of silk illusion fell from a cluster of lace petals and she carried a colonial bouquet of pink carnations, lavender asters, chrysanthemums, yellow daisies and white roses completed with maize and ivory streamers.

Mrs. Larkin Wade of Auburn, was matron of honor and the bridesmaides were Miss Judi Ellison, Miss Ginger Starr, Miss Angle Townsend and Mrs. Lewis Edge Jr.

They wore identical A-line gowns of Mediterranean blue chiffon over taffeta created with a mandarin collar with appliqued flowers which were repeated down the front of the dress. Matching accessories and triple-layered hair bows accented with illusion completed their costumes. They carried nosegay arrangements of yellow daisy chrysanthemums with leather leaf fern and satin streamers. Wendy Wade of Auburn was flower girl.

Mr. Gore was his son's best man and the ushers were Johnny Lawrence of Prattville, Anthony Joseph of Columbiana, Allen Gore of Auburn and Larkin Wade of Auburn.

A reception in the Fellowship Hall of the church followed, after which the young couple left for a wedding trip to points of interest in Florida. They will make their home in Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Gore, parents of the groom, hosted a luncheon at Pines Rest, Opelika preceding the wedding honoring the out of town guests who were present.

Society Page And Personal Mention

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Fall is here

Early risers do not need the calendar to tell them that autumn is here. You can feel a definite tang of Fall in the air foretelling its official arrival on Sept. 23. But long before this date, cool, crisp mornings have been in evidence. There is also a definite hint of color on the trees heralding the coming event.

One of my sportsmen friends writes saying: "There is something about the smell of Fall that is easily identifiable with quiet woodland paths that for uncounted centuries knew nothing but the tread of wildlife and the moccasined Indian etc." - - This, of course, is the vision of America that so many of us would like to preserve as nearly as possible in fact as well as fancy. And thanks to the efforts of a great many citizens in public and in private life, the prospect is growing that this vision will be preserved. Forest trails and wilderness areas are now classed among our nation's most treasured assets. Plans for making our parks more beautiful and attractive are on many agendas for fall activity. Clubs in and around Shelby County are becoming more nature conscious and are including projects of this kind for study on their programs for the winter season.

Indian Summer is another name for early autumn - -"when the leaves begin to turn". The season truly is radiantly beautiful with its mixture of purple and deep rich red hues - - but be that as it may - - there is also a tinge of sadness as we watch Queen Summer gather up her vernal robes and prepare to abdicate her throne in favor of King Winter - - and a bit o'melancholy gets us as we watch the leaves come tumbling down - - or - - thats the way it looks to this writer through the office window this brisk September morning as we make preparations to take a walk "Up and Down Main" and find out who went where and why. Care to come along?

M.W.W.

Culture Club begins fifty-fourth year

Members of the Culture Club met Sept. 11, at the home of Mrs. J. I. Harrison with Mrs. Homer J. Walton as co–hostess.

Mrs. Howard Hall, president, welcomed all members back following the summer vacation. Three new members were added to the roll: Mrs. R. H. Crawford, Mrs. E. E. Peavy and Mrs. W. J. Spires.

Mrs. H. A. Jackson gave the meditation and Mrs. J. T. Davis presented a resume of the programs for the year; each member having made her own book cover a vote was taken for the most attractive and Mrs. H. S. Atchison won the contest.

The Fall Rummage Sale was announced for Oct. 3 and 4.

The next meeting will be held in Birmingham at the home of Mrs. John Latham who will assist Mrs. A. Page Sloss in giving the program which will be a history of Prayer Point and the late "Bro. Bryan". Members will go as a group to Birmingham and enjoy a box luncheon at the end of the program.

The Culture Club is the oldest club in Columbiana. It was organized in 1910 and federated in 1915. This year marks the beginning of its 54th year.

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Mrs. J. B. Carter of Chelsea has been added to the clerical personnel in the office of Tax Assessor.

MISS SANDRA FAYE LOVELADY

Miss Lovelady plans November wedding

Mr. and Mrs. John Robert Lovelady of Helena, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sandra Faye to David Warren Bailey, son of Mrs. Virginia Bailey and Mr. Robert Howard Bailey of Helena.

Grandparents of the bride-elect are: Mrs. R. H. Lovelady and the late Mr. R. H. Lovelady of Helena; and the late Mrs. Mae Johnson Stanley of Helena, and the late Mr. W. D. Johnson of Centreville.

Miss Lovelady is a graduate of Montevallo University and is currently teaching in the Helena Elementary School. While in Montevallo University she was president of the University's branch of Association of Childhood Education International.

Grandparents of the bridegroom-elect are: Mrs. Lois Anderson of Montgomery and the late Mr. Ernest Anderson of Helena; and the late Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Bailey of Helena.

Mr. Bailey is a graduate of the University of Alabama majoring in accounting and is a member of the Beta Alpha Psi fraternity.

The wedding is planned for November 22, 1969 and will be solemnized in the Helena Baptist Church.

Storkline Express

Ct/1 Louie and Mrs. Armstrong of Pensacola, Fla., announce the arrival of a daughter who was born on September 5. They have named the new addition to their family Shannon Lee. Her grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Armstrong of Shelby; and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bailey of Valley Dale Road.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cosby, former residents of Columbiana, now living in Anna Maria, Florida, are spending a few days in "The Pines", home of Miss Dorothy Parker near Harpersville.

Miss Connie Seale weds Mr. Smith

In the presence of the families and a few close friends, the marriage of Miss Connie Seale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Seale of Calera, and Edward Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith of Wilsonville, was impressively solemnized in the Shelby Baptist Church on the evening of Sept. 12, at six-thirty o'clock. The Rev. Bill Hines officiated using the double ring ceremony.

Miss Cecelia Seale was honor attendant. The bride wore a street length white linen afternoon frock and carried an arrangement of pink sweetheart roses interspersed with white net on a white Bible.

The young couple now resides in Columbiana in the McGiboney apartment on Thompson Street. Mrs. Smith is employed as a clerk in the Probate Office and Mr. Smith is a student at Childersburg Trade School.

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Regret to learn that Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Walton and their "adorables" have moved from Columbiana to Harpersville. Mr. Walton has accepted a position with Liberty National Insurance Co., which necessitated the move. This entire family will be a definite asset to the Harpersville community. Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell Peoples have rented the Walton home on the cut off.

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Deward Averett home on leave

SFC John Deward Averett, has completed eleven years with the U. S. Army and has returned to Columbiana upon the completion of a one year tour of duty in Vietnam as a

DEWARD AVERETT

member of the First Air Cavalry Division.

During his patriotic service in Vietnam he was awarded the Bronze Star. Air Medal, Vietnam Cross of Gallantry, Vietnam Service Medal, Vietnam Campaign Ribbon and Vietnam Presidential Unit Citation. He arrived in Columbiana Sept. 14 to be reunited with his family - Mrs. Deward Averett (Martha Muse of Westover) and their two children, Renee and John Averett, who have remained in Columbiana during his absence.

The distinguished soldier is a member of the 1955 graduating class of SCHS and the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Averett of Columbiana. His new military assignment, following a well earned leave, will take him and his family to Fort Rucker, Alabama.

In the meantime, a "Welcome Home" and the red carpet treatment is being extended Deward by his many friends and former classmates in Columbiana.

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We are glad to learn that Miss Irene Bishop is recovering satisfactorily following eye surgery last week at the Eye Foundation Clinic in Birmingham.

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The new and modern Style Shoppe on Main, owned by Mickey Murray and Judy Whitson, held a Formal Opening Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Wrenn who have been the guests of her brother, Mr. Frank Suttle and Mrs. Suttle, have returned to their home in Newhall, California.

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Mrs. Cleveland White has accepted a clerical position during the upcoming tag-buying season in the Tax Collector's office. Despite the heavy mail orders already received, the annual long line of last minute license buyers is anticipated. October 1 - - is the initial day you may purchase your new auto license tag - - and the deadline for this required blue and white plate is - - Nov. 15. Buy early and avoid the rush.

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The Rev. Ronnie Phillips, pastor of the Four Mile Baptist Church has resigned and will enter a Seminary to further his education in full time ministry. Mr. Phillips is a dynamic speaker and made many friends during his stay in Shelby County who will be following with keen personal interest his future field for ministerial service.

Rev. Oliver Joins Scandinavia Mission Trip

The Rev. Burl Oliver left Columbiana Wednesday (Sept 24) and joined a group of 30 ministers and laymen from the North Alabama Conference to go to Stockholm on a preaching mission among the Methodist people of Northern Europe. They will be the guests of Bishop Odd Hagen. He will return October 9.

The Columbiana Methodist Church made possible his acceptance of this honor. The pulpit will be filled during Mr. Oliver's absence by the Rev. Clyde Crim, the Rev. Gerald A. Champion, the Rev. Jim Merrell Merrell and the Rev. T. A. Higgins.

MISS CYNTHIA SPANN

Miss Spann to wed Leon L. Barton

The wedding of Miss Cynthia Spann and Larry Barton of Miami, Florida will be solemnized October 18 at the First Presbyterian Church of Orlando, Florida.

Parents of the couple are Mrs. Julian L. Zenitz and Mr. Carl McKinley Spann of Orlando, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon L. Barton, Alabaster.

Grandparents of the bride-elect are the late Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Bond and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Spann of Dalton, Georgia. The groom's grandparents are Mrs. J. L. Barr and the late Mr. Barr of Birmingham and the late Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Barton, Lynn, Alabama.

The bride-elect was graduated from the Howey Academy Prep School, Howey-in-the- Hills, Florida. She attended Tampa University, where she was a member of the Orientation Committee.

Mr. Barton is a graduate of Thompson High School and Alabama College in Montevallo, with a degree in business administration. In college he was president of the Men's Business Club, vice president of the Meisters Social Club, member of the Student Senate, a dormitory counselor and resident assistant.

After a wedding trip to Europe the couple will live in Miami, Florida.

Alfred Talton gets birthday surprise

Mrs. Alfred Talton and children hosted a surprise dinner party Sept. 14 in honor of Mr. Talton's 55th birthday at the Talton home in the Kingdom Community.

This was the first family reunion that has been possible since fire destroyed the Riley home and as a result of this tragedy, Mrs. Mollie Riley, mother of Mrs. Talton and Mrs. Frances Mosley lost their lives.

Present to enjoy the delectable birthday dinner and to extend best wishes to Mr. Talton on the above mentioned occasion were: Mrs. Talton, Thomas, Betty and Greg Talton; Sue, Bill, Luther, Bobby and Jody Wooten; Ronald, Sandra, Terry, Renee and Scott Talton; Dale, Betty and Benny Talton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Stinson have returned to Columbiana after enjoying a vacation motoring through the Tennessee mountains.

Revival Services

Revival services will be conducted at the Shelby Church of God beginning Sunday, September 28, and continuing through Saturday night, October 4. Services will be held nightly at 7 o'clock.

The Rev. C. R. Simmons will be the evangelist.

The Rev. Thomas George, pastor, extends an invitation for the public to attend the services.

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Mrs. Nell Shortnacy and Mrs. Bernice Ticen spent Sunday in Tuscaloosa, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bailey (Janice Ticen). This occasion marked a birthday anniversary for Mrs. Ticen and a delectable dinner in her honor made the day a memorable one.

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The Youth of the First Baptist Church and their friends will be glad to know that the announcement made by Gaines Hyche Minister of Music and Youth last Sunday evening that the "Recreation program would be discontinued until further notice" - - was only a temporary shut down.

Fact is, Mr. Hyche will resume directing weekly recreation meetings through the fall and winter months.

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Registration Notice

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE REGISTRATION LAWS, TITLE 17, SECTION 26, CODE OF ALABAMA, 1940, THE REGISTRARS OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA, DO HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT THE FOLLOWING APPOINTMENTS ARE SET FOR THE PURPOSE OF REGISTERING THOSE QUALIFIED UNDER THE LAW TO REGISTER AS ELECTORS:

Precinct Number

2 at Jordons Barn 9-12 A.M. on Oct 8, 1969
3 at City Hall, Calera 9-12 A.M. on Oct 9, 1969
4 at City Hall, Montevallo 9-12 A.M. on Oct 10, 1969
1 at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Oct 11, 1969
5 at Mitchell Home, Bamford 9-12 A.M. on Oct 13, 1969
6 at City Hall, Helena 9-12 A.M. on Oct 14, 1969
7 Box 2 at City Hall, Siluria 9-12 A.M. on Oct 15, 1969
7 Box 1 at Community Center, Saginaw 9-12 A.M. on Oct 16, 1969
8 at Weldon Store, Chelsea 9-12 A.M. on Oct 17, 1969
1 at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Oct 18, 1969
1 at Court House, Columbiana 9 A.M. - 3 P.M. on Oct 20, 1969
9 Box 1 at City Hall, Wilsonville 9-12 A.M. on Oct 21, 1969
9 Box 2 at Blaylock Store 9-12 A.M. on Oct 22, 1969
10 at City Hall, Harpersville 9-12 A.M. on Oct 23, 1969
11 at Archer Store, Westover 9-12 A.M. on Oct 24, 1969
1 at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Oct 25, 1969
12 at New Hope Community Center 9-12 A.M. on Oct 27, 1969
13 at Lake Purdy Cross Roads 9-12 A.M. on Oct 28, 1969
14 at Watson Store, Vandiver 9-12 A.M. on Oct 29, 1969
15 at Anderson Store, Sterrett 9-12 A.M. on Oct 30, 1969
1 at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Nov 1, 1969
1 at Court House, Columbiana 9 A.M. - 3 P.M. on Nov 3, 1969
16 at City Hall, Vincent 9-12 A.M. on Nov 4, 1969
17 Box 2 at City Hall, Alabaster 9-12 A.M. on Nov 5, 1969
17 Box 1 at City Hall, Pelham 9-12 A.M. on Nov 6, 1969
18 at Bowdon Store, Dunnavant 9-12 A.M. on Nov 7, 1969
1 at Court House, Columbiana 9-12 A.M. on Nov 8, 1969
19 Box 1 at Union Hall, Maylene 9-12 A.M. on Nov 10, 1969
19 Box 2 at Community Center, Dogwood 9-12 A.M. on Nov 11, 1969
20 at Mayberry School, Pearidge 9-12 A.M. on Nov 12, 1969
21 at Crocker Store, Moores Cross Rd 9-12 A.M. on Nov 13, 1969
1 Box 2 at Davis Store, Shelby 9-12 A.M. on Nov. 14, 1969

T. C. Sumner, Chairman
D. J. Ratliff
S.M. Mahan
Registrars Shelby County

No person shall be registered except at the court house or in the precinct or ward where he or she resides.
9-18, 25, 1969 †77

Mortgage
Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Mary E. Daniel and husband, Gideon H. Daniel to Jack Talyor on the 19th day of February 1965, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 292, Page 371, Record of Mortgages, which said mortgage was duly transferred and assigned to American National Bank of Birmingham on the 19th day of February, 1965 by instrument recorded in Volume 234, Page 361, in said Probate Office, the undersigned, National Bank of Commerce, formerly known as American National Bank of Birmingham, as mortgagee - transferee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Shelby County Courthouse at Columbiana, Alabama, on the 15th day of October, 1969, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Begin at the NW corner of the SW¼ of the NW¼ of Sec. 21, Tp. 19, S., Range 2 West; thence run East along the North boundary line of said SW¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 21, Tp. 19 S., R. 2 W., 439.04 feet, more or less, to a point on the West right of way line of County Road; No. 17; thence turn an angle of 111 deg. 16' to the right and run Southwesterly along the West right of way line of said road 118.7 ft.; thence turn an angle of 1 deg. 48' to the right and continue along the West R. O. W. line of said road 100.0 ft.; thence turn an angle of 2 deg. 29' to the right and continue along the West right of way line of said road 100.0 ft; thence turn an angle of 2 deg. 38' to the right and continue along the West R. O. W. line of said road 100.0 ft.; thence turn an angle of 2 deg. 59' to the right and continue along the West R.O.W. line of said road 100.0 ft.; thence turn an angle of 2 deg. 35' to the right and continue along the West R.O.W. line of said road 100.0 ft.; thence turn an angle of 1 deg. 27' to the right and continue along the West R.O.W. line of said road 119.65 ft.; thence turn an angle of 3 deg. 18' to the right and continue along the West R.O.W. line of said road 93.46 feet, more or less, to the point of intersection of the West R.O.W. line of said road and the West boundary line of the SW¼ of the NW¼ of Sec. 21, Township 19, South, Range 2 West; thence turn an angle of 138 deg. 58' to the right and run North along the West boundary line of the SW¼ of the NW¼, Sec. 21, Township 19, South, Range 2 West, for 722.02 ft more or less, to the point of beginning. Being a part of SW¼ of NW¼, Sec. 21, Township 19 South, Range 2 West, and being 4.09 acres, more or less, situated in Shelby County, Alabama. Mineral and mining rights excepted and reserved.

This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.

National Bank of Commerce, formerly known as American National Bank of B'ham
Mortgagee-Transferee
Charles L. Denaburg
1201 Brown Marx Bldg.
Birmingham, Alabama
Attorney for Mortgagee-Transferee
9-25, 10-2,9,1969 †91.

Legal Notice
The State of Alabama, Shelby County
PROBATE COURT,
September 19, 1969
This day came Lee Reinhardt, Guardian of the Estate of Effie S. Reinhardt, a person of unsound mind, now deceased, and files his accounts, vouchers, evidence and statement for a final settlement of his said Administration of said Guardianship Estate.
It is ordered that the 21st day of October, 1969 at 10:00 A.M., be, and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 19th day of September, 1969.
s/Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
9-25, 10-2,9,1969 †92.

Estate of James B. Higgins Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of administration with the Will Annexed of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 12th day of September, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
MRs. Jade H. Cole
Administratrix with the Will Annexed
9-18,25,—10,2,1969. †90.

Notice To Contractors
Project No. State-1671-E (Federal Safety Project IS-68-1-001)
Chambers, Clay, Cleburne, Coosa, Lee, Macon, Randolph, Shelby, Talladega & Tallapoosa Counties, ALABAMA

Sealed bids will be received by the Alabama Highway Director at the office of the Alabama Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 10:00 o'clock A.M., September 26, 1969, and at that time publicly opened for Furnishing and Installing Mileposts on various roads.
The entire project shall be completed by April 15, 1970.
Proposal fee is $5.00. Plans are available for 30 cents. Plans and proposals are available in Room 304 of the Highway Department. No refunds will be made.
Minimum wage rates for this project have been pre-determined by the Secretary of Labor and are set forth in the advertised specifications and are subject to the Work Hours Act of 1962, PL 87-581, and Implementing regulations.
Certified check or bid bond for 5% of bid (Maximum - $10,000.00) made payable to the Alabama Highway Department must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith.
The proposed work shall be performed in conformity with the rules and regulations for carrying out the 1966 Federal Highway Safety Act, as amended.
Plans and Specifications are on file in Room 304 of the Alabama Highway Department at Montgomery, Alabama 36104.
In accordance with the rules and regulations of the Alabama Highway Department, proposals will be issued only to prequalified contractors or their authorized representatives, upon requests that are received before ten o'clock A.M., on the day previous to the day of opening of bids.
The Alabama Highway Department, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252) and the Regulations of the Department of Commerce (15 C.F.R., Part 8), issued pursuant to such Act hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the ground of race, color, or national origin.
The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.
R. G. Kendall, Jr.
Highway Director
9-11,18,25 † 3

LEGAL NOTICE
WILLIE PEARL HARDIN EDWARDS, COMPLAINANT, VS. THOMAS HUGH EDWARDS, RESPONDENT
IN THE LAW AND EQUITY COURT OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA CASE NO. 1439
ORDER OF PUBLICATION
In this cause it being made to appear to the Court and to the Register of the Court, by the affidavit of the complainant in the above entitled cause that the respondent Thomas Hugh Edwards is over the age of 21 years and a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Alabama and that the respondent is concealing himself so that process of this Court cannot be served upon him, it is, therefore:
CONSIDERED, ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that publication be made in the Shelby County Reporter, a newspaper published in Shelby County, Alabama, for four consecutive weeks requiring the said Thomas Hugh Edwards to appear and plead to, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in the said cause by the 29 day of Sept., 1969, or in thirty days thereafter suffer decree pro confesso to be rendered against him.
Witness my hand and seal this 27 day of August, 1969.
L. G. Fulton
Ex-Officio Register,
Law & Equity Court
of Shelby County, Alabama
9-4, 11, 18, 25, 1969 †78

Legal Notice
The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
In Law and Equity Court, In Equity
Case No. 1425
Joyce Jean Holcombe Complainant
s. Vs.
Thomas Glenn Holcombe Respondent In this cause it being made to appear to the Register by affidavit of Joyce Jean Holcombe that the Respondent is a non-resident of Alabama, and that his postoffice address is unknown, and further that in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Shelby County Reporter a newspaper published in Columbiana, Shelby County, Ala., once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring Respondent, the said Thomas Glenn Holcombe to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 1st day of Oct. 1969, or in thirty days thereafter a decree Pro Confesso may be taken against him.
Done at office in Columbiana, Ala., this the 29 day of August, 1969
Filed in Office Aug. 29, 1969
L. G. Fulton Register.
9-11,18,25,—10-2,1969†85.

NOTICE OF
FORECLOSURE SALE
Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage dated the 5th day of May, 1966, executed by Robert I. Meadows, an unmarried man to City Federal Savings & Loan Association, which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 300, Page 415 Record of Mortgages, and said mortgage now being in default and subject to foreclosure, the undersigned has elected to declare the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage to be due and payable as provided by said mortgage, and notice is hereby given that pursuant to law and the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the undersigned will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the main entrance of the Shelby County Courthouse in Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on the 20th day of October, 1969, the following described real estate situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:
Commence at the SW corner of the SW1/4 of NW1/4, Section 3, Township 24 North, Range 12 East and from said SW corner run a distance of 794.75 feet on a bearing of North 11 degrees 33' East to a point; thence turn an angle of 62degrees 06' to the right for a distance of 128.00 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the left for a distance of 84.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 15.5 feet to a point on the North side of a public driveway; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 15.0 feet to the South side of said driveway to the point of beginning of lot herein described; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the left along said driveway for a distance of 57.42 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 131.75 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 57.42 feet to the East side of a public driveway; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right along said Driveway for a distance of 131.75 feet to the point of beginning, said lot being a part of Block 4 of Seamon D. Brown Survey of East Montevallo, situated in Shelby County, Alabama.
City Federal Savings & Loan Association,
Mortgagee
Lange, Simpson, Robinson & Somerville,
Attorneys for Mortgagee
9-18,25,—10,2,1969 †88.

FORECLOSURE NOTICE
STATE OF ALABAMA
SHELBY COUNTY
Default having been made in payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by J.M. Fleming and wife, Bessie Fleming to Shelby County Savings and Loan Association of Columbiana, dated February 22, 1964 and recorded in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama in Mortgage Book 286, page 740, and such default continuing, the undersigned will sell for cash at public outcry between the legal hours of sale at the Shelby County Courthouse door (front entrance) in the City of Columbiana, Alabama, on the 18th day of October, 1969, the following described real estate situated in the County of Shelby, State of Alabama, to-wit:

Commence at the NW corner of Section 14, Township 19, Range 2 East and run thence East along the NOrth line of said Section 14 a distance of 647.90 feet to the East right of way line of Alabama Highway No. 25 (Main Street of Vincent); thence turn an angle of 110 deg. 55 min. to the right in a Southerly direction along the East right of way of said Highway 25 a distance of 27.74 feet to the NW corner of McGraw Brothers Garage Building, being the point of beginning; thence turn an angle of 90 deg. to the left and run East 100 feet to an alley; thence turn an angle to the right of 90 deg. and run Southerly along the West right of way of said alley a distance of 25 feet to the NE corner of Florey lot; thence turn an angle of 90 deg. to the right and run along North boundary line of said Florey lot a distance of 100 feet to East right of way line of Highway 25; thence turn an angle of 90 deg. to right and run NOrtherly along East boundary line of said Highway 25 a distance of 25 feet to point of beginning, all being in NW¼ of NW¼ of Section 14, Township 19, Range 2 East.
Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, together with interest thereon and a reasonable attorney's fee.

Shelby County Savings & Loan Association of Columbiana
Holder of Mortgage
Wales W. Wallace, Jr.
Attorney for Holder of Mortgage
Sept. 11,18,25, 1969 †86

LEGAL NOTICE
State of Alabama
Shelby County
Mortgage Foreclosure
Sale
Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Tommy Charles Smith and wife, Judy Charles, to Bessie S. Mussey, on the 14th day of January, 1969, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 310, Page 54 Record of Mortgages, the undersigned, as mortgagee, and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Courthouse at Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, on the 16th day of October, 1969, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:
Lot No. 6, Brookstone Estate the map of which is recorded in Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, in Map Book 4, Page 53, subject to Restrictions, Covenants as shown in Deed Book 222, Page 871, Office of Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, and also subject to building set back lines as shown on the recorded map of said Subdivision in Map Book 4, Page 53, in said Probate Office and also subject to Transmission line permits of record to Alabama Power Company and Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company.

This is a purchase money mortgage. This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.
Bessie Mussey, Mortgagee
Thomas F. McDowell,
Attorney for Mortgagee
9-11,18,25,1969 †81.

LEGAL NOTICE
State of Alabama
Shelby County
This is to give legal notice that on or after September 4, 1969 I will not be responsible for any debts other than those incurred by myself.
Terry W. Crim
Rt. 1, Box 67
Calera, Alabama 35040
9-4, 11, 18, 25, 1969

Whistling through the-

Heart of Dixie

BY ED BLAKE

We started not to go, but we are glad we did.

From the very start it looked like it was going to be a bad day to open the new dove season. We called Steve Huffstutler in Montevallo around 10 o'clock Monday morning and he said it looked like bad weather would be the spoiler.

We were about to join the shut-ins when the telephone rang. Bobby Hughes said from the other end of the line that it didn't look too bad to him and he was going rain or shine.

The courthouse clock struck 12 and the nervous tension got to me. I staved off the jitters for another couple of hours and asked to be excused from work with a bad case of dove fever.

I got to the field about 30 minutes later and was surprised to see the doves flocking in an that Don Hughes had joined the hunt. Don was waiting on the doves and his wife, Patti, was home waiting for the stork.

We had our limits by five o'clock and started back to the car. We looked into the western skies and noticed a big bird, not unlike a stork, sailing around. We ribbed Don that the "stork" didn't have a baby in his beak and must have just left his house.

We got to Don's hous and Patti announced that time was drawing near.

You can bet your last dollar that Don Hughes didn't go dove hunting Tuesday - - he was at a Birmingham hospital waiting for the stork.

Flash!

The telephone just rang. It was Mrs. Corrine Miller from Don's office with the news - - "It's a boy."

The youngest member of our dove hunting party was born at 8:45 a.m. Tuesday at St. Vincent Hospital in Birmingham. He weighed in at seven pounds and three ounces.

We'll be holding a stand in the dove fields for this youngster, probably not the first half of the season, but just wait to the second half of the season.

We received a report this week that Arthur and Mildred Bolton of Montevallo scored on king mackerel recently along the gulf coast.

They flew down for a half-day of fishing and brought back 28 kings. Arthur caught the largest, a 30 pounder.

Jesse Merrell of Spring Creek called in Tuesday with good news for crappie fishermen. He said the cooler weather is drawing in more fishermen to Lay Lake and they are taking home fish.

FULL OF PEP - - Members of the Shelby County High Pep Club braved the rain Friday night to see their Wildcats defeat B. B. Comer, 6 – 0 in Columbiana. The victory made it three in a row this season for the Wildcats. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

Bulldogs, Wildcats win third straight contest

Even though it rained Friday night, Shelby County High and Montevallo High kept their undefeated season records high and dry.

Both teams boosted their records to 3-0 for the season. Shelby County High defeated B.B. Comer, 6-0, and the Bulldogs of Montevallo downed Thompson High, 26-0.

Vincent collected its second straight win by defeating Chelsea, 26-7. The Calera Eagles gained its first win of the season - - a 34-6 victory over Birmingham University School.

Shelby County High scored the winning touchdown in the third period on a two yard pass from Don Jones to Billy Mitchell. The attempt for the point after was no good.

Roy Goggins scored three times to pace the Montevallo Bulldogs by Thompson, 26-0. Goggins scored on touchdown runs of two, five and 90 yards. Larry Fields skirted end for 23 yards and the Bulldogs' final tally. Anthony Staffney tossed to Rick Yancey for a two-pointer after the touchdown.

In the fourth period a clipping penalty nulified the longest touchdown run of the season - - a 99-plus yard run by Roy Goggins.

Terry Johnson scored twice for Vincent on runs of five and one yards, Stevie Clinkscale ran home on a 50 yarder and Paul Partridge scored on a 20-yard run for the Yellow Jackets.

Harold Garrett added two extra points for the Jackets.

Chelsea scored on a three-yard run by Larry Kelly.

Calera crossed BUS's goal line five times. Scoring for Calera were Ricky Ousley with three touchdown runs of nine, one and 18-yards, Rick Plaice on a 36-yard scamper and Robert Wade on a 10-yard run.

BUS scored on an 83-yard run by Jim Barton.

Calera's Steve Golden collected the only PAT of the game. He ran it over for two points.

In games this week, Shelby County High plays tonight at Thompson High, Calera plays at Jemison Friday night, Vincent visits Winterboro Friday night and Montevallo hosts Clanton Friday night.

ASC elects committeemen in county

Results of the recent election of ASC community committeemen for the coming year were announced today by H. C. McDanal, Chairman Shelby County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee. The elections were held by mail balloting.

Farmers elected to the Committees are: E. B. Hughes, E. S. Pearson, Tommy Baker, P. A. Garrett, Carl J. Bailey, Joel Bearden, Jr.; Kenneth Cooper, L. W. Garrett, W. E. Kirkpatrick, Howard Green, Oren G. Eddings, Sam T. Farmer, A. N. Smith, Wayne Archer, Frank H. Lowe, J. H. Kincaid, W. Floyd Howard, Earl V. Baker, Walter McCranie, and Harold McCranie.

The ASC community committee chairman, vice-chairman and third regular members automatically become delegates to the ASC County Convention, where farmers will elect to fill vacancies on the ASC County Committee. The County Convention will be held in the Auditorium of the County Office Building, Columbiana on September 30, at 2:00 P. M.

700 persons in county receive benefits

Over 700 people in Shelby County now receive disability benefits from social security. This announcement was made by Gene White, manager of the Bessemer social security office. To be eligible for these benefits a person must be under a disability that will prevent him from working for at least one year. Even though benefits are not paid during the first six months of disability, a person should file for these benefits as soon as possible. White said this would enable the disabled worker to receive his first check on time.

Anyone interested in applying for disability benefits should contact Mrs. Charlene Foster, the representative for Shelby County. She is at the Courthouse in Columbiana each Thursday from 9 a.m. until 12 noon.

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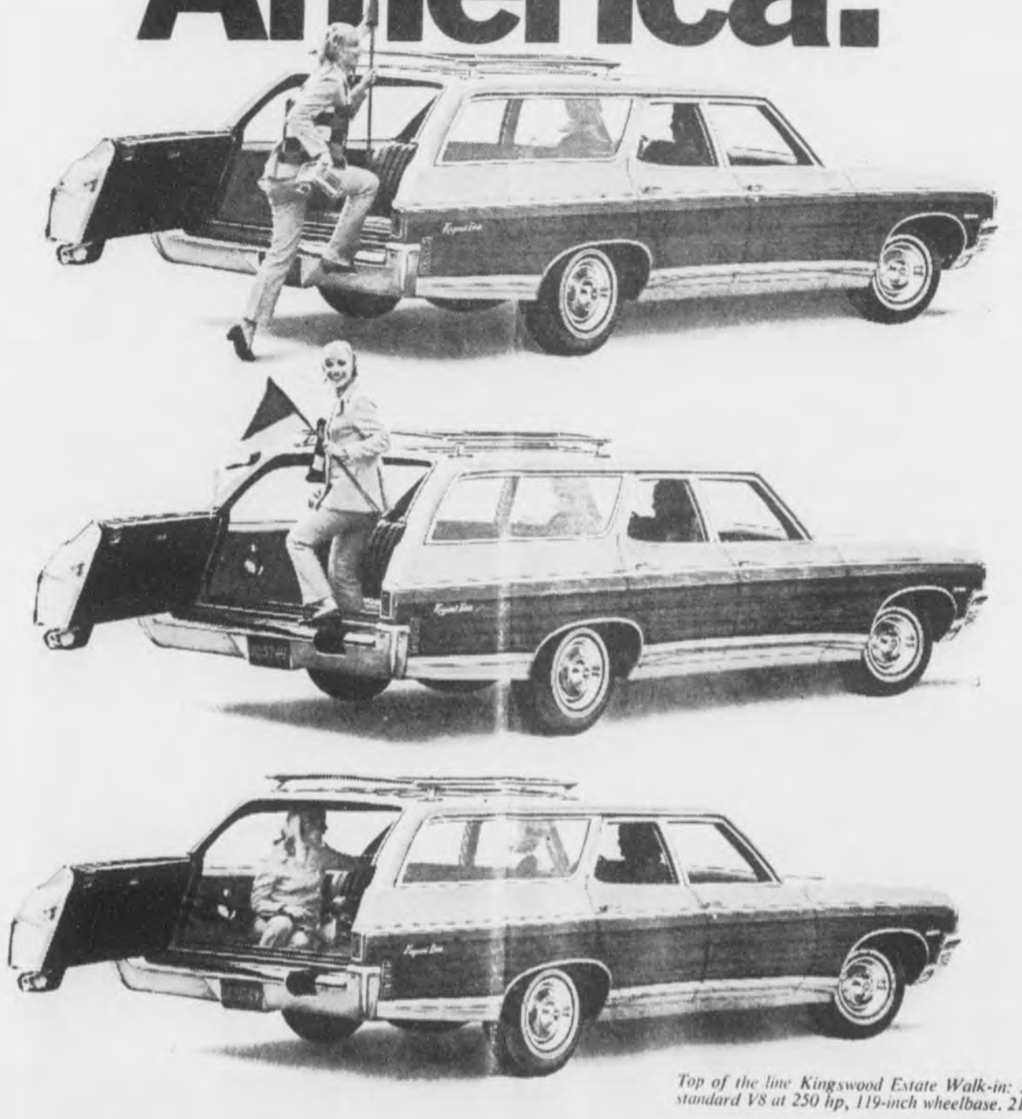

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Army Pvt. Thomas W. Merrell, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Merrell, Route 2, Columbiana, completed nine weeks of advanced infantry training Aug. 22 at Ft. Polk, La. His last week of training was spent in guerrilla warfare exercises.

During his guerrilla training, he lived under simulated Vietnam conditions for five days, fighting off night attacks and conducting raids on "enemy" villages.

One of the Army badges that soldiers wear with special pride is the Combat Infantryman Badge. It was awarded to Specialist Four Harold N. Beane near Pleiku, Vietnam, July 31.

Spec. 4 Beane, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel W. Beane, Route 2, Columbiana, is assigned as a mortar crewman with Company C, 1st Battalion of the 4th Infantry Division's 22nd Infantry.

The CIB has been awarded since late in World War II for sustained ground contact against an enemy.

Sp/4 Jack W. Hughes, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Hughes, Route T, Montevallo, received the Army Commendation Medal Aug. 30 while serving with the 4th Infantry Division near Pleiku, Vietnam.

Spec. 4 Hughes earned the award for meritorious service as a rifleman in Company A, 1st Battalion of the division's 8th Infantry.

Maxie M. Wellborn Jr., 20, whose parents live on Route 1, Helena, was promoted to Army specialist five Aug. 13 while serving as an aircraft engine repairman in Company C, 15th Transportation Battalion of the 1st Cavalry Division (Airmobile) in Vietnam.

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YARBROUGH AND COWAN

Duo-piano team in UM concert

Yarbrough and Cowan, the University of Montevallo's duo-piano team will be presented in concert Monday evening, September 29 beginning at 8:15 in Palmer Hall Auditorium.

Described as perhaps the most stimulating duo-piano team in the United States today, Yarbrough and Cowan are in private life, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Cowan. Both are members of the music faculty at Montevallo.

As a young husband and wife duo-piano team the Cowans are attracting internationl acclaim for their virtuosity and artistic musicianship.

Traveling with their own two Steinway grand pianos, which go with them to every engagement, Yarbrough and Cowan have had numerous tours throughout North America and Europe.

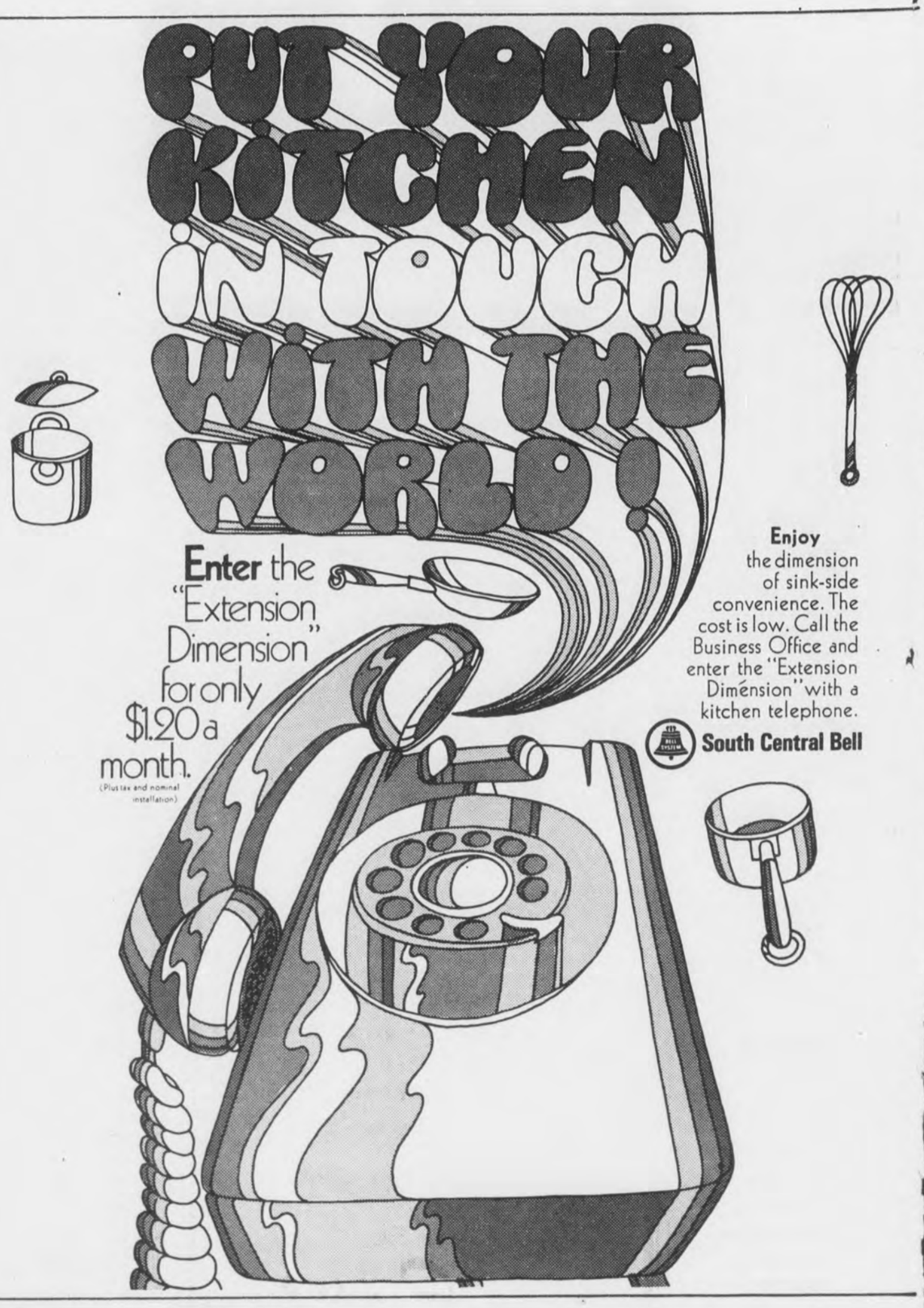
At the time of their Town Hall debut, the New York Times critic reported, "The performers were admirable in their ensemble. They played with vivacity, and projected the spirit and mood of the music well."

Monday night's concert by Yarbrough and Cowan is open to the public free of charge. The program will include Mozart's Sonata in D Major, K.448; Andante and Variation, Op.46 by Schumann; Variations on a Theme of Paganini (1941) by Lutoslawski: Milhaud's Scaramouche; and Suite No. 2, Op.17 by Rachmaninoff.

Pelham News

The two children of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Thompson of Pelham welcomed a new baby sister, Mary Melissa, when she came home with mother from Shelby Memorial last Thursday.

Mr. Thompson is the police chief of Pelham.



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Shelby County personals

NEWS FLASH!
It's a Boy for
Mr. and Mrs. Don Hughes

Just as we go to press we have time to proffer congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Don Hughes of Montevallo as we learn of the arrival of a son who was born in St. Vincent's Hospital Tuesday morning, Sept. 23. The future "Mr. America" weighed in at 7 pounds and 2 ounces.

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Joe Michael Hinds of Vincent has joined the junior membership of Holstein - Griesian Association of America.

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The Merrell family will gather for the annual reunion on Sunday, Sept. 28, at the Bethlehem Spring Creek Baptist Church near Shelby.

Friends are invited to attend and renew old acquaintances in a day of fellowship.

J. N. Merrell

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Mr. and Mrs. Rusian L. Faust, Sr. have recently moved from Clanton to the Kingdom Community on "Horton Loop" just off the Ferry Road.

Mr. Faust was reared in the Camp Branch community and is a graduate of County High.

He welcomes visits from his many friends in the area.

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C. E. "Bull" Carter of Alabaster has sold half million dollars worth of life insurance during the past year, according to an announcement from Investors Fidelity Life.

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Pledging sororities at Auburn this fall are: Mary Ellen Lewis, Montevallo, Alpha Gamma delta; Brenda Nell Stoew, Siluria, Alpha Chi Omega; and Louise Page Seier, Siluria, Pi Beta Phi.

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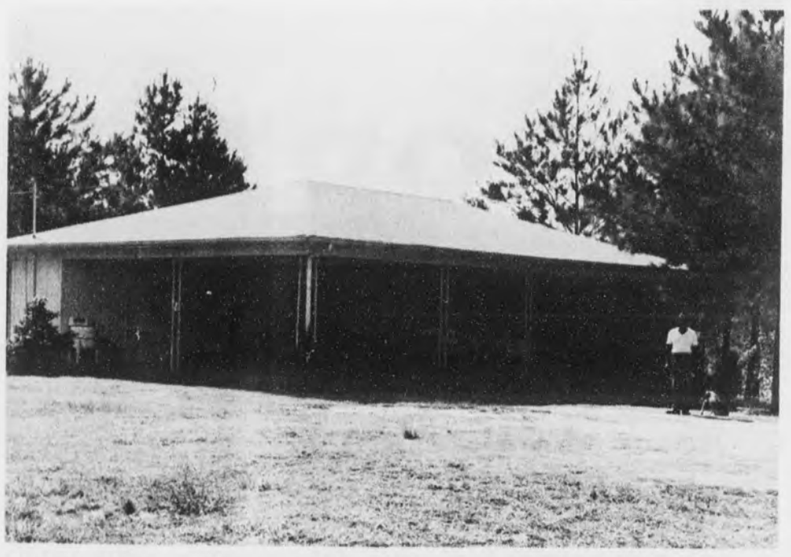
Pfc William A. Brantley Jr., 21, whose parents live on Route 1, Montevallo, was assigned August 5 to the First Logistical Command in Vietnam as a repairman.



CALERA HOME - - Lifetime Calera resident Dover Germany appreciates the five-room house he completed three years ago with FHA help. He has three children at home and two grown children. He is an employee of Abex Corporation. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Calera WSCS to host meeting

The Calera Women's Society of Christian Service of the Calera United Methodist church will serve as hostess to Sub-district Number Two of the Sylacauga W.S.C.S. on Tuesday Sept. 30.

Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m. and Mrs. Ollie Ryan, sub-district leader, will preside at the 10 a.m. meeting.

Mrs. Conrad Fowler, Sylacauga district president, urges all women in the area to attend. Part of the program will be an officer's training session for all new officers.

County PTA Council meets

The County Council of PTA's held its first of four county-wide meetings Tuesday night, September 16, at the Thompson High School, Siluria. Mr. Herman Moore presided.

Judge Conrad Fowler gave the group an insight into the operations of the County Road and Highway Department and highlighted some of their accomplishments during the recent past. He also pointed out some of the problems confronting the county during the immediate future.

Elvin Hill, County Superintendent of Education, spoke to the group on some of the problems associated with the current enrollment of 9,256 students in our elementary and high schools. He stated that the county has hired 10 new teachers for the year; is bussing some 7,000 students; has upgraded our fleet of busses and none over 10 years are being operated; and the free textbook law means about $1.14 per student in state monies. He further stated the major problem this year is the extremely over-crowded conditions at some of the schools. This occurs while many new and modern school buildings are being closed. At other schools some classrooms go unused. These conditions, he related are brought about by forces being exerted against the county school system above the state level.

Three members of the Board of Education, Lavon Moore, Chairman and Messrs. Hugh Simms and Doug Kent also attended the meeting.

The County Council will hold its next meeting on November 18th at Calera High School.

Draper

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advancing French culture. Mr. Draper joins a small group of non-Frenchmen who have received the award. His nomination was approved by the French Ministry of National Education as well as the French Foreign office.

Mr. Draper has taught French for 40 years, the last 14 at Indian Springs. His students perennially win the state French contests held in Tuscaloosa each year.

He and Mrs. Draper make their home on the Indian Springs campus.

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

It is wonderful to have the students back for the fall term. We had a fine book rush at the Falcon Book Store in Montevallo; only wished we had three times as many books available as we had.

From all indications, this should be a good year; lots of students interested in our books - - paperbacks, hardbound, fiction and non-fiction. It is going to keep us busy replenishing our stocks; but that's the way we like it.

Our new Keep-'n-Touch studio cards are making a hit, as always. We have them for all occasions - birthdays, get-wells, friendship, etc. The two Christmas card albums are creating a stir; each has so many lovely cards to choose from. Do come in soon and make your selection while you can do it in leisurely fashion. You will be glad you did, and so will we.

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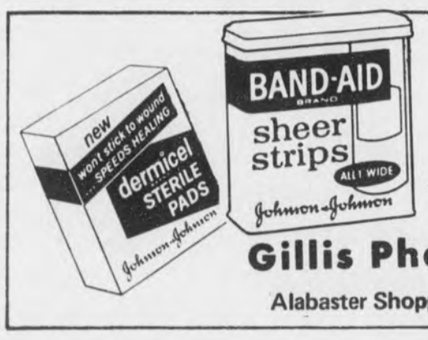

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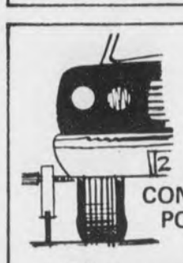
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Mr. W.P. DeJarnette
Division Engineer
Alabama Highway Department
P. O. Box 432
Alexander City, Alabama 35010

mailed prior to October 16, 1969, requesting that the Public hearing be held.

This Public Hearing will be held on the entire length of Project F—412(4) whose description is as follows: Begin at a point on Shelby County Road 61 approximately 2 miles south of State Route 25 and run northwesterly through Wilsonville to a point on State Route 25 approximately 2 miles north of the intersection of State Route 25 and State Route 76.

Maps showing alternate locations through this corridor are available for inspection at the office of Resident Engineer, State Highway Department located at Camp Childersburg, Childersburg, Alabama. Relocation assistance programs for persons who may be displaced by this project will be discussed at the Public Hearing.

The State Highway Department will accept written statements and other exhibits in place of, or in addition to, oral statements made at the Public Hearing. Such statements and/or exhibits may be submitted prior to, at, or within 10 days after, the Public Hearing. These statements and/or exhibits should be mailed to:

Mr. W. P. DeJarnette
Division Engineer
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This Public Hearing is for the purpose of fulfilling the requirements of the Federal - Aid Highway Act, Title 23 United States Code, Sections 101, 128 and 315, and PPM 20-8 dated January 14, 1969.
9-25,10-2,1969.†93.

Legal Notice
Notice of Publication to Probate Will
The State of Alabama
Shelby County
PROBATE COURT
September 12, 1969

To Peggy Wilson Justice, 1705 W. 11th Street, Panama City, Florida, Bobby E. Griffin, Sherry Wilson, Randall Wilson, Carl Wilson and Wayne Wilson whose addresses are unknown

You will hereby take notice, that on this day came Pearl C. Wilson and produced to the Court a paper writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Andrew Lee Wilson, deceased, and moves the court to admit the said will to Probate and Record.

You are notified to be and appear before me, at my office in the Court House of said County at Shelby, on the 10 day of October, 1969, when the motion will be considered, and show, if anything you have to allege, why said paper writing should not be admitted to Probate and record, as the true last will and testament of said decedent Andrew Lee Wilson

Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Ala.
9-18,25,—10,2,1969. †89.

Legal Notice
Estate of Grace Garrett Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 4th day of September, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

K. E. Fulton
as Administrator of Estate of Grace Garrett, dec.
Sept. 11,18,25,1969 †84.

State inventors plan Birmingham meeting

Presentation of an award to the outstanding Alabama inventor by Governor Albert P. Brewer will be the highlight of the Alabama Inventors Convention and Manufacturers Exposition to be held in Birmingham October 8-10.

Curtis Sumrall of Montgomery, association president, said that a large number of inventors from Alabama and surrounding states are expected to attend the annual gathering.

The purpose of the exposition is to bring significant inventions to the attention of manufacturers, financiers, and market experts for manufacturing which will increase job opportunities and the general economy of the state.

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3,375 babies born at Shelby Memorial

Shelby Memorial Hospital is 10 years old.

It opened as a 30-bed hospital on September 25, 1959.

Senator Lister Hill, the famed Alabamian whose work in the Senate brought hospitals to hundreds of communities throughout the United States, was the dedicatory speaker.

Since that day, the hospital has added a 40-bed nursing home and opened two new wings. Today there are 90 beds in the hospital, and nearly all of them are filled every day.

A total of 3,375 babies have first seen the light of day at Shelby Memorial. This figure assumes astonishing proportions when one realizes that it is approximately one-eleventh of the entire population of the county. Where would they have been born if Shelby Memorial were not there? Many would have been delivered at their homes, under conditions less than ideal.

Spokesmen at the Shelby County Health Department say there has been "a dramatic reduction in maternal deaths and infant mortality" since the hospital opened.

The decade of the hospital's existence has been one of revolutionary change in social outlook on the needs of the ill, and Shelby Memorial has echoed the turbulence of the times.

Questions of charity, changes in private health insurance, integration, inflation and the enormous changes wrought by Medicare have been met at Shelby Memorial with varying answers.

Six persons have occupied the post of administrator wrestling with the problems that appear in a tax-supported

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PLUNGES OVER– Montevallo's Roy Goggins plunges over Clanton's goal for the Bulldogs' first touchdown. Assisting Goggins are Roger Bice (80(and Ray Bearden (36). (Photo by Ed Blake)

Municipal chairmen announced for county United Appeal campaign

Municipal Chairmen for the Shelby County United Appeal were announced Friday by Don David, General Campaign Chairman of the Shelby County Appeal.

Leading the Shelby County area toward its goal of $30,000 will be Bill Schroeder, Central State Bank, Calera District; Mrs. E. J. Sullivan, school teacher retiree, Columbiana District; Joe Dean, owner Helena Drugs, Helena and Pelham District; James Story, Jr., Southern Electric Generating, Wilsonville District; Fred Cameron, Coach, Indian Springs School, Alabaster District: Steve Huffstutler, Director faculty-student services, University of Montevallo, Montevallo District.

In a recent merger with Jefferson County United Appeal, Shelby secured the services of 17 United Appeal agencies. Extending their services to Shelby County residents are these agencies: Aid for Retarded Children, Birmingham Sunday school Council, Boy Scouts of America, Children's Aid Society, The Children's Hospital, Community Service Council, Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Family Counseling Association, Girl Scouts, Mental Health Association, Planned Parenthood League of Alabama, Red Cross, The Salvation Army Home and Hospital, Travelers Aid Society, United Service Organization, United Appeal Campaign and Year-Round Administrative Offices, and Workshop for the Blind and Disabled. Shelby's goal of $30,000 will aid the support of these agencies.

Previous separate campaigns in the Shelby County area were conducted by Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Red Cross and Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults. The agencies will not conduct a campaign this year.

4-H AT COLUMBIANA - - Teacher T. A. Higgins of Columbiana Elementary works with Jimmy Stone and Haskell Vick as they prepare for National 4-H Club week. Higgins has been a 4-H teacher sponsor for more than 11 years.

County 4-H clubs prepare for national observance

The 48 4-H Clubs of Shelby County are preparing for National 4-H Week, to be held October 5-11.

Exhibits are going up in store windows in towns throughout the county, depicting various 4-H activities.

The 4-H program is administered through the office of County Extension Agent William Clark. The United States Department of Agriculture, Auburn University (as Alabama's land-grant university) and the county underwrite basic costs of the educational 4-H program. Numerous private donors contribute to the program in addition.

4-H could not function, however, without the volunteer leaders who serve without pay to help youngsters in the various projects they undertake.

Most of the schools in Shelby County have 4-H activities, with a volunteer from the faculty as sponsor.

However, not all the schools have organized their clubs for the coming year.

Miss Peggy A. Prucnall, Extension Home Agent, furnished the following list of schools, sponsors and 4-H presidents of those clubs that have met this fall:

Alabaster; Mrs. Majestic McDuffie, Mrs. Frederick Dickerson and Sylvester Kirkland. Columbiana Elementary; Mrs. Inez Bird, Sharon Rasco; Mr. T. A. Higgins, Tim Moody. Helena Elementary: Mrs. Cheryl Davis, Cindy Bearden; Rickey Griffin.

Shelby County Training School; Miss A. E. Stephens, Vickey Brasher; Bennie L. Payne, Warrick Jones. Shelby Elementary; Mrs. Jean B. Merrell, Ollie Etress; Mrs. Robert Brasher, Keith Hines.

Sterrett; Mrs. Simon Blackerby, Shannon Brasher. Valley Elementary; Mrs. Grace McGraw, Sherry Pierce; Mrs. James E. Brantley, Lee Kinnebrew. W. A. Jones Elementary; Mrs. Ruby Allen, Donna Kelley; Mrs. Henry D. Smith, Arthur McKinney. W. A. Jones, Jr; Mrs. Mattie Chappell, Beverly Oden, Luther Watters.

County Jr. Sr.; Mrs. Mary S. Strong, Ann McEwen, Sherry Hughes. Helena Jr; Mrs. Mildred R. Davis, Debbie Griffin; Mr. Frederick F. Gleason, Randy Bearden. Vincent Jr; Steve Wade.

VALLEY SCHOOL 4-H PLANNERS - - Lee Kinnebrew, (l), Mrs. Grace McGraw, (c) and Sandra Jones start committing 4-H plans to paper for the year. Mrs. McGraw, a former 4-H member, is a club teacher sponsor at Valley School near Pelham.

University of Montevallo increases instructional space

A one-hundred-thirty per cent increase in instructional space was added to the University of Montevallo's teaching facilities during the past eighteen months when contractors presented University President Dr. Kermit Johnson keys to three new buildings.

First of the buildings to be completed was the Home Management Laboratory.

In appearance this building resembles a modern, spacious home. In fact, it is a laboratory complete with facilities for instruction in all phases of home management, design, equipment and home maintenance.

Administered by the Department of Home Economics, the laboratory also serves as a residence for coeds majoring in certain phases of Home Economics.

The Home Management laboratory is named for the late Mrs. Elizabeth Baldwin Hill, a former member of the university's Board of Trustees.

300,000 Volume Library

More than 300,000 books can be stored in the university's new library.

Named for one of the South's most distinguished educators and a former University of Montevallo president, the recently completed library bears the name of the late Oliver Cromwell Carmichael.

Facilities in this three story library include carrells which provide private work areas for individual students. Books are arranged in the "open Stack" style.

Other features of the library include two auditoriums, listening rooms for stereo and monoaural recordings, periodical and browsing areas. The entire library is carpeted and is air conditioned.

More than half a hundred classrooms and laboratories are included in the university's most recently completed instructional building.

Arthur Fort Harman hall is named for the university's fifth president, and houses the physical and natural sciences departments and the mathematics department.

A prominent feature of the new science building is a courtyard where the world's largest geode is on display. The geode, which is a crystal-lined cavity within a rock formation, weighs some seven tons. Most geodes are the size of a tennis ball or smaller.

The two story Harman Hall contains more than 50,000 square feet of floor space and is 100% air conditioned.

Compatible Architecture

Architecture of the new facilities compliments the style of older buildings on campus. Each of the new buildings features up-to- the-minute innovations in classroom and library design, but each one is compatible with the general campus appearance.

Election Oct. 14 for expansion of Pelham limits

October 14 is the date set for an election to determine whether or not the Town of Pelham will expand its city limits. The town is interested in taking in considerable new territory to the east, north and west of the present boundaries.

If the voters who reside in the area to be voted upon approve, the town will expand on both sides of Highway 31 north of the present limits and will also add Fungo Hollow.

A detailed map and legal description appear on page 6 of this issue. Persons who are in doubt as to their eligibility to vote in this election may call the Pelham Town Hall where a voting list of eligible voters is maintained.

Unemployment no excuse in Shelby County

There is no excuse to be unemployed in Shelby County.

Bill Varden, Director of the Alabama State Employment Service in Calera, told the Reporter this week, "This area is experiencing the most industrial growth it has ever known. I believe that if a person will accept a reasonable job, eventually we can help them obtain employment."

Varden suggests that any person 18 years of age or older who is able and willing to work should keep an active application on file at the employment service office in Calera. The office is located on Caler's Main Street.

NEW SIGNS FOR MONTEVALLO - - David Seaman hands Kennieth Fountain a sign to designate Main Street on the post office corner in Montevallo. The city is in the process of erecting the decorative street signs at all intersections.

Brewer recommends bus driver training

Governor Albert Brewer said today he has asked the State Department of Eudcation and local school boards to begin immediate driver training for every school bus driver in Alabama.

The Governor said that a grant of $199,481 under the Highway Safety Act of 1966 will assist in financing the compulsory driver training program. All drivers of vehicles used to transport Alabama children to public elementary and secondary schools, public trade schools, and public and private junior colleges will be included in the program. A special license will be issued to all drivers who successfully complete the course.

Governor Brewer said the grant will also enable the State to immediately initiate a school bus safety inspection program in every school district in the state. Both the inspection program and compulsory driver training were authorized by an act passed by the recent legislative session. Also included is a requirement that all school bus drivers wear seat belts.

The Governor said studies show that defective equipment and driver error are responsible for almost all school bus accidents in Alabama and that the new safety program will attack both problem areas.

Mrs. Frances Duke responsible for exhibit at state textile meet

Mrs. Frances Duke of Siluria Mills will have a leading role in the annual public relations meeting of the Alabama Textile Manufacturers Association in Montgomery Tuesday.

Mrs. Duke is a member of the association's public relations committee and will be directly responsible for setting up an exhibit of textile products from the 34 state mills that make up the membership of the group.

In assembling the exhibit, this attractive and enthusiastic textile booster remarked, "Remember, Alabama-made textiles even went to the moon."

The exhibit from Siluria Mills will include a slide presentation photographed at the mill. Roy Garrett, Personnel Director at Siluria Mills took the color photographs "with our people, our machinery and our fabric" according to Mrs. Duke. The presentation is entitled, "The Making of a Fabric" and shows the complete process involved in cloth manufacturing at Siluria.

Approximately 300 Alabama textile officials and their guests - - members of the state's radio, television and newspapers are expected to attend.

From Shelby County, in addition to Mrs. Duke, will be Mr. Garrett and Jack Farmer of Siluria Mills and Hank Spires, Manager of Valley Mills in Columbiana.

Ralph Sears of WBYE and Charlie Davis of WAPI will attend as guests of the local textile mills.

Election Tuesday–

Need emphasized for gasoline tax

By Conrad M. Fowler

It would be difficult to overemphasize the importance of the gasoline tax election Tuesday, October 7 to the future well-being of Shelby County. Our population was 32,132 in 1960. It is reasonable to expect a count of 37,000 in 1970. Our population just ten years from now (1980) may well hit the 60,000 mark. This means that the demands for services on the County Highway Department will increase at a rising tempo. Our revenue loss of $250,000 in 1967 has had accumulative effects. Construction and maintenance has been reduced and there is a serious need to replace old equipment.

The Board requests that you compute your cost from this tax and then make a judgment of whether or not you are willing to provide your part of this additional revenue. One hundred (100) gallons of gasoline will operate most cars 1500 miles. Should you travel this distance each month you would pay $1.00 per month (1-cent on 100 gallons). Should your decision be to vote "No" the Board wishes you to understand that your decision would result in a postponement of a paved road for many citizens now traveling dusty or muddy ways.

The Board of Revenue has undertaken to acquaint you with the problem and to afford you an opportunity to provide a solution.

WE ask that you attend the Polls Tuesday, October 7 and vote in accordance with your best judgment.

VOTE TUESDAY
In
Gas Tax Election

Montevallo PTA sponsors homeroom meetings

The Montevallo PTA will sponsor homeroom meetings at the elementary school during October. All parents are encouraged to visit their children's homerooms where they will meet the teachers and discuss school policies and problems.

A schedule has been set up to enable parents with more than one child to visit each child's class.

The following meetings will be held in the classrooms. On Mon. Oct. 6: first grades at 7:00, second grades at 7:45, third grades at 8:30. On Monday Oct. 13: Fourth grades at 7:00, fifth grades and special education class at 7:45, sixth grades at 8:30.

'County needs penny tax'... J. C. Acton

J. C. Acton of Helena says, "The county needs the penny," in referring to the proposed one-cent gasoline tax coming up to a vote next Tuesday.

Acton is in a unique position to pass judgement on the tax. He is a former member of the Board of Revenue, finishing his term last January. He also owns and manages an American Oil Company service station on U. S. 31 near the Jefferson County line.

As a Republican, he feels that insufficient publicity has been given to the real reasons the county needs the tax. Acton says the public should be informed that the Wallace administration "took our money by killing our farm-to-market road program." He feels that reapportionment of gasoline revenues accounted for a very small cutback in money for the rural counties, although this is often cited (by Democrats) as the major reason.

He says it is the farm-to-market money the county is trying to recover by adding the one-cent tax.

Acton would not say how he will vote on the issue and says he is not trying to influence anyone's vote. He admits he "would probably lose some gasoline business" if the tax is added, but that gas in Jefferson County is generally two to four cents higher than in Shelby County.

Having worked closely with the county highway department during his four-year term of office, Acton is strong in his praise of the way the county handles its program and its funds.

He said "There is very little waste, if any, in our County Highway Department." By contrast, he said the state has been spending too much for asphalt for years. He pointed out that Shelby County has paid less for asphalt than the state for a long time - even when the county buys in smaller quantities.

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4-H DAIRY PROJECT - - Mike Hines, Robin Miller (on fence) and Penny Thompson prepare for the Dairy Show to be held next week at the State Fair. The youngsters have been active members in various 4-H Club acitvities. They live on farms near Vincent.

County obituaries

Edwin Allen

Edwin Allen, 56, formerly of Montevallo, died at his home in Chamblee, Ga. on Sept. 16. He was a graduate of Montevallo High School and the University of Tennessee and a veteran of World War II.

He is survived by two sisters, Miss Martha Allen of Montevallo and Mrs. David B. Whittington of Hot Springs, Arkansas and one brother, Bruce G. Allen of Bristol, Tenn., and a number of nieces and nephews.

Interment was in Linnville, Tennessee.

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Bert J. Czeskleba

Funeral services for Bert J. Czeskleba, 52, a resident of Montevallo since December, 1945, were held Friday afternoon from Montevallo's First Baptist Church.

A native of Lenark, Wisconsin, Czeskleba joined the staff at Alabama College on January 1, 1947 and served as Head of the University of Montevallo's Electrical Department until his recent illness. He died at the Veteran's Administration Hospital in Birmingham on Wednesday, September 24.

A veteran of World War II, Czeskleba served four years with the eighth and ninth Air Forces, spending three years in England, France and Germany.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Richard Crowe. Interment was in Shelby Memory Gardens.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Verna Cotton Czeskleba; two sons, Walter and Eddie; a daughter Wilma Jane, all of Montevallo; two sisters, Mrs. Rose Douthitt and Miss Geraldine Czeskleba, both of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, two nieces and several cousins.

Babies

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institution where the general public has fierce feelings of pride and ownership.

Next week the Reporter hopes to conclude with an article on the hospital today, its needs and its future.

ALABAMA PRESS ASSOCIATION apa '69 PRIZE WINNING NEWSPAPER

Editorial comment–

Excellent record justifies gas tax

The Shelby County Reporter votes "yes" on the proposed one-cent county gasoline tax.

The best reason for voting "yes" is the performance record of the county highway department. The men there know how to run a road system.

They have demonstrated year after year superior skill in planning, engineering, maintenance and, most importantly, getting the most out of the highway dollar.

This county's road system is held up as a model all over the United States. Foreign visitors come here to study our roads.

The Board of Revenue and the county engineer have perfected a way of operating that works to the long range advantage of the total county. Favoritism, so apparent in some adjoining counties, is not practiced in Shelby County. Cheap black top is never hastily put down on a poor base in Shelby County, as it is in other counties, to appease a few noisy or influential voters.

Shelby was the first county in Alabama to stop overloaded trucks from using county paved roads. This law continues to be enforced here, but nearly all other counties lack the courage to follow suit.

The men in the highway department have shown they are a winning team. When a taxpayer is so fortunate as to live where a team like this is working for him, he should give a vote of confidence, even if it costs him a little money.

And what will it cost? For the average person who drives 10,000 miles per year and gets 14 miles to the gallon, the extra tax will cost only $7.14 per year.

If the tax is turned down, the roads will not get the maintenance they need and damage to a spring or a tire would cost much more than that.

Vote "yes" Tuesday.

M.M.S.

Letter to Editor

Dear Sirs;

I have noticed that again the tax payers are being asked to vote an increase on the gasoline tax. The advocates of this tax assure us that it is necessary if we want our highways to keep pace with the times. It is only 1-cent a gallon they say.

Let me offer another course. Vote Shelby Co. wet. Then we could enjoy the added tax money instead of the bootlegger and I would be able to tell my friends in Jefferson Co. that we are no longer freeloading part of their tax dollar from whiskey and beer sold there.

Bill Bailey
Box 1213
Columbiana, Alabama
35051

Legal Notice
The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
In Law and Equity Court, In Equity
Case No. 1425
Joyce Jean Holcombe Complainant
s. Vs.
Thomas Glenn Holcombe Respondent In this cause it being made to appear to the Register by affidavit of Joyce Jean Holcombe that the Respondent is a non-resident of Alabama, and that his postoffice address is unknown, and further that in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Shelby County Reporter a newspaper published in Columbiana, Shelby County, Ala., once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring Respondent, the said Thomas Glenn Holcombe to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 1st day of Oct. 1969, or in thirty days thereafter a decree Pro Confesso may be taken against him.
Done at office in Columbiana, Ala., this the 29 day of August, 1969
Filed in Office Aug. 29, 1969
L. G. Fulton Register.
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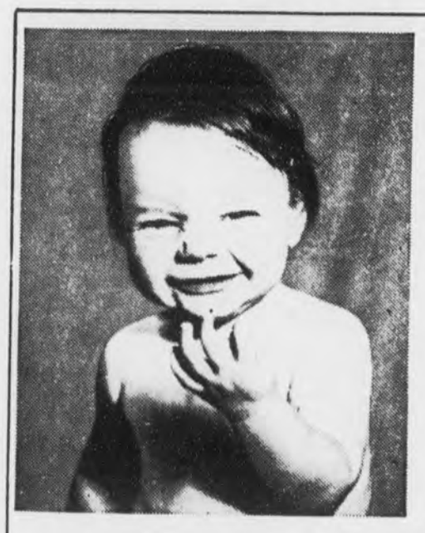

"SHE THINKS SHE KNOWS EVERYTHING"

AND SHE DID TELL ME THAT MY MONEY WOULD EARN DIVIDENDS FROM THE 1st EVEN IF I WAITED TILL THE 10th TO DEPOSIT.

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Vote NO
Oct. 7 On the additional one cent gasoline tax

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Leave Levers In Voting Position With Crosses Showing Like This
CANDIDATES NAME
The machine clears itself for next voter.

Opposite the Proposal is printed the word "Yes and immediately under that is printed the wor "No." The choice of the elector shall be indicate by turning the Lever opposite the word express ing his desire.

1ST TURN SWITCH RIGHT TO CLOSE CURTAINS
2ND MARK YOUR BALLOT AND LEAVE MARKS SHOWING →
WARNING—YOUR ☒ MARKS MUST BE SHOWING FOR VOTE TO REGISTER
3RD TURN SWITCH LEFT

Submitted to a special election of the qualified voters of Shelby County, Alabama, on Tuesday, October 7, 1969 to determine the sentiment of the voters of said county as to whether or not the provisions of Act No. 691, Regular Session, 1969, shall become effective.

OFFICIAL BALLOT
SPECIAL ELECTION
SHELBY COUNTY
ALABAMA
OCTOBER 7, 1969

Shall the provisions of Act No. 691 of the 1969 Regular Session of the Legislature, levying a tax of one cent per gallon upon the selling, distributing, storing or withdrawing from storage in Shelby County, Alabama, for any use, gasoline and diesel fuel as defined by said Act, be adopted?

YES ☐
NO ☒

Pd. Pol. Adv. by Shelby County Petroleum Council - Joe Tidmore Columbiana, Chairman

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Election officials named

Election officials for the October 7 vote on the one-cent gasoline tax have been announced. In the following list, the first name is the inspector, the second name is chief clerk, and the third and fourth names are assistant clerks.

BEAT 1, BOX 1-A Columbiana, Old Rev. Office
Luther Curlee
George Horn
John Duncan
W. E. Garrett
BEAT 1, BOX 1-B Columbiana, Rev. Office
A. A. Lauderdale
Homer Walton
Mrs. Fredia M. Kelly
Mrs. Dixie Shealey
BEAT 1, BOX 2 Shelby, Davis Store
Mrs. Ophelia Brasher
Mrs. Cecil H. Davis
Mrs. Velma E. Curlee
Mrs. Jeanette Harless
BEAT 1, BOX 3 Columbiana, City Hall
Mrs. Dessel White
Mrs. Thelma Miles
Mrs. James Palmer
Mrs. Eloise Horton
BEAT 2 Shelby, Frank Jordan Farm
F. M. Jordan
Hubert B. Reeves
Harold Naylor
Mrs. Leona Etress
BEAT 3, BOX 1 Calera, City Hall
Arthur Davis
J. R. Edwards
Mrs. Z. S. Cowart, Jr.
Mrs. Sarah J. McDonald
BEAT 3, BOX 2 Calera, National Guard Armory
P. K. Ruddy
Mrs. Mary K. Marquess
Mrs. Mildred L. Wooten
Mrs. Sara Comer
BEAT 4, BOX 1-A Montevallo, City Hall
R. C. Henderson
Denson Elliott
Mrs. Frances Givhan
Miss Virginia Hendrick
BEAT 4, BOX 1-B Montevallo, Chevrolet Agency
Lewis Lawley
W. J. Kennerly
Mrs. Helen S. Kirkland
M. L. Orr, Sr.
BEAT 4, BOX 2 Wilton City Hall
Mrs. Louise Reeder
B. B. Curry
Mrs. G. L. Cleveland
Mrs. Tommie Poole
BEAT 4, BOX 3 Montevallo, Alabama Power Bldg.
S. M. Mahan, Sr.
Joe Otis Clark
Mary Otts
Mrs. Exer Fullman
BEAT 5 Rt. 1, Maylene, J. R. Martin Residence
Mrs. Margaret Martin
Robert Garner
Mrs. Florence Jenkins
Mrs. Rachel Leemon
BEAT 6 Helena, City Hall
O. K. Campbell
P. L. Gallavan
Mrs. Frances McClendon
Mary Margaret Whitfield
BEAT 7, BOX 1 Rt. 1 Siluria, Camp Branch Civic Center
Mrs. Laura Mack Fulton
Mrs. Roberta Meadows
Mrs. Elsie Mae Roach
W. W. Durden
BEAT 7, BOX 2 Siluria, "Y" Building
A. G. Guy
Mrs. Douglas Kent
Mrs. Frances Duke
Mrs. Mary Holbrooks
BEAT 7, BOX 3 Alabaster, City Hall
Curtis Payne
Mrs. Mabele Langston
Mrs. Alice Jones
Mrs. Lester Williams
BEAT 8 Chelsea, Chesser's Store
Lloyd Chesser
Mrs. Lilly Holcombe
Cecil H. Shaw
W. D. Osborne
BEAT 9, BOX 1 Wilsonville, City Hall
Neal Crumpton
Mrs. Kathryn B. Carey
Mrs. Doris J. Scruggs
Mrs. Nell Vanzant
BEAT 9, BOX 2 Rt.1, Wilsonville, Blalock's Store
Mrs. J. E. Cain
C. H. Rasco
Mrs. Frances Blalock
Mrs. Lois Roper
BEAT 10, BOX 1 Harpersville, City Hall
Mrs. Margaret Nummy
Mrs. Lula Mae Kimbrough
Mrs. Fonzie Jackson
David Reynolds
BEAT 10, BOX 2 Rt.1, Vincent, John Thompson's Store
John M. Thompson, Jr.
C. E. Sumners
Floyd Green
Mrs. Mary F. Beavers
BEAT 11 Westover, Archer's Store
Alfred F. Alverson
Raymond Allen
Mrs. Edna Archer
Mrs. Nell M. Shelton
BEAT 12 Rt.1, Helena, Community House
Oscar Harris
Mrs. Eva G. Sorrell
Mrs. Dorothy Mahan
Mrs. Johnnie Moore
BEAT 13 Rt.1, Leeds - Taft Sheet's Store
Taft Sheets
Lyndon Key
Mrs. Betty B. Lacey
Mrs. Mary F. Myers
BEAT 14 Vandiver, Stracner's Store
Eugene M. McDonald
Floyd Howard
Mrs. Lena Miller
Mrs. Eunice Parker
BEAT 15 Sterrett, American Legion Bldg.
J.D. Anderson
Otto Arnold
Mrs. Ludell Gay
Magdalene Howard
BEAT 16 Vincent, City Hall
R. T. McGraw
Mrs. B. C. Harris
Mrs. Signa McGraw
Mrs. Gertrude Seale
BEAT 17, BOX 1 Pelham City Hall
Paul Yeager
John Blatzer
Mrs. W.M. Cumberland
Mrs. Mary Littlefield
BEAT 17, BOX 2 Alabaster City Hall
Harold Rubin
Charlotte Busby
Mrs. Obera Busby
Ann Walker
BEAT 18 Rt.1, Leeds
Dunnavant School
Earl B. Bowdoin
William C. Bowdoin
Mrs. Nona Posey
Grady Isbell
BEAT 19, BOX 1 Rt. 1, Maylene Union Hall
F. R. McClendon
Mrs. Gladys Pickett
Virginia Huckabee
Jack E. Brantley
BEAT 19, Box 2 Maylene, Dogwood School
Bill Vernon
W. E. Kirkpatrick
Lee Lucas
Carolyn Stephens
BEAT 20 Rt 1, Marvel - Mayberry School
R. W. Lawley
Steve Smitherman
Nannie G. Hood
Mrs. Dottie Goggins
BEAT 21 Rt.1, Montevallo - Baird Grocery
Margaret H. Howell
Naomi B. Lankford
Mrs. Sara Buckner
Robbie Thomas Green
ABSENTEES Columbiana
L. C. Walker
Mary Niven
Sara Ozley
French Lansford

Mountain View Baptist Singing Oct 4

You are cordially invited to be present in the Mountain View Baptist Church Sunday evening Oct. 4, at 7:30 o'clock to enjoy a program of group and special singing. The Johnson brothers Quartette will be guest musicians and your presence will be greatly appreciated.

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GAME Of The WEEK

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1966 COMET Capri 2-door hardtop. White with black vinyl roof. V-8, automatic transmission $1395

1967 DODGE Coronet V-8, 4-door, automatic transmission $1395

1969 FORD Fairlane 500 V-8, automatic transmission. 4-door sedan, power steering $2395

1963 CORVAIR Monza Coupe Automatic transmission, radio, bucket seats $495

1965 OLDSMOBILE 4-door sedan. Full power, air conditioned $995

1968 FORD LTD 4-door hardtop. Automatic transmission, power steering steering, factory air conditioning $1695

1967 FORD Galaxie 500 4-door, V-8, factory air conditioning $1095

1965 MERCURY Montclair 2-door hardtop, air condition, power steering. 14,000 miles $2495

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Main Street in Montevallo, Highway 31 in Columbiana, Alabaster.

FIVE GENERATIONS - - Seven month old Kimberley Dawn Snow is shown above in the arms of her great, great grandmother, Mrs. Asa D. Loftin of Geraldine, Alabama. Also pictured are Mrs. C. B. Tyree, Sr. of Birmingham, great grandmother, Mrs. George D. Barnes of Calera, grandmother, and Mrs. Terry G. Snow of Calera, mother. Kim is also the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Snow of Underwood.

Miss Dixie McCauley marries in Miami

Word has been received here of the wedding of Miss Dixie Rosalind McCauley to Jerome Donald Murray, Jr. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Vance McCauley, formerly of Alabaster and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Pool of Helena. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Murray, Sr. of Miami, Fla.

The formal ceremony took place at St. James Catholic Church in Miami on August 16. The couple is living in Tampa, where both are students at the University of South Florida.

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The WSCS of the Wilsonville Methodist Church will sponsor a rummage sale Friday and Saturday in the vacant building adjacent to the washerteria in Wilsonville.

The sale will begin at 9:30 each morning.

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Evelyn Martin may now be found in her new position as Manager of Estelle's Dress Shoppe.

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New Arrival!

Lt. and Mrs. Thomas Lamar Nowland, (Leona Higgins) of Lubbock, Texas announce the birth of a daughter, Susan Diane, on September 18, 1969.

Grandparents are Mr. John Nowland of Munford, and Rev. and Mrs. Thomas A. Higgins, Sr., of Columbiana.

Lt. Nowland is a member of the 3501 st. Student Squadron at Reese AFB. He will complete undergraduate pilot training and receive his wings on November 15.

SOCIETY PAGE AND PERSONAL MENTION

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

National Newspaper Week October 5-11

Next week, newspapers will hold the spotlight of weekly observances. National Newspaper Week begins Oct. 5 and continues through Oct. 11. This newspaper business has been around for many, many centuries. Fact is, a bit of research, on our part, reveals the fact that in 30 B. C. there existed a newspaper and Julius Caesar was its founder. It was he who introduced the daily publication of the news of the Roman Senate and the people.

The "Acts of the Senate" were reported by trained writers and these facts were revised and edited by a senator appointed for this purpose. Emperor Augustus, however, who reigned in Rome, discouraged the publication of the Senatorial Acts - - but encouraged the printing of news of general interest. So much - - for "away back when".

In this age of modern IBM machinery it is hard to visualize the tasks assigned the Roman slaves when copying large editions of manuscripts. However, with slave labor manuscripts were produced at about 12 cents in United States coin which included the entire cost of production, material and labor. This period is a memorable one in the art of literature.

Kenneth E. Olson of Chicago once wrote on the "now" and "then" - of newspaper production and said: "Today you lay down ten cents for your home town news as a matter of habit expecting it to bring you the latest information on local, state and national happenings never giving a thought to how important this press is to you and your family. You never stop to think how much liberty and happiness is bound up in the fact that you can read this kind of a paper; you never stop to realize that today only in the United States and some parts of the British Empire can men and women read the news of their neighbors and of the world without the blighting touch of government control" - - etc.

Now lets see what would happen should you be denied that right. You would no doubt soon realize that more and worse would be coming. You would know that soon your spare time would not be your own, that at any time you could be called out to a party meeting or to a parade before the local or national ruler, with terrific penalties imposed if you failed to obey that summons. You would likely know that you could no longer swap ideas with your neighbor without letting yourself in for trouble with the secret police. You would know that you would soon have no individual rights at all - you would be but the slave of a dictator's state.

Some of you may realize these things vaguely but few of us ever stop to think the newspaper we take so much for granted is the keystone of the liberties of all individuals. Once this free press of ours is muzzled it will be the signal for the suppression and persecution of religion, of the right to belong to a union, or the right to speak our minds.

Where the press is free it can function as a protector of the rights of our people and of our free democratic institutions. Where the press is enslaved these rights of the individual and the free democratic institutions which Americans hold so dear, soon disappear.

So, it might be well during next week - - National Newspaper Week - - for all of us to think on these things, and guard against anything that

might develop, in this world-wide confusion and tumult, that is calculated to take from us the priceless heritage of a free press. What do you think?

M. W. W.

Shelby church sets program

A special program on the Holy Land will be presented at the Shelby Church of God on Wednesday, October 8, at 7 p.m.

The Rev. Richard L. Tyler, Jr., pastor of the Scottsboro Church of God, will show slides of his two recent trips to Israel, Egypt, Jordan, Switzerland and Russia. Of special interest will be his account of church services in Moscow, Russia, and being detained for three days in Egypt when the Sirhan trial was in progress.

The program is free to the public and the Rev. Thomas George, pastor, gives a cordial invitation to attend.

Thompson PTA To Meet

Members of the Thompson High School P.T.A. are requested to be present Monday evening in the school's cafeteria for a meeting. The program will begin promptly at 7:30. Your cooperation will be appreciated.

Columbiana Vignette Club observes 20th anniversary

The Vignette Club, organized on September 27, 1949 and federated on January 16, 1950, began its twentieth year Tuesday night. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Wales Wallace, Jr. and assisting hostess was Mrs. Joel Thompson.

President, Mrs. Harold Harlin led the group in a meeting to plan for the current club year 1969-1970.

The float for the Homecoming Parade on October 17 will be planned by Mrs. John E. Newell and her committee.

Mrs. Francis Leonard, chairman of the Budget and Finance Committee, presented the new budget. A Rummage Sale was proposed for October 25th in the Falkner Building.

Plans are being made by the Commemoration Committee to celebrate this spring the club's anniversary.

As a community project, Mrs. Conrad Fowler's committee plans to aid in the landscaping of the new County Library.

Culture Club Sponsors Rummage Sale Oct. 3-4

The members of the Culture Club of Columbiana will hold a Rummage Sale in the Falkner Building on the corner on Oct. 3 and 4 - the proceeds from which will go into the Club's Education Scholarship Fund. Your cooperation and patronage will be appreciated.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cosby, after enjoying a visit in the home of Miss Dorothy Parker in Harpersville, have returned to their home in Florida. The Cosbys are former residents of Columbiana.

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A card across the miles tells us that our good friends, Mrs. Dottie Hildredth, and Mr. and Mrs. John Newell are enjoying the incomparable beauty of one of our favorite places - - Gatlinburg.

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Mrs. Bob Mullins and daughter, Christy, from Camp Polk, La., are spending this week in Columbiana as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Mullins.

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The Panel of American Women will appear in Montevallo to present a discussion of religious problems and prejudices from a personal point of view.

The Panel of American Women program will be sponsored by the Ladies Guild of St. Thomas Church, Highland Avenue, Montevallo. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The program will be an event of Wednesday, October 8 at 7:30 p.m. at Newman Hall adjoining the church.

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The Lurleen Wallace Story

The story of the courageous fight against cancer, experienced by the late Governor of Alabama, Lurleen Wallace, has been incorporated in a book now on sale with funds derived therefrom going into the fight against this dread disease. Douglas Rasco, a representative of National Life Insurance Co., has asked that we notify all persons interested in procuring a copy of this book, to go by the Probate Judge's office in the courthouse where they are now on sale.

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Mrs. Millard Saunders of Jasper, Texas is the guest of her daughter, Miss Sherri Skinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Long.

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Mrs. Alan Thornburg (Regina Patterson) has rented an apartment in the Woolley Building and will reside in Columbiana during the time her husband is fulfilling his military obligation.

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Mrs. Benny Morris is spending this week in Honolulu where she met her husband who is on leave for a rest period from war-torn Vietnam.

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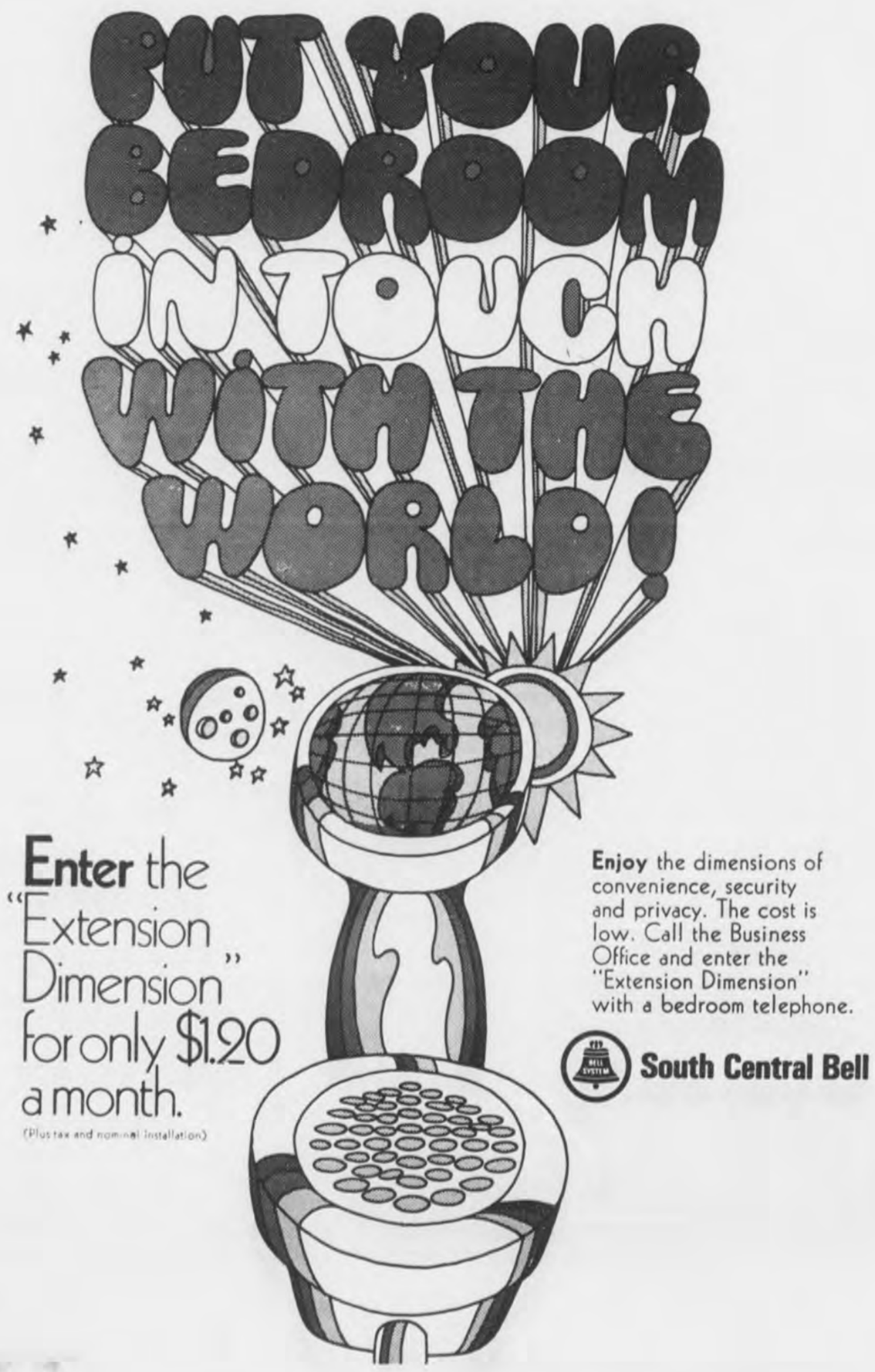

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Queen Dian Lawler to reign over Montevallo homecoming

By Jamey Putman

Queen Dian Lawler will reign over the 1969 Montevallo High School Homecoming, October 3. Attendants in her court will be Beth Anthony, Dee Dee Garrett, seniors; Nancy Barclay, junior; Claire Tinsley, sophomore. Dian, a senior, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawler, Jr. At MHS she is president of FHA, a member of the band and FTA. The beauties were chosen by popular vote of their classmates.

Highlighting the day's activities, Queen Dian's coronation will climax the leadout during the dance immediately after the Bulldog-Jemison bout. Senior David McGaughy will emcee the leadout and present football players, cheerleaders, majorettes, and student council officers.

"Brass Buttons" of Jasper, will provide entertainment for the dance. The five - member group was featured this fall at Bessemer High school's Homecoming and in July at the Alabama Sesqui- centennial at the State Fairgrounds.

All MHS alumni will be special guests of the day. A coffee hour for them will precede the dance. "All alumni are welcome to every Homecoming function. No particular class is being honored this year", says Mrs. Emily Pendleton, chairman of the Alumni Committee.

MHS's Homecoming celebration is sponsored by the Student Council with Mrs. Sara Cairns over-all chairman. Joe Lovelady, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Lovelady, is president of the SC.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Alabama Highway Department will hold a Public Hearing, if requested, on October 31, 1969 at 2:00 P.M. at City Hall in Wilsonville, Alabama. The purpose of this hearing is to provide an opportunity for interested persons to participate in determining the need for, and location of, a Federal-Aid Highway by presenting views on proposed alternative highway locations and the social, economic, and enviromental effects of those alternate locations, and to consider the consistency of this highway project with the goals and objectives of such planning as has been promulgated by the Community, City, Town or Village, either Incorporated or Unincorporated in Shelby County which the highway project may go through or bypass. This Public Hearing will be held if, and only if, there is a public desire for the hearing as expressed by a written statement to:

Mr. W.P. DeJarnette
Division Engineer
Alabama Highway Department
P. O. Box 432
Alexander City, Alabama 35010

mailed prior to October 16, 1969, requesting that the Public hearing be held.

This Public Hearing will be held on the entire length of Project F—412(4) whose description is as follows: Begin at a point on Shelby County Road 61 approximately 2 miles south of State Route 25 and run northwesterly through Wilsonville to a point on State Route 25 approximately 2 miles north of the intersection of State Route 25 and State Route 76.

Maps showing alternate locations through this corridor are available for inspection at the office of Resident Engineer, State Highway Department located at Camp Childersburg, Childersburg, Alabama. Relocation assistance programs for persons who may be displaced by this project will be discussed at the Public Hearing.

The State Highway Department will accept written statements and other exhibits in place of, or in addition to, oral statements made at the Public Hearing. Such statements and/or exhibits may be submitted prior to, at, or within 10 days after, the Public Hearing. These statements and/or exhibits should be mailed to:

Mr. W. P. DeJarnette
Division Engineer
Alabama Highway Department
P. O. Box 432
Alexander City, Alabama 35010

This Public Hearing is for the purpose of fulfilling the requirements of the Federal - Aid Highway Act, Title 23 United States Code, Sections 101, 128 and 315, and PPM 20-8 dated January 14, 1969.

9-25,10-2,1969.†93.

Legal Notice

Notice of Publication to Probate Will

The State of Alabama
Shelby County
PROBATE COURT
September 12, 1969

To Peggy Wilson Justice, 1705 W. 11th Street, Panama City, Florida, Bobby E. Griffin, Sherry Wilson, Randall Wilson, Carl Wilson and Wayne Wilson whose addresses are unknown

You will hereby take notice, that on this day came Pearl C. Wilson and produced to the Court a paper writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Andrew Lee Wilson, deceased, and moves the court to admit the said will to Probate and Record.

You are notified to be and appear before me, at my office in the Court House of said County at Shelby, on the 10 day of October, 1969, when the motion will be considered, and show, if anything you have to allege, why said paper writing should not be admitted to Probate and record, as the true last will and testament of said decedent Andrew Lee Wilson

Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Ala.

9-18,25,—10,2,1969. †89.

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

Thought that by this week things would have settled back to a routine pace at the Falcon Book Store in Montevallo, and that I would have time to collect my thoughts before writing my weekly "jottings". But we are still as busy as the proverbial bee. It would appear that many folks have discovered us and come in to check on their needs before going elsewhere. Once upon a time it was sort of a standing joke about the number of people who started each inquiry with the statement - - "I don't suppose you would have this - - I've looked everywhere for it". In many cases we really could supply the item.

Among other things we have children's books - - paper and cloth bound; Bibles; cookbooks; paperback fiction and non-fiction; art supplies; school and office supplies; greeting cards and small gift books; etc. Come see for yourself, soon.

NOTICE TO SHELBY COUNTY PROPERTY OWNERS

Have you bought or sold any property during the past year ?

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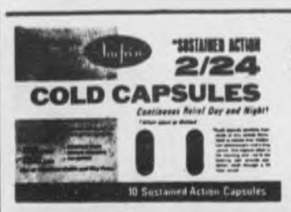

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The addition to Thompson Elem. School Siluria, Ala.

Any person, firm, or corporation having an unpaid claim against the said Contractor for supplying the said Contractor with labor, materials, feedstuffs, or supplies in connection with said work is hereby notified to present the same to address shown below in the manner and time required by law.

James E. Greene d/b/a
Southern Masonry Co.
General Contractors
P.O. Box 4426
Birmingham, Ala. 35206
9-11,18,25,10-2,1969. †83

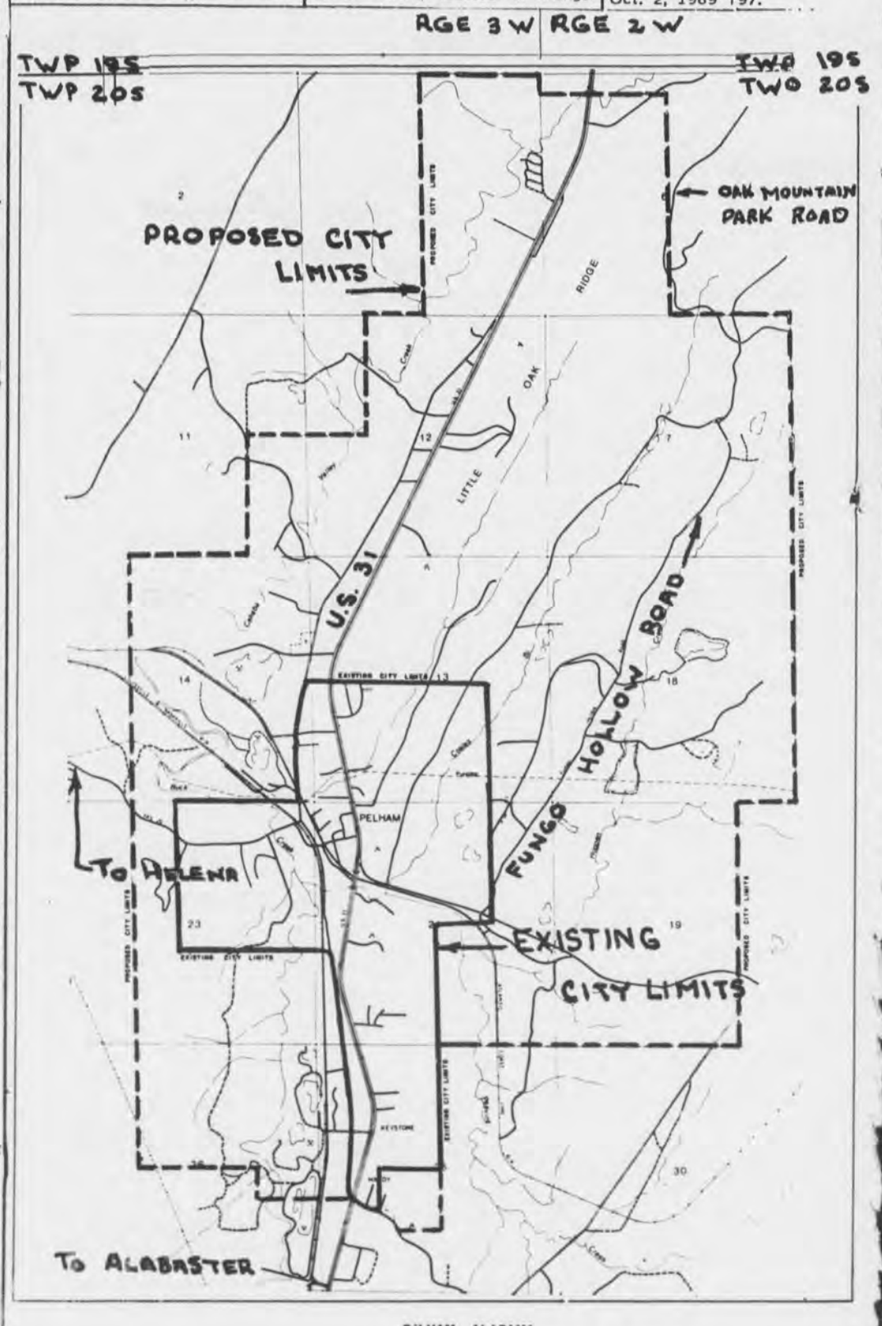
State of Alabama
Shelby County
Notice of Special Election to extend the Corporate Limits of the Town of Pelham

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held on October 14, 1969, between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M. at which time voters participating therein shall vote on whether or not the provisions of Act No. 1173 of the 1969 regular session of the Legislature of the State of Alabama, annexing certain property hereinafter described to the corporate limits of the Town of Pelham, Alabama shall be approved and made effective so as to extend the boundries of said town and annex said property. Act No. 1173 was enacted 13 September, 1969. The area proposed to be annexed to the corporate limits is bounded by the broken line appearing on the map below and lying outside the existing corporate limits of said town also appearing on said map.

All qualified voters residing in that part of the area proposed to be annexed that is located east of the crest of Little Oak Ridge Mountain shall vote in the home of Jack and Mary Harris, located in Fungo Hollow. All other qualified voters residing in the area that is proposed to be annexed shall vote at Jim Martin's Shell Service Station located on U. S. Highway 31.

Only those qualified voters residing within the territory proposed to be brought into the town of Pelham may vote in this election. A list of such qualified voters is on file in the Townhall of the Town of Pelham and a map of the area proposed to be annexed to the corporate limits is on display in the Townhall.

Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate
Oct. 2, 1969 †97.



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The family of Earl Morgan wishes to thank everyone in the Calera community for all the kindness shown and the flowers and food brought to us at the time of his death.
Wife and children

Legal Notice
The State of Alabama, Shelby County
PROBATE COURT,
September 19, 1969
This day came Lee Reinhardt, Guardian of the Estate of Effie S. Reinhardt, a person of unsound mind, now deceased, and files his accounts, vouchers, evidence and statement for a final settlement of his said Administration of said. Guardianship Estate.
It is ordered that the 21st day of October, 1969 at 10:00 A.M., be, and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 19th day of September, 1969.
s/Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
9-25, 10-2,9,1969 †92.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale
Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Tom Posey and wife, Grace Posey to Diamond Construction Company of Alabama on the 23rd day of January, 1962, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 276, Record of Mortgages, at Page 977, the undersigned Diamond Construction Company of Alabama as mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Shelby County Courthouse at Columbiana, Alabama, on the 29th day of October, 1969, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:
A parcel situated in the NE¼ of the NE¼ of Section 23, Township 21 South, Range 3 West; Commence at the Northwest corner of said quarter-quarter and in a southerly direction along the West line of said quarter-quarter, run a distance of 93.19 feet, to the South right of way line of the public road known as Smokey Road for the point of beginning; thence continue along the same said course for a distance of 210.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 102 deg. 46 min. to the left for a distance of 210.0 feet to the South right of way line of the above said road; thence turn an angle of 77 deg. 14 min. to the left along the South right of way line of said road for a distance of 210.0 feet to the point of beginning, according to survey of W. M. Douglas, Registered Land Surveyor, dated November 2, 1961.
Situated in Shelby County, Alabama.
This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expense of foreclosure.
This the 25th day of September, 1969.
Diamond Construction Company of Alabama
Mortgagee
Earl C. Bloom, Jr.
Attorney for Mortgagee
10-2,9,16,1969. †96.

Statement of Ownership
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Marcia M. Sears, Editor
Sworn to and subscribed before me this, the 30 day of September, 1969.
Conrad M. Fowler
Probate Judge,
Shelby County, Alabama

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale
Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Mary E. Daniel and husband, Gideon H. Daniel to Jack Talyor on the 19th day of February, 1965, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 292, Page 371, Record of Mortgages, which said mortgage was duly transferred and assigned to American National Bank of Birmingham on the 19th day of February, 1965 by instrument recorded in Volume 234, Page 361, in said Probate Office, the undersigned, National Bank of Commerce, formerly known as American National Bank of Birmingham, as mortgagee or transferee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Shelby County Courthouse at Columbiana, Alabama, on the 15th day of October, 1969, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:
Begin at the NW corner of the SW¼ of the NW¼ of Sec. 21, Tp. 19, S., Range 2 West; thence run East along the North boundary line of said SW¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 21, Tp. 19 S., R. 2 W., 439.0 feet, more or less, to a point on the West right of way line of County Road; No. 17; thence turn an angle of 111 deg. 16' to the right and run Southwesterly along the West right of way line of said road 118.7 ft.; thence turn an angle of 1 deg. 48' to the right and continue along the West R.O.W. line of said road 100.0 ft.; thence turn an angle of 2 deg. 29' to the right and continue along the West right of way line of said road 100.0 ft; thence turn an angle of 2 deg. 38' to the right and continue along the West R.O.W. line of said road 100.0 ft.; thence turn an angle of 2 deg. 59' to the right and continue along the West R.O.W. line of said road 100.0 ft.; thence turn an angle of 2 deg. 35' to the right and continue along the West R.O.W. line of said road 100.0 ft; thence turn an angle of 1 deg. 2' to the right and continue along the West R.O.W. line of said road 119.65 ft.; thence turn an angle of 3 deg. 18' to the right and continue along the West R.O.W. line of said road 93.46 feet, more or less, to the point of intersection of the West R.O.W. line of said road and the West boundary line of the SW¼ of the NW¼ of Sec. 21, Township 19 South, Range 2 West; thence turn an angle of 138 deg. 58' to the right and run North along the West boundary line of the SW¼ of the NW¼, Sec. 21, Township 19, South, Range 2 West, for 722.02 ft more or less, to the point of beginning. Being a part of SW¼ of NW¼, Sec. 21, Township 19 South, Range 2 West, and being 4.09 acres, more or less, situated in Shelby County, Alabama. Mineral and mining rights excepted and reserved.
This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.
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Charles L. Denaburg
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Obituary

Mrs. Mary Leona Davis

Mrs. Mary Leona Davis, 77, of Columbiana, died Sunday at a Birmingham Hospital. She was a native of Columbiana, and had lived in the Columbiana area most of her life.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Bertie Huff of Pompano Beach, Fla, a son, J. M. Davis of Columbiana; seven grandchildren, and 20 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the First Baptist Church with burial in the Columbiana cemetery. The Rev. Raymond Scroggins officiated.

Active pallbearers were George L. Howard, William E. Horton, John Horton, Wallace Horton, Douglas Rasco and William Rasco.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage dated the 5th day of May, 1966, executed by Robert I. Meadows, an unmarried man to City Federal Savings & Loan Association, which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 300, Page 415 Record of Mortgages, and said mortgage now being in default and subject to foreclosure, the undersigned has elected to declare the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage to be due and payable as provided by said mortgage, and notice is hereby given that pursuant to law and the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the undersigned will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the main entrance of the Shelby County Courthouse in Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on the 20th day of October, 1969, the following described real estate situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Commence at the SW corner of the SW1/4 of NW1/4, Section 3, Township 24 North, Range 12 East and from said SW corner run a distance of 794.75 feet on a bearing of North 11 degrees 33' East to a point; thence turn an angle of 62degrees 06' to the right for a distance of 128.00 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the left for a distance of 84.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 15.5 feet to a point on the North side of a public driveway; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 15.0 feet to the South side of said driveway to the point of beginning of lot herein described; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the left along said driveway for a distance of 57.42 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 131.75 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 57.42 feet to the East side of a public driveway; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right along said Driveway for a distance of 131.75 feet to the point of beginning, said lot being a part of Block 4 of Seamon D. Brown Survey of East Montevallo, situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

City Federal Savings & Loan Association, Mortgagee

Lange, Simpson, Robinson & Somerville, Attorneys for Mortgagee

9-18,25,—10,2,1969 †88.

Estate of James B. Higgins Deceased.

PROBATE COURT

Letters of administration with the Will Annexed of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 12th day of September, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

MRs. Jade H. Cole

Administratrix with the Will Annexed

9-18,25,—10,2,1969. †90.

LEGAL NOTICE

Estate of A. J. Hartsfield Deceased.

PROBATE COURT

Letters testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 25th day of September, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

John S. Hartsfield

10-2,9,16,1969. No. 94.

LEGAL NOTICE

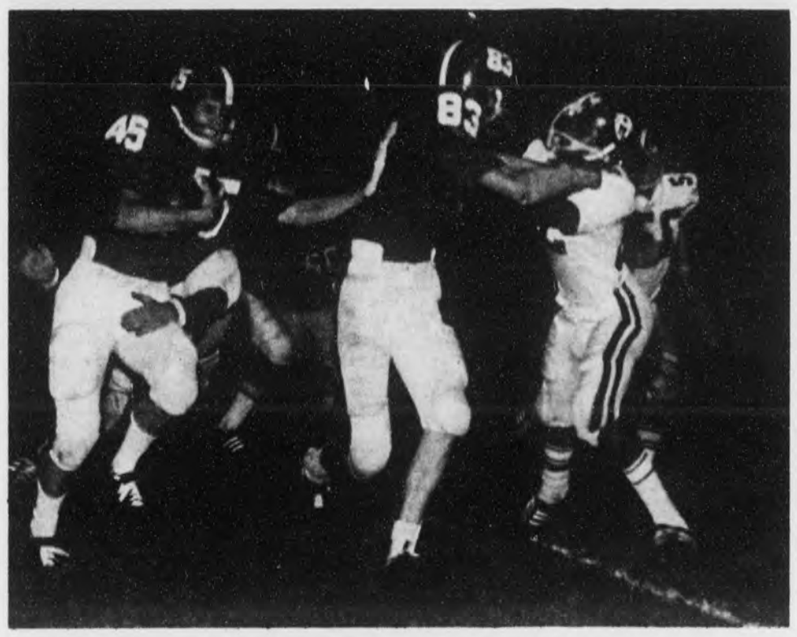
Estate of Marvin G. Elliott Deceased.

PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 25th day of September, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Myrtle Irene Elliott as Executrix of Last Will & Testament of Marvin G. Elliott, deceased

10-2,9,16, 1969 No. 95



LEADING THE WAY - - Thompson High's Spot Davenport (83) leads the way around end for teammate Gary Carter (45). Shelby County High's defense held the spirited Warriors scoreless for the Wildcats' fourth win of the season. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

Chelsea, SCHS, Vincent win in football games last week

Last week was a week of firsts for three high school football teams in Shelby County.

Chelsea won its first game of the season, Montevallo lost its first game of the season and Shelby County High won its first game in county competition.

The Chelsea Hornets gained their first win from Ragland, 13-0. Montevallo lost to Clanton by a score of 16 to 12 and the Wildcats of Columbiana blanked Thompson High, 6-0.

In other games Vincent High boosted its record to 3-1 by downing Winterboro, 26-14, and Calera lost to Jemison, 26-7.

The Calera Eagles went ahead in the second period on a one-yard wedge by Ricky Ousley. Rick Plaice kicked the extra point for the Eagles. Jemison regained the lead moments later with a score after a fumble recovery.

Vincent Yellow Jackets struck early against Winterboro with three touchdowns in the first period. Stevie Clinkscale scored on a five-yard run, Terry Johnson ran 35 yards for another Jacket tally and Harold Garrett passed to Reuben Riggins for 45 yards and a touchdown. Garrett added the extra point for a 19-0 lead.

The Jackets scored again in the third period on a 35-yard run by Garrett. Garrett also added the extra point.

Tim Parker scored twice for Chelsea to pace the Hornets past Ragland, 13-0. Parker scored first as a halfback on a 17-yard run. Parker scored the second touchdown on a one-yard plunge after taking charge of the Hornet offense when quarterback John Harris suffered a broken collar bone.

Allen Barnes scored on a 60-yard run to pace the SCHS Wildcats over a fired-up Thompson team, 6-0.

Montevallo jumped into a 12-point lead during the first nine minutes of play against Clanton. Roy Goggins scored first on a one-yard plunge and End Russell Battle added the final Bulldog touchdown on a 68 yard run after scooping up the loose pigskin.

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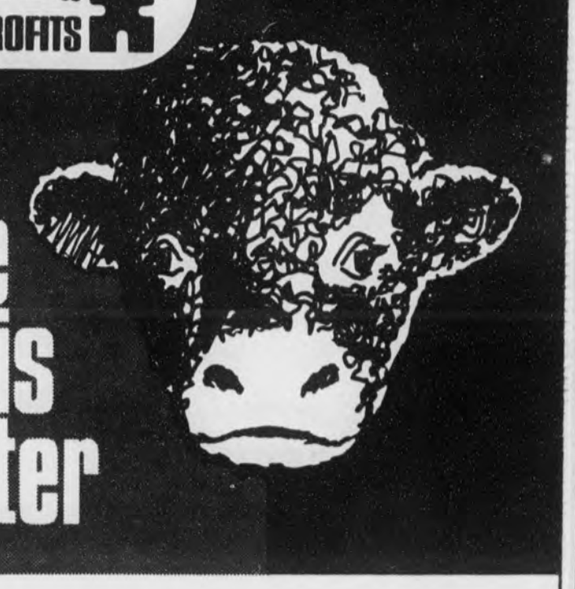

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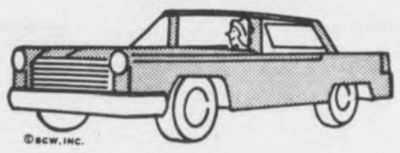

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Montevallo News

By Bert Seaman

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Youngblood enjoyed a visit from their son Hugh Jr. of Los Angeles, Calif. this past week-end. Hugh is now teaching at the University of Southern California.

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Mrs. Thomas Donaldson of Beaufort, S. C. spent last week visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnston.

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The Montevallo High School Marching Band competed in the Fifth Annual Mid-South Marching Band Festival at Gadsden on Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. John N. Davis hosted a family reunion at their home Sunday for members of Mrs. Davis' family. Those attending were: Mrs. J. B. Cox, Dadeville; Mr. and Mrs. Lyndahl Hale and son Harry, Jemison; Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hale, Mrs. M. Camel, Mrs. Leon Camel and daughter AMy, all of Calera: Mr. H. D. Peters, Birmingham; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Peters and sons David and Tommy, Edgewood; Mr. and Mrs. Neal Hale, Pratt City; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tucker, Fairview; Mr. and Mrs. James E. Davis and daughter Donna Lee, Center Point; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Logan, Montevallo.

Last year, direct steel mill shipment of stainless steel to automakers totaled 123,000 tons, nine per cent more than in the previous year.

ENGAGED IN ACTIVITIES - - Members of the Good Neighbor Club of Columbiana are shown working on some of their projects. The club meets twice each month in Columbiana.

Montevallo AAUW Branch holds membership meeting

The Montevallo Branch of the American Association of University Women began its 42nd Anniversary year on Sunday, September 21, with a membership tea from 3:30 P.M. to 5:30 P.M. at Flower Hill, with Mrs. Kermit A. Johnson as hostess and social chairman.

In the receiving line, were Mrs. Johnson and members of the Executive Board.

Assisting at the tea table in the dining room were Dr. Lucille Griffith, Miss Vinnie Lee Walker, Mrs. C. G. Sharp, Dr. Maxine Davis, Mrs. Grady Parker, Mrs. Thomas J. Evans, Dr. Frances Cannon, and Mrs. Herbert O. Milstead, Jr.

The beauty of Flower Hill was enhanced by a number of lovely floral arrangements and the use of candles, which helped to dispel the gloom of the rainy afternoon. In accordance with the slogan, "Everyone Bring One" many members brought guests, a number of whom are new additions to the faculty of the University of Montevallo.

On Tuesday evening, September 23, the first regular meeting of the Montevallo AAUW was held in the auditorium of Carmichael Hall, at 7:30 P. M. Incoming president, Miss Mary Frances Tipton, presided. After a short business session, she turned the meeting over to Dr. Besse Terry, first vice-pres. of the Montevallo Branch, and Implementation chairman for the Alabama division of AAUW. Dr. Terry made some explanatory remarks about the film, "From Where I Sit", which was the program for the evening. The film graphically portrayed the many problems which confront the State Department of the Federal Government.

Good Neighbor Club opens Community Space Center

September 23 marked the official opening of the Community Space Center at the Mountain View Apartments in Columbiana when the Good Neighbor Club held its regular - semi - monthly luncheon workshop meeting.

Following the assembly of the 30 member group a devotional service was held and plans for the annual Christmas Bazaar were completed.

A standing vote of thanks was given to the Commissioners of the Housing Authority of the Town of Columbiana and to Cathrine G. Clark, the Executive Director, for making this community space available.

The Park and Recreation Board has donated bridge tables for the game room. Dishes, silverware, draperies, and other items have been generously offered for this worthwhile cause by interested individuals. However more dishes are needed, more silverware, cups and saucers etc. - - This is a community project and the leaders, who have sponsored the Good Neighbor Club, will be delighted to receive odd pieces of china-ware and anything that you might want to add to this project.

If you have anything in the furniture line you are not using, they will be delighted to get it and will refinish it in their workshop.

Mrs. Clark, in a brief interview with the writer last week stated that the Community Space provided is composed of a living room, kitchen, a game room for checkers, dominoes, and - - one large assembly room which will be equipped with long tables, bridge tables and chairs.

Perhaps our merchants in Columbiana will be glad to cooperate on this objective and will offer some much needed furnishings. If so, call Mrs. Anne Smith, Mrs. Elsie Hardison, Mrs. Dorothy Bearden or Mrs. Barney Isbell and they will see that it is delivered.

M. W. W.

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Camp Branch-Saginaw Civic Center will meet next Monday evening at 7:30, according to Mrs. Eva Mooney. Purpose of the meeting will be to make plans for the winter season.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Sara Elizabeth Braddock

Funeral services for Mrs. Sara Elizabeth Braddock, 79, of Rt.1, Columbiana were held Tuesday at the New Bethesda Baptist Church. Burial was in the Hubbard Cemetery.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Grady Salster, Leeds; and Mrs. Fermon Foster, Rt. 1, Columbiana; seven grandchildren, and 13 great grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. Maggie Felton, Alabama City.

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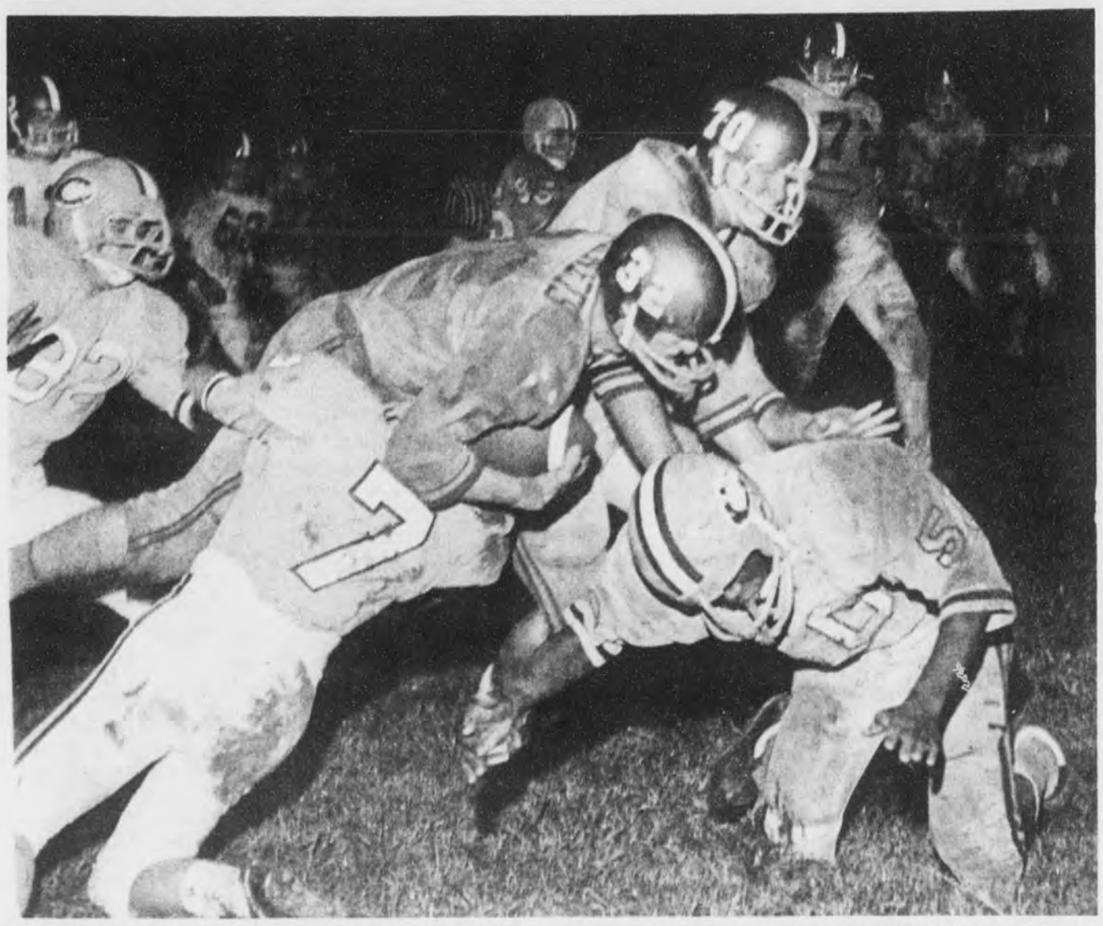

LOSING HIS HEAD OVER FOOTBALL - - Number 7, identified at Calera High School as belonging to Robert Wade, appears to have lost his head in this action photo by Wayne Rasco, taken at the Calera Homecoming game. Larry Kelly (32) of Chelsea carries the ball as Wade and Rusty Ryan (50) make the going rough. Others identified in the photo are Jimmy Hall (82) Calera, and Steve Brashier, (70) from Chelsea.

Proposed 1¢ gasoline tax defeated by wide margin

Fifteen minutes after the polls closed Tuesday it was apparent the proposed one cent county gasoline tax was defeated.

The first returns to come in showed a lop-sided negative vote. The trend continued as returns came in from boxes in all parts of the county.

The final count was 2,130 votes against the tax and 969 votes in favor of it. A total of 3,099 votes were cast in the county-wide election.

Board of Revenue members had supported the tax, pointing out to many groups of citizens in the past weeks the need for additional money to keep the road program functioning at its present level. However, strong public feeling against additional taxes carried the day as the voters turned down the proposal.

Surprisingly, some of the areas which depend on county roads the most showed the biggest percentage of sentiment against the tax. Pea Ridge, for example, voted the proposal down by 108 to 3. Dogwood turned it down 65 to 12 and Sterrett voted 18 to 5 against the tax.

Only two boxes returned a favorable vote. Columbiana's Box 3 went 82 to 57 in favor of the proposal and the Blue Springs community, home of Board of Revenue member, Hoyt Blalock, voted 32 to 31 in favor of it.

In Montevallo, voters were two to one against the levy and Vincent showed more than a three to one negative vote.

J.W. Scott retires from USS, cited for outstanding service

John W. Scott of Montevallo has retired after 35 years of service with the United States Steel Corporation. Since 1948 he has been supervisor of mineral leases.

In announcing Scott's retirement, Eugene P. Reed, general superintendent of the company's Southern District Mines, praised him "for particularly outstanding service. We shall miss him greatly."

Scott was first employed by U. S. Steel in 1928 as a rodman in the Land Department of TCI. After being promoted to junior transitman, he resigned to enter the Colorado School of Mines. He returned to the TCI Land Department after earning an Engineer of Mines' degree, and in 1937 was transferred to the Ore Mines & Quarries Division as a transitman.

JOHN W. SCOTT

From 1940 to 1945, he served with the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, attaining the rank of major. Upon his release from military service, he returned to TCI as assistant mining engineer, and in 1948 was named supervisor of mineral leases.

Scott is a member of AIMME, Rotary Club of Montevallo and the Colorado School of Mines Alumni Association. He is chairman of the Official Board of the Montevallo Methodist Church and has taken an active role in the Montevallo public schools

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NEW LIFE AT SHELBY MEMORIAL - - Duty in obstetrics is sought after at Shelby Memorial where facilities for maternal care and birth are as modern as at any hospital. Mrs. Billie Glass holds Britt Blake, born on Oct. 1, as Mrs. Mary Honea, (l) and Mrs. Barbara Kidd (r) look on. (Photo by the baby's father, Ed Blake)

Shelby Memorial Hospital has 40% Medicare patients

By Marcia M. Sears

(Last of a two-part series)

Forty per cent of the patients at Shelby Memorial Hospital are now Medicare patients.

This figure reflects one of the significant developments in the ten-year history of the institution.

Not only does it mean the county's older citizens are receiving better medical attention than formerly, it also means the hospital is assured of payment for a large part of its services through government channels.

After ten years of service to the county, the hospital is looking ahead to provide for the needs of the growing population and at the same time hoping to keep costs under control.

"We could use 65 more beds", Hospital Administrator Chester Black told the Reporter, adding that the State Department of Health has set that figure, based on occupancy rates and other factors.

The 90-bed hospital stays at near capacity now, with between 20 and 40 patients per month spending one night in the corridors until other patients are discharged.

Cost control within the limits of good medical care continues to be the prime consideration of the Hospital Board and Administrator.

Administrator Black points out, "We are at the mercy of general economic conditions. There are many costs over which we have no control", he said, mentioning drugs and utilities among other things.

Black says the hospital is well staffed at present, with a ratio of from two to two and a fourth employees per patient.

Three of the most recent registered nurses to join the staff are wives of students at the University of Montevallo. Black said that salary schedules are in general below those at Birmingham hospitals, but seniority provides a wage scale up to $585 per month for supervisory registered nurses.

Mrs. Wilma Kirkland of Genery's Gap in west Shelby County is the new Director of Nurses at the hospital.

One of the staffing problems Black has is, in his words, "getting responsible people to work. We cannot go to mechanization like an industry can," indicating it takes people to look after

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GOOD NEWS AT THE REPORTER - - Reporter General Manager Ed Blake is on vacation bringing his wife and new son home from Shelby Memorial, but he had much better reason than usual, to get out his camera equipment. Here, Mrs. Blake, who has taught hundreds of Shelby County children, holds her own son, born just in time to enter school six years from now.

Twenty two enrolled

UM reopens door to former teachers

The University of Montevallo is reopening the professional door for some 22 former teachers, and at the same time laying the groundwork of an imaginative program designed to ease the critical shortage of qualified elementary school teachers.

The project, conducted through the Education Professional Development Act, is a joint effort between the U. of M. college of education and the school systems of Birmingham, Jefferson County, Shelby County and Selma.

Its objective is to attract former teachers who have been out of the teaching field for at least one year, bring them up to date professionally, and requalify them for an elementary school teaching post - - in one semester!

The pilot program was launched with 22 participants chosen from among hundreds of applications in each of the four cooperating school systems.

Project participants range in age from the mid-twenties to early fifties. With one exception they all hold bachelor's degrees - - but in a wide variety of fields from elementary and secondary education to commercial education, home economics and psychology.

They have been out of the teaching field from one to twenty years - - mainly to raise families - - and a count of children among them totals 48, with children ranging in age from pre-school to grown and married.

They agree with their professors that the best one-word description of the project is "Intensive!" Classes run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. with a short coffee break and one hour for lunch.

Subject matter covers everything from the proverbial three R's to the history and philosophy of education, educational psychology and sociology and a lengthy list of related subjects. Total classroom participation time is 240 hours.

Add to this the regularly scheduled conferences, seminars, field trips and eight weeks of practice teaching, and the truly intensive nature of the program comes to light.

How are participants, so long removed from the classroom as either teacher or student, taking to the reactiviation program?

Very well, in fact surprisingly well, according to EDPA associate director Mrs. Nell Malone. They were a bit shakey during the first week, she said, but they soon regained their self-confidence and became oriented to the program.

She noted that they are all better - than - average students, a fact borne our by their present performance level as well as by the undergraduate transcripts. She added that they come from widely varying backgrounds, they have a great

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COUNTY TEACHERS IN U. of M. PROGRAM - - Mrs. Nell Malone (right), associate director of the Education Professions Development Act project at the University of Montevallo, discusses visual aids with former teachers chosen by the Shelby County Board of Education to attend the teacher-retraining program. Selected for the one-semester course are: (from left, seated), Carol Seale, Columbiana; Charlotte Lusko, Indian Springs; (standing), Jane Jones, Columbiana; Jean Bush, Bessemer; and Winifred Akridge, Calera.

CALERA HOMECOMING - - Presented at Calera's Homecoming game last Thursday were (from left) Little Miss Homecoming, Joy Lucas, escorted by David Gilbreath, Terry Blackerby, escorting Junior Miss Homecoming, Denise Carden, and Ronnie Ellison escorting the Queen of Homecoming, Dian Gandy.

MONTEVALLO HOMECOMING - - Presiding at Homecoming activities at MHS were attendants, Claire Tinsley, Beth Anthony, Homecoming Queen Dian Lawler, Dee Dee Garrett and Nancy Barclay.

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

Washington

National Newspaper Week, October 5 - 11, provides a welcome occasion for all of our citizens to think about our newspapers and the traditions in which they work. I am pleased to have this opportunity to add my own words of greeting.

A free and unmanaged press is one of the great products of our system of government and one of its most important guarantors. Much of the world does not know this freedom, nor has it always been present in America. In 1690, one of the first American newspapers, **Publick Occurences Both Forreign and Domestick,** was suppressed after one issue. Only fourteen years later did another newspaper appear in the colonies.

Over the years bold and brilliant men and women won for the American press the freedom it enjoys today, both to report and to interpret the events of our time. Now, with the whole field of communications revolutionized beyond man's farthest dreams, it is incumbent upon all of us - - journalists and readers alike - - to see that this freedom is maintained and used in a way that is both creative and responsible. Today's newspapers are heirs to a great tradition - - one which must be honored and extended.

Richard Nixon

Ronnie L. Dial of Harpersville was arrested in Birmingham on charges of kidnapping a 15-year old girl, also from Harpersville.

C. P. Walker, Sheriff, notes an increase in interest in the subject of drugs and drug abuse. He has made arrangements to speak on the subject to the Columbiana Explorer Post and to the Alabaster Methodist Church.

Larry Edmondson, barber in Montevallo, is a part-time member of the Pelham police force.

TOP REPORTER SALESMAN - - Jimmy Hall, (center) of Wilton, was top salesman of Shelby County Reporter subscriptions among members of the Montevallo FFA. Here he looks at the special award of $10 he won from the Reporter for his efforts in selling more than 40 subscriptions this fall. The FFA, under the direction of M. Thornton, (l), has sold subscriptions to the Reporter for many years on a commission basis. Auburn student teacher Gary Moss is at right.

New fire unit in operation

The Shelby County Fire and Civil Defense Rescue Unit Number One (Shelco Unit 1) went into operation at 7:30 Sunday night.

The purpose of the organization is for fire protection and emergency rescue operations in the Dogwood, Maylene, Moore's Crossroad, Ebenezer and Spring Creek areas.

If anyone has a fire or needs assistance, the number to call is 665-2552, and ask for Shelco Unit 1 to be alerted. The person who answers the telephone will transfer the call.

Doug Ballard, Jr. is Fire Chief of the unit. Greg Eanes and Howard Green are two assistant fire chiefs. The two lieutenants are Lonnie Amason and Lester Stevens.

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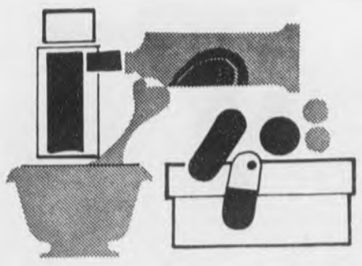

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Letter to the Editor

Shelby Co. in Nat'l. Mag.

Enclosed is an article from the U. S. News and World Report of September 22, entitled, "How the Relief System Works Now". The report covered Chicago, Los Angeles, New York City, Washington, D. C. and Shelby County, Alabama.

Just why Shelby County was chosen is not explained unless the writer wants to prod the state for not increasing welfare payments. It is true welfare payments are low, but ways and means are constantly being reviewed to increase benefits. Our state has not reached the point where, as in some states, people reportedly take up residence and retire on welfare.

It is gratifying to hear of a case like the Shelby County man removing himself from welfare and the housing project and building a home that took 19 years to complete.

Shelby County is a well run county. The entire population should be very proud of being residents of one of the finest in the state.

Yours very truly,
Bryan A. Chace
2516 Shades Crest Road
Birmingham, AL 35216

Editor's Note: The article Mr. Chase refers to told the stories of two Shelby County welfare recipients: one woman with five children, deserted by her husband, who receives $84 per month from the Aid to Families with Dependent Children program. This is her sole income.

The other case involved a family that drew $28 per month for two years. The mother later qualified for $85 per month for aid to the blind. The children have now both graduated from school, the father's health has improved and he works at odd jobs. The family no longer receives welfare, except for the mother's aid-to-blind check, and they have moved into their own home.

Mrs. Nell Fulton, Director of the Shelby County Department of Pensions and Securities told the Reporter that she was interviewed by John Howard of U. S. News and World Report for the story.

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Reconciliation church theme

"Reconciliation in a broken World" is the theme of the church wide study to be held at the Montevallo Methodist Church next week.

Leaders of the primaries will be Mrs. Phillip Lacey, Mrs. Donald Lovelady and Mrs. O. G. Eddings. The juniors will be led by Mrs. Youngblood, Mrs. T. E. McCulley and Mrs. Lewis Kirkland. Adult leaders are Mrs. Dudley Pendleton, Dr. John Lott and Mr. Terry Arnold.

The study will be held on October 12, 13 and 14 from 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.

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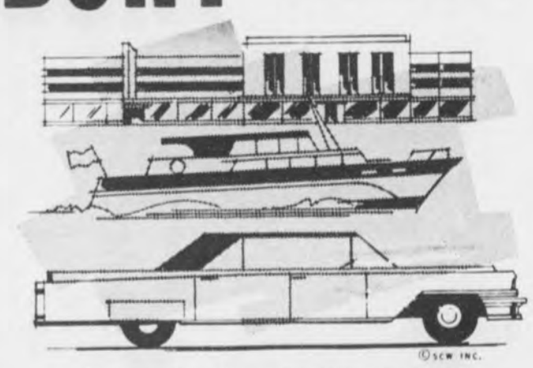

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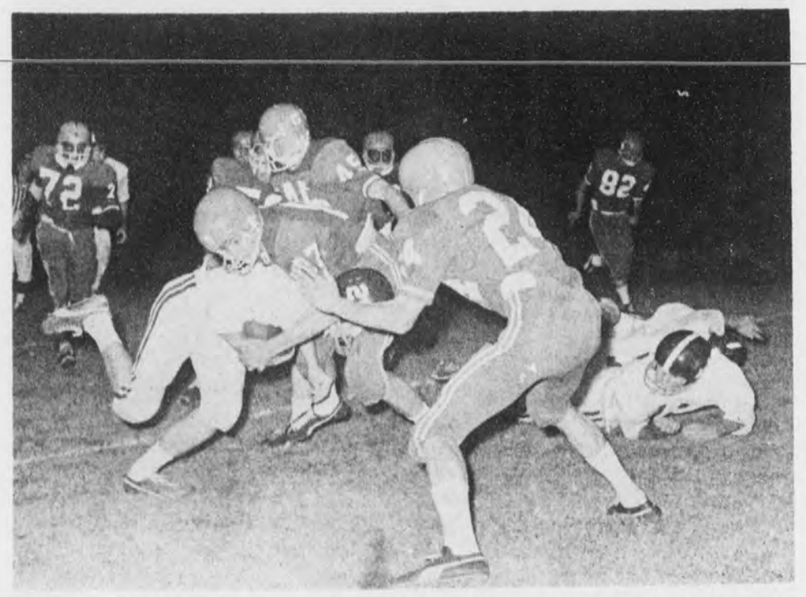

ACTION AT MONTEVALLO - - Ball carrier Terry Avery of the Jemison team couldn't make it past Montevallo's Russell Battle in this action scene at the Montevallo Homecoming game. Others closing in are David Minshew,(24), Roy Goggins (45), Echol Nix (72) and Don Ray Bice (82), all of Montevallo. Photo by Joe Miller

BEEF MONTH - - Governor Albert Brewer presents the official proclamation setting October as Beef Month to Hubert Atchison, Wilsonville, President of Shelby County Cattlemen's Association.

Elastic Corp. gets NLRB decision

The National Labor Relations Board handed down a decision and an order this week in its investigation of the strike at the Elastic Corporation plant in Columbiana.

The NLRB ordered the United Textile Workers of America to post notices in conspicuous places notifying its members and all employees of Elastic Corporation that the union will cease and desist from engaging in mass picketing in such numbers as to block ingress and egress at the plant by non-striking employees; threatening non-striking employees and others; throwing rocks; placing nails on roadways leading into the plant, etc.

The wording is similar to that in an injunction the company obtained in Circuit Court against the union in August.

Picketing at the plant stopped several weeks ago and workers who participated in the strike have been re-hired on a work-available basis, except for a few former employees who will not be re-hired. The strike was started to seek recognition of the United Textile Workers union as the bargaining agent for ECA employees.

Pvt. Burcham ends training

Pvt. Larry G. Burcham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Burcham, Route 2, Calera, and Pvt. Harvey O. Weldon, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Weldon, Route 1, Sterrett, completed nine weeks of advanced infantry training September 12 at Ft. Polk, La. Their last week of training was spent in guerilla warfare exercises.

Mrs. Conrad Fowler was given a surprise cake and coffee Monday after her co-workers in the courthouse learned that it was her birthday anniversary.

Cartoons to be parade theme

"Cartoons" will be the theme of the Shelby County High School homecoming parade on October 17.

Rachel Porter was elected homecoming queen by the student body and her attendants will be Cathy McLeroy and Karen Morris.

Student Council president Montgomery Lokey announced that the council will sell flowers to wear to the game. School officials have decided not to hold a homecoming dance this year.

Plans are underway for a meeting of alumni to be held after the game.

The Columbiana Novella Club is sponsoring a fund raising barbeque supper before the game at the high school lunchroom. Serving hours will be 5 to 7 o'clock.

Billy Hill pledges ATO

Billy Hill of Helena, Rt.1, pledged Alpha Tau Omega fraternity at Birmingham Southern.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Hill, Sr. and attended Auburn University where he was active as President of Student Council, and Danforth Foundation I Dare You Award. He is interested in Law at Southern.

Hospital

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other people.

As a means of cutting costs, Black is installing laundry equipment and purchasing perma-pressed bed linens to replace the conventional type as they wear out. He hopes to eliminate ironing of linens.

A new dietitian has recently been added to supervise special diets and a rigorous cleaning policy is in force in all hospital departments.

Black makes no effort to paint rosy pictures about the hospital and freely admits he has problems. But the problems are the type that are inherent with hospitals, where life and death are dealt with every day, and where medical needs are often greater than budgets.

Accreditation of the hospital by the Joint Commission on Hospitals is still a goal being sought by the institution. Administrator Black told the Reporter that the hospital has again applied for accreditation and an inspection by the Joint Commission is expected next January or February. He definitely feels Shelby Memorial will meet the standards of the group this time and win the desirable accreditation.

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

The pretty fall days are flying past, and before we know it we will be in the thick of Christmas shopping! Wouldn't it be nice to have part of it done early - - like ordering your Christmas cards now, addressing them when they arrive in October, and bringing them out all ready to mail in December? You can do that easily by coming into the Falcon Book Store in Montevallo and choosing cards from one of our two pretty albums.

Something else - - it is not too early to place that special order for Christmas books. The publishers don't hurry, so we need plenty of time to avoid disappointment. Come by or call us, soon.

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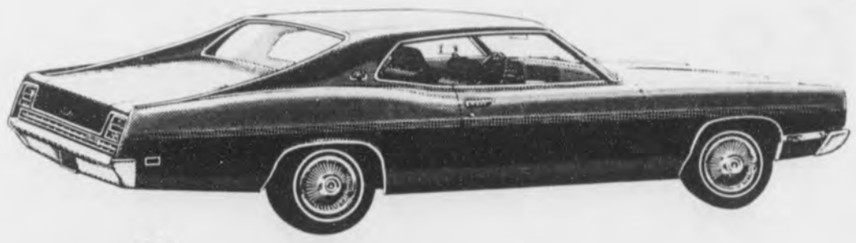

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Society Page And Personal Mention

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

'Honesty best policy'

Almost every paper we have read lately has given an account of some duly elected, trusted custodian of the people's welfare, straying from the straight and narrow path into dubious situations which have caused quite a bit of comment, especially from those who have recently become eligible to cast their votes in future elections or have been called up for military duty. Perhaps these situations prompted the following question tossed in a round table discussion today at "coffee-break - time": "What requisite do you consider the most essential quality in satisfactorily dealing with people in political, military and every day life?"

The question was posed by a rather bewildered and baffled - - perhaps disillusioned young business man who had just encountered his first disappointment in the people and things which had gone to make up his busy routine. Judging from the discussion that followed, we thought perhaps it was about time to recall old Diogenes and ask that he pick up and relight his antiquated lantern and continue his quest for an "honest man".

Thinking the matter over, after we came back to our little desk in this busy office, we arrived at this conclusion. If we had to give up many necessary adjuncts for pleasantly and profitably dealing with our fellow creatures, consideration, courtesy, thoughtfulness, tolerance - etc. - - we unqualifiedly state we would retain as an absolute essential - Honesty!

Nothing can succeed which is not based on reality. Pretense won't get you anywhere and there is nothing more baffling than duplicity. What good is anything if it is not honest? Faults, frailties or virtue - - if any - - have got to be honest or they do not exist at all.

The most enviable of all titles is the character of an honest man or woman. You at least know what to depend upon if a fellow is honest. Good - - bad - or indifferent, you know where to place him. That trite old adage - - "Honesty is the best policy" still rings true; and honesty once pawned never can be redeemed. Confidence once shaken can never be regained - no matter how very much we would like to believe otherwise!

Of course, being perfectly honest will sometimes get you into plenty of jams - - even though you have been asked for an "honest opinion" regarding various subjects. However, the creed of honesty is a code which should be rigidly observed if there is to be derived any happiness from political, social or business contacts with your fellowman.

At least - that's our honest opinion regarding how we have found things to be in our rather limited field of endeavor.

M.W.W.

Britt Andrew Blake arrives on Oct. 1

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blake of Montevallo are welcoming into their home this week a son whom they have named Britt Andrew Blake. The newly arrived "sweetest li'l fellow" was born Oct. 1, 1969 in Shelby Memorial Hospital. Both Mr. and Mrs. Blake have a warm and wide circle of friends in Columbiana who will want to join the writer in extending personal congratulations.

Mrs. Blake is a former teacher in the Columbiana Elementary School; and Mr.

Blake is General Manager of the Reporter, and well known for his popular weekly column "Whistling Through Dixie".

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Mrs. Tommy Phillips and her handsome son, Scott, from Atlanta were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl C. Harrison.

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MRS. ROY DAVID GALIGHER

Baptist Association fellowship dinner

Representatives from practically all churches comprising the Shelby County Baptist Association met in Calera on the evening of Sept. 29, for a Fellowship dinner followed by a program directed by Dr. John Duncan which was held in the Baptist Church Sanctuary.

The Rev. Howard H. Golden, pastor of the host church, welcomed the guests and Dr. Duncan presented financial facts and figures from the church records showing what the churches had done toward supporting mission work and then compared this result to the possibilities that could materialize under the proposed tithing program.

Ross Mullins and Donald Edwards gave their testimonials, and the keynote speaker, the Rev. N. F. Greer of Birmingham made a challenging appeal to the assemblage in behalf of the items on the agenda for 1969-70.

A social hour concluded the memorable evening.

Girl Scout workshop set for Oct. 20-23

Many of our artistically inclined folk who read this paper each week will be glad to learn that a Glidden Decoupage Workshop will be held in Columbiana at the Girl Scout Hut on Oct. 20, 21 and 23 beginning at 7 o'clock and continuing until 9 P.M.

If you are interested in attending this workshop call Dorothy Bearden 669-4371 during the day - - or Helen Stinson at night: 669-6127. They will be glad to give you further information.

Dickinson—Galigher

Miss Patricia Gail Dickinson, former resident of Columbiana now residing in Mobile and Roy David Galigher, of Memphis, Tenn., exchanged vows in an impressive double-ring ceremony at four thirty in the afternoon, September 27, at the First Baptist Church in Tuskegee. The Rev. John W. Moon, of Montgomery, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leander Maxwell Dickinson, of Mobile, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow W. Galigher of Memphis.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown fashioned of candlelight peau de soie with re-embroidered Alencon lace. The Sabrina neckline was scalloped with the lace and seed pearls. Long tapered sleeves with appliques of Alencon lace and seed pearls came to calla points over the hands. Her A-line skirt was detailed with panels of lace and pearls on the sides and center front. Extending from the high waist in the back was a circular skirt appliqued with motifs of the lace and seed pearls. The bride's veil was a demi-cap of Alencon re-embroidered lace, beaded in pearls and iridenscents and held four tiers of English silk illusion.

The bride carried a cascade bouquet of stephanotis and tuberoses, centered with a white orchid. English ivy cascaded from the bouquet and the center of the bouquet held two white roses, one of which was presented to the mother of the bride during the processional and the other to the mother of the groom during the recessional.

Mrs. William Pafford of Memphis, Tennessee, sister of the groom, served as Matron of Honor and Miss Charlene Marchant of Birmingham, was Maid of Honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Forrest Marcate, Jr., Ozark; Miss Beverly Lucas, Demopolis; Miss Alison Grogory of Greenville, S. C., Miss Margaret Long, Mobile; Miss Cathy Gregory, of Charleston, S. C., Miss Delight Dickinson, of Enterprise.

The attendants were gowned alike in floor-length, sleevless aqua crepe. The empire waistline was accented with silver, jeweled ribbon, highlighted with silver iridescents. Setting off the dress were aqua headpieces. The attendants carried cascade bouquets of white fuiji mums with English ivy foliage and streamers of turquoise velvet ribbon.

Mr. Galigher served his son as best man. Ushergroomsmen were Lewis C. Decker, Jr., Ozark; Ronnie Davenport, Memphis, Frederick Campbell, Cleveland, Tenn.; and Faustino J. Gutierrez, Fort Rucker.

Immediately following the ceremony Mr.and Mrs.Dickinson entertained with a reception in Fellowship Hall, where they received with Mr. and Mrs. Galigher and the bridal couple.

For traveling the bride chose a bone wool knit dress with full length coat of navy, accented with navy and bone accessories. Her corsage was a white orchid from her bridal bouquet.

After a wedding trip to St. Petersburg, Florida the couple will be at home in Ozark.

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Novella Club holds first meet, votes $100 to Good Neighbors

The Novella Club met in the Club room at the Rec building on October second for its first meeting of the year with Marian Cotney, President presiding. Mrs. Janet Haynes and Mrs. Elsie Hardison were hostesses.

The ways and means committee reported that we would sponsor a Bar-B-que supper before Homecoming game on October 17. Other money making projects will probably be a rummage sale sometime during the year.

The Club voted to donate $100 to the Good Neighbor Club to help furnish its new meeting room at the Columbiana Housing project. Other projects which the Club voted to participate in during the year were shrubbery for the new County Library and books for the high school library.

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County wide friends of J. C. Walton, who has been care-taker for a number of years of the courthouse, will be glad to learn that he is convalescing satisfactorily in Shelby Memorial.

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Mr. and Mrs. Murray Armstrong (Dot Taylor) and their daughters, Kay and Ann Armstrong of Birmingham were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wales Wallace Jr.

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Regret to learn that Pop Whittle - - "everybody's friend" is a surgery patient in Baptist Medical Center Princeton. Glad however to learn that he is recuperating satisfactorily.

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Mrs. J. B. Turner Jr.'s friends will be delighted to learn that she is on the way to "get-well-again" after undergoing surgery at Baptist Medical Center last Saturday.

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Glad we had the opportunity, Monday to personally congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Graf Jr., who came from their home in Monroe, La., for a brief visit with friends in Columbiana.

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Mrs. Barbara Joiner was guest speaker at a mission meeting in Monroeville last Wednesday. Mrs. Gerald Fulton accompanied her and they were guests of honor at a luncheon following the program.

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Regret to learn that T. C. Rush Sr., is a patient in Shelby Memorial after suffering a partial stroke last week. Mr. Rush is a retired rural mail carrier and his many friends throughout the county await with personal interest a report on his condition.

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Wayne Rasco and Mr. and Mrs. Max Wood have returned from Monroe, La., where they attended the wedding of Oscar Stanley Graf, former resident of Columbiana, and Miss Ann Christy. The wedding was an event of Saturday evening, Oct. 4.

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Edwin Brasher, currently stationed with the U. S. Navy in Orlando, Fla., is expected home Oct. 24, for a two weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brasher of Shelby.

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Recently elected deacons at the First Baptist Church include N. A. Jones, Bobby Franks, J. B. Turner Jr., Owen Joiner and Joel Thompson.

GOLDEN WEDDING - - Mr. and Mrs. Clarence M. Winslett of Siluria, will be honored by their daughters: Mrs. Douglas Kent of Siluria and Mrs. George Borella of Oak Ridge, Tennessee, with a tea Sunday, October 12, from 2 until 5 P.M. The occasion will mark Mr. and Mrs. Winslett's golden Wedding Anniversary and will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas M. Kent Route 1, Siluria. Friends and relatives are invited.

Barbara Foster honoree

Miss Barbara Patrice Foster bride-elect of Wallace Michael Denson was honored at a luncheon and lingerie shower on Sept. 24. Hostesses were Mrs. Jack McGuire, Mrs. James McGuire and Mrs. Johnny Owens.

Guests were Mrs. John Foster, Mrs. A. J. McGuire, Mrs. John McGuire, Mrs. Dave Foster, Mrs. Bob Owens and Mrs. Tommy Owens.

Miss Foster and her bridal attendants were honored at a luncheon at the home of her grandmother Mrs. A. J. McGuire, Sept. 27.

Guests were Miss Debbie West, Miss Martha Brashier, Miss Jeanie Foster, Miss Ealine Foster, Mrs. John Foster, Mrs. Wallace Denson, Mrs. Dave Foster, Mrs. John McGuire, Mrs. Jack McGuire and Mrs. James McGuire.

L. Wallace celebrates birthday anniversary

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wallace was the scene of a joyous occasion last Sunday when their children and their families returned to Columbiana to celebrate the passing of his birthday. A delectable dinner was served following the morning hour of worship at the First Baptist Church, and present to extend "many happy returns" greetings were his parents - the Rev. and Mrs. W. V. Wallace of Tallassee; Mr. and Mrs. Joel Glaze (Ann Wallace) and their children, Suzanne, Jeffrey, Michael and Pam Glaze; Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace and their son Scott; Joe Wallace all of Athens; Miss Joanna Wilkerson of Birmingham; and Jerry Wallace, a student at Jefferson State.

Pre-nuptial parties honor Miss Payton

Mrs. Billy Coates, entertained with a linen shower at her home in Pelham last Monday evening in honor of bride-elect Dianne Payton.

On Oct. 4, Miss Payton was the honoree at a lingerie shower hosted by Miss Diane Whiteard at the home of her mother Mrs. Whiteard, on Woodland Drive, Homewood. Pink and white floral arrangements were carried out in the decorations and in the refreshments.

Games and contests were enjoyed by the guests who were: Mrs. Tommy Bullard of Birmingham; Misses Carol Poole, Beverly Martin, Connie Martin, Mrs. George Payton, Mrs. Zora Leach of Siluria; and Mrs. Allan Suttle, Misses Shirley Wallace, Nena Carter, Mrs. Stella Roberts and Mrs. Gerald Fulton of Columbiana.

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Choir officers

Following the choral rehearsal on the evening of Sept. 29, Kenneth Walton, president of the Sanctuary Choir of the First Baptist Church, announced a nominating committee composed of Mable Franks, chairman; Ann Rasco and Malcolm Joiner who were instructed to bring before the choral group at the next meeting names of the officers nominated for the new church year.

As soon as all officers and members of the music committee are chosen, a special installation service will be held, according to an announcement made by Gaines Hyche, Minister of Music and Youth.

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The Novella Club members will serve a barbeque plate dinner preceding the SCHS vs Montevallo High Football team on the evening of Oct. 17. Tickets are now on sale. They will appreciate your reservation.

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Friends of Mrs. Elvie Farmer will be glad to learn that she has accepted the position of cashier in the Columbiana 5 and 10.

Columbiana PTA meets Oct.14

The Columbiana PTA will hold its monthly meeting at the Columbiana Elementary School Tuesday, October 14, 1969, at 7:00 P. M. Parents are urged to visit with teachers in class rooms and the program will start at 7:30 P. M.

This is a very important meeting, and we urge all parents concerned to attend this meeting.

Mrs. Bill Thompson

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Mrs. Sterling Mayo (Lucille Crawford), former resident of Columbiana now residing in Bessemer, spent Tuesday in Columbiana visiting old friends.

Music Festival being planned

Gaines Hyche, Minister of Music and Youth for the First Baptist Church, has announced that instead of the usual annual cantata at Christmas, he will direct a Christmas Festival of Music at which time all his choirs will participate. Watch for the date of presentations.

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Mrs. Benny Morris is spending this week in Honolulu where she met her husband who is on rest leave from war-torn Vietnam.

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Glad to learn that Miss Irene Bishop is at her home satisfactorily recuperating from eye surgery.

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Mr. and Mrs. Luther Curlee are still enjoying their 42-day ship trip to many foreign countries. A card across the pond reveals their whereabouts this week. It came from the hotel Daniel Royal, Excelsior Venezie. We appreciate the thoughtful remembrance of us from Columbiana's most widely travelled couple.

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LEGAL NOTICE
Estate of A. J. Hartsfield Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 25th day of September, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

John S. Hartsfield
10-2,9,16,1969. No. 94.

Advertisement for Bids

The Housing Authority of the Town of Montevallo P.O. Box 13, Montevallo, Alabama 35115.

Sealed Bids will be received by the Authority at its office, 13 Wadsworth St. Montevallo, Alabama, until 4:00 p.m., central standard time, on Thurs., Oct. 23, 1969.

The work consists of reroofing 18-buildings Project Ala. 79-1-2 located in Montevallo, Alabama.

The Bid Documents, including, specifications, General and Special Conditions, will be available at the Authority's office from Thurs., Oct. 9, 1969. to Wed. Oct. 22, 1969.

Bid Security in the form of a money order, certified check, or cashier's check, made payable to the Authority as named in the Invitation, or a satisfactory Bid Bond, in an amount not less than five percent of the bid, will be required, and must accompany the bid.

The authority reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Brenace Birdsong
Executive Director
10-9,16,1969,c. †100.

Legal Notice

The State of Alabama, Shelby County
PROBATE COURT,
September 19, 1969

This day came Lee Reinhardt, Guardian of the Estate of Effie S. Reinhardt, a person of unsound mind, now deceased, and files his accounts, vouchers, evidence and statement for a final settlement of his said Administration of said Guardianship Estate.

It is ordered that the 21st day of October, 1969 at 10:00 A.M., be, and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.

Witness my hand this 19th day of September, 1969.

s/Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
9-25, 10-2,9,1969 †92.

Mortgage
Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Mary E. Daniel and husband, Gideon H. Daniel to Jack Talyor on the 19th day of February 1965, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 292, Page 371, Record of Mortgages, which said mortgage was duly transferred and assigned to American National Bank of Birmingham on the 19th day of February, 1965 by instrument recorded in Volume 234, Page 361, in said Probate Office, the undersigned, National Bank of Commerce, formerly known as American National Bank of Birmingham, as mortgagee - transferee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Shelby County Courthouse at Columbiana, Alabama, on the 15th day of October, 1969, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Begin at the NW corner of the SW¼ of the NW¼ of Sec. 21, Tp. 19, S., Range 2 West; thence run East along the North boundary line of said SW¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 21, Tp. 19 S., R. 2 W., 439.04 feet, more or less, to a point on the West right of way line of County Road; No. 17; thence turn an angle of 111 deg. 16' to the right and run Southwesterly along the West right of way line of said road 118.7 ft.; thence turn an angle of 1 deg. 48' to the right and continue along the West R. O. W. line of said road 100.0 ft.; thence turn an angle of 2 deg. 29' to the right and continue along the West right of way line of said road 100.0 ft; thence turn an angle of 2 deg. 38' to the right and continue along the West R. O. W. line of said road 100.0 ft.; thence turn an angle of 2 deg. 59' to the right and continue along the West R.O.W. line of said road 100.0 ft.; thence turn an angle of 2 deg. 35' to the right and continue along the West R.O.W. line of said road 100.0 ft.; thence turn an angle of 1 deg. 27' to the right and continue along the West R.O.W. line of said road 119.65 ft.; thence turn an angle of 3 deg. 18' to the right and continue along the West R.O.W. line of said road 93.46 feet, more or less, to the point of intersection of the West R.O.W. line of said road and the West boundary line of the SW¼ of the NW¼ of Sec. 21, Township 19, South, Range 2 West; thence turn an angle of 138 deg. 58' to the right and run North along the West boundary line of the SW¼ of the NW¼, Sec. 21, Township 19, South, Range 2 West, for 722.02 ft more or less, to the point of beginning. Being a part of SW¼ of NW¼, Sec. 21, Township 19 South, Range 2 West, and being 4.09 acres, more or less, situated in Shelby County, Alabama. Mineral and mining rights excepted and reserved.

This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.

National Bank of Commerce, formerly known as American National Bank of B'Ham
Mortgagee-Transferee
Charles L. Denaburg
1201 Brown Marx Bldg.
Birmingham, Alabama
Attorney for Mortgagee-Transferee
9-25,—10-2,9,1969 †91.

Mortgage Foreclosure
Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Tom Posey and wife, Grace Posey to Diamond Construction Company of Alabama on the 23rd day of January, 1962, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 276, Record of Mortgages, at Page 977, the undersigned Diamond Construction Company of Alabama as mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Shelby County Courthouse at Columbiana, Alabama, on the 29th day of October, 1969, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

A parcel situated in the NE¼ of the NE¼ of Section 23, Township 21 South, Range 3 West; Commence at the Northwest corner of said quarter-quarter and in a southerly direction along the West line of said quarter-quarter, run a distance of 93.19 feet, to the South right of way line of the public road known as Smokey Road for the point of beginning; thence continue along the same said course for a distance of 210.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 102 deg. 46 min. to the left for a distance of 210.0 feet to the South right of way line of the above said road; thence turn an angle of 77 deg. 14 min. to the left along the South right of way line of said road for a distance of 210.0 feet to the point of beginning, according to survey of W. M. Douglas, Registered Land Surveyor, dated November 2, 1961.

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This the 25th day of September, 1969.

Diamond Construction Company of Alabama
Mortgagee
Earl C. Bloom, Jr.
Attorney for Mortgagee
10-2,9,16,1969. †96.

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Heart of Dixie

By Guest Gary Richardson

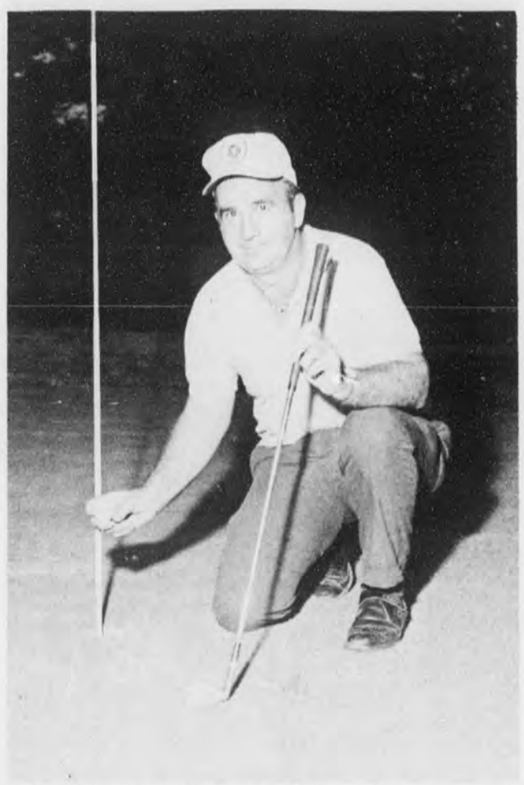
In the year of the heralded wishbone-T formation, wide-open offense and high scoring are trademarks of football. However, old fashioned defense is still plenty effective. Just ask the Shelby Wildcats! Shelby whipped Pell City 20 – 6 last Friday for their fifth consecutive win. Pell City's touchdown was the first points scored on the winners this year. In other games, Montevallo downed Jemison 22 – 8, Vincent routed Thompson 37 – 6, and Calera rolled over Chelsea 26 – 3.

Quarterback Ben Smith hooked up on scoring strikes of 15, 11, and 10 yards in the Wildcats' win. Charlie Wilder added a pair of extra points.

Larry Fields hit paydirt on runs of 82, 79, and 9 yards for Montevallo. Anthony Staffney tossed PAT passes to Roy Goggins and Shannon Allen.

In the Vincent - Thompson game, Howard Garrett hit on three T D passes and Steve Clinkscales also scored twice. Randy Channell got the Warriors' only six-pointer.

Calera used the running of Steve Golden and passing of Rick Ousley to take care of Chelsea. Golden scored on runs of 65 and 3-yards, and Ousley hurled a touchdown pass to Tommy Moon. Kyle Duncan returned an intercepted pass 32-yards for the other Eagle tally. Bill Warren accounted for Chelsea's only points with a field goal.



BUXAHATCHEE HOLE–IN–ONE - - Jim Duncan of Calera shot the first hole-in-one in the history of County Club golf course last Sunday afternoon. He drove the ball 170 yards on hole number five, and took a good natured ribbing from George Roy the rest of the afternoon. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

WHISTLING THROUGH THE NURSERY - - His loyal "Whistling Through - " readers won't believe it, but this really is Ed Blake, dressed in the uniform required at Shelby Memorial's nursery for photographing babies. It was so much trouble to put on the mask, hat and gown, he had to take a picture so people would believe it. (It's no mean trick to photograph yourself in a mirror). Though he's absent from writing his "Whistling" column this week, he can be heard whistling cheerfully all over Shelby County, as he takes up the happy chores of fatherhood.

Calera, Thompson win football action

Calera and Thompson teams were winners in Shelby County Boys Football League action last Saturday night.

The Calera Giants in the 75-pound league boosted their winning streak to two games by defeating the Chelsea Rams, 26-6. The Calera Colts, 100-pounders, downed the Chelsea Falcons, 28-12.

The Thompson Cowboys in the 75-pound division blanked the Montevallo Bears, 36-0. The Thompson Redskins, 100-pounders, defeated the Montevallo Chiefs, 32-20.

League games are scheduled for October 9 at 6:30 p.m. when Montevallo travels to Thompson and Chelsea visits Calera.

Three county men pledge

Auburn fraternities have pledged 435 men to membership and University of Alabama fraternities have pledged 362 men. Each school has 25 different fraternities.

Pledging at Auburn were James Allen Youtz, Phi Kappa Tau; and Robert Wilson Scott, Sigma Nu. Both men are from Montevallo.

At the Universtiy, Andy Barrett of Calera pledged Chi Phi.

Alumni invited

Homecoming at Thompson Oct. 17

Homecoming '69 at Thompson High School is planned for October 17, 1969, when the Thompson Warriors meet the Calera Eagles at 8 p.m. for the kick-off. Tradition and innovation merged in the planning of this year's activities.

Tribute will be paid to all Thompson graduates and especially to the graduating classes of '29, '39, '49, '59, and '64. A reception honoring all alumni is scheduled for October 17 in the Home Economics Department from 12:30 to 2 p.m. Members of the honored classes are asked by the THS Alumni Association to meet briefly in the school cafeteria at 7:30 p. m. on October 17 to register and to secure complimentary tickets for reserved seats at the game. Immediately following the game, there will be a brief alumni business meeting and an informal "social hour" featuring live entertainment.

Another post-game activity will be the traditional Homecoming Dance in the school auditorium. The 1969 THS Homecoming Queen and her Court will be presented and honored at this time. Admission will be $2.00 per couple or $1.25 stag.

Pre-game activities begin October 16 with a bonfire celebration on the back campus at 7 p. m.

A special Homecoming Pep Rally in the school gym on Friday, October 17 at 2 p.m. will feature skits from each class.

All Thompson High school Alumni are invited and encouraged to participate in the activities planned for Homecoming '69.

Montevallo troop sponsor sale

By Bert Seaman

Montevallo Cadette Troop 187 will sponsor a sale of new and used uniforms and equipment Oct. 11 from 1:30 - 3:30 p.m. in the Felloship Hall of the Methodist Church. Anyone wishing to sell a uniform may call 668-2417 for further information.

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Dr. and Mrs. John W. Scott Jr. of Atlanta spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Scott Sr.

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Dr. and Mrs. Norwood Fleming left Monday for Ramstein Germany where they will be stationed for a three year tour of duty in the Air Force. Mrs. Fleming's parents are Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Orr, Jr.

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J. D. Wilson

Former resident with Pat Boone

A man who once owned and operated a roadside service station and grocery store near Oak Mountain State Park is now associated with famed singer Pat Boone in a new nation-wide restaurant franchise endeavor which will bear Boone's name.

He is John David (J. D.) Wilson, son of Mrs. John Wilson of Shelby County, a lunchroom employee at Valley School. Wilson is married to the former Addie Rebecca Street of this community. Mrs. Wilson is a sister of Carl and Ben Street and Mrs. Owen (Virginia) DeShazo of the Cahaba Valley community.

While Wilson continues his work as an area supervisor for Western Electric Co. in Nashville, he is also a member of the board of directors of Pat Boone Favorite Foods of America Enterprises. In fact, the original idea for the franchise came from the former Shelby County resident, who says:

"I had heard stories in Nashville about how Kentucky Fried Chicken and then Minnie Pearl Fried Chicken franchises were started - - how they made many Nashvillians millionaires - - and despite the fact that I am not wealthy I thought, 'If someone else can do it, why can't I?' "

Wilson's idea was to have a restaurant franchise which catered to families and which offered all the conveniences of a fast food, carry-out type service but at the same time offered a variety of foods. He discussed the concept with a young stock broker friend, Dan Gilbert, who also happened to be a friend of Pat Boone. The word spread, others were interested, Boone was contacted and became one of the founding board members and an active promoter of the business.

As a board member himself, Wilson takes part in decision-making processes of the new corporation, which already has three restaurants operating, In Old Hickory, Springfield and Shelbyville, Tenn. Two others are under construction in the Nashville area, and nation-wide expansion is planned at the rate of one restaurant per month.

Wilson has worked his way up the success ladder. The 45-year old executive, who directs the activities of more than 200 management and technical employees of Western Electric, was one of seven children. A native of Maplesville, Ala., he left school midway through the seventh grade, in the midst of the depression.

Of his background on the family farm, Wilson says: "Now that I'm older and can look back to my childhood more objectively I can see what a wonderful opportunity and life I had. In the last ten years, I have personally hired dozens of young boys for installation work. Boys with farm backgrounds have consistently out-performed city-raised boys in our work. The farm kids still try to conceal their farm backgrounds when applying for employment. It's ironic, because it is looked on as one of the strongest assets by most of our employment supervisors."

At 18, though, Wilson left the family farm in Chilton County. After his marriage, he and his wife operated Wilson's grocery and service station near Oak Mountain.

After a stint in the Navy, Wilson joined Western Electric and began scaling the promotion ladder. Today he is considered one of the company's top supervisors and is as much at home with the advanced technology of microwave repeaters as he was on the Alabama farm of his boyhood.

He and his wife have three sons, Ronald, 18; David, 14, and Douglas, 2.

PLAN FOOD CHAIN - - Singer Pat Boone, left, goes over expansion plans for Pat Boone Favorite Foods of America with board members Joe William King, Joseph Dan Gilbert and former Shelby County resident J. D. Wilson.

Pop concert at UM Sunday

An outdoor pops concert will be presented by the University of Montevallo Wind Ensemble Sunday afternoon.

The 50-member band will perform selections such as "Autumn Leaves", "The Sound of Music", "Trumpet Voluntary" by Purcell, and others.

This is the first in a series of pops concerts by the UM Wind Ensemble directed by John Owen.

Sunday's concert will be at 4:00 p.m. on the Montevallo campus quadrangle. The public is invited to attend free of charge.

J. M. Lovelady on Kitty Hawk

Airman Apprentice Jackie M. Lovelady, USN, son of Mrs. Eula M. Lovelady of Route 1, Chelsea, and husband of the former Miss Karen A. Moore of 224 Hall Ave., Birmingham, is serving aboard the aircraft carrier USS Kitty Hawk which recently returned to the United States after an eight-month deployment to Vietnam.

The ship recently changed homeports from San Diego, Calif., to Bremerton, Wash. There the ship will undergo nine months of repairs and maintenance overhaul.

News reading demonstrations

Demonstrations on news reading were offered to county elementary school teachers last week.

The series of class demonstration lessons and conferences were conducted by Miss Lucy Lockhart, Consultant from American Education Publications, Middletown, Conn.

The series was held at the Alabaster School.

The purpose of the professional consultant service program is to help meet the need for improved instruction in both reading and current affairs. Miss Lockahrt's services to the county are made available without charge by American Education Publications, publishers of the well-known MY WEEKLY READER, CURRENT EVENTS, and READ magazine.

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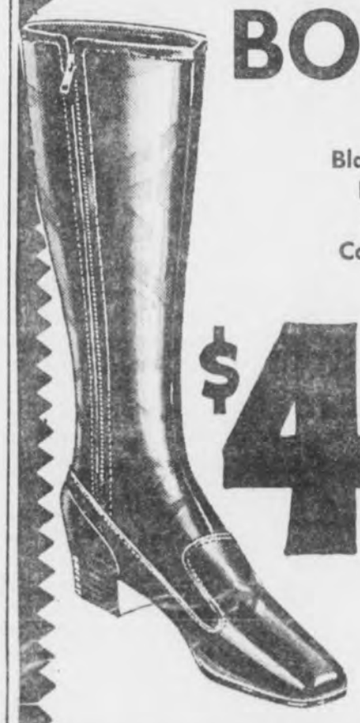

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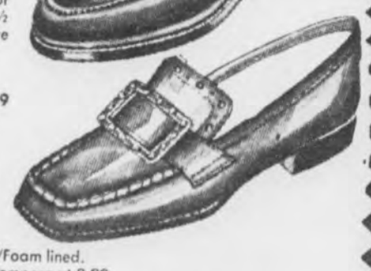

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4-H WEEK - - Participating in National 4-H Week are (from left) Tim Moody, Mrs. Inez Bird, teacher-sponsor at Columbiana elementary school for many years, and Sharon Rasco.

Rummage sales produce bargains in Shelby County

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

Have you ever been to a rummage sale? If not, you have missed an experience of getting "bargains". The writer attended one at Harpersville and it was amazing to see the price tags on articles marked down so low in these days of inflation. Can you imagine obtaining a "nearly new" dress for 50-cents?, a pair of men's shoes for 50-cents, or a summer purse for 25-cents? I also found a marriage certificate included with one of the purses. Couln't help but wonder if marriages are being thus included.

Sales were sponsored by the Shelby County Extension Homemakers Clubs for the purpose of making a contribution to the new Shelby County Library. They were held simultaneously at Alabaster, Montevallo, and Harpersville, by the Clubs in those vicinities.

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Sears Brasher, of Chelsea Community, is convalescing at home after suffering a heart attack.

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The news from St. Vincent's Hospital about two of our citizens is very favorable this week. They are Frank Elliott and Stanley Whiten. Mr. Whiten is expected home today, which is very good news.

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(Written for last week)

Westover is glad to salute another new family and new home this week. Mr. and Mrs. O. Allen Bailey and two daughters, Paula and Nenita, come to us from Prattville. Mr. Bailey is a native of Arista, W. Va. Mrs. Bailey, the former Sue Ware, is a native of Billingsley. They are members of the Primitive Baptist Church.

Mr. Bailey was formerly employed by the Rust Engineering Company, but is now self-employed doing construction work.

This new home is not completed, but shows that it will be one of our more attractive homes. The idyllic lane across the meadows and branch leads you to this beautiful setting for a lovely home. You know, Baptist like, it was about church time when I called upon this lovely family, and they most graciously invited me to come back for more visits and to get better acquainted with the family.

Visitors in the Bailey home for the week-end were Mr. Kenna Lilly, of Beckley, W. Va.; Mrs. Lewis Hatcher and Mrs. Kenneth Bailey, of Spanisburg, W. Va.

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The children and relatives of Mrs. Morrison welcomed her return home from the hospital with a birthday dinner at her home. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Mimmie Morrison, Bobbie Morrison, and Mrs. Nell Pardue. We wish for her many more such birthdays with her family.

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The arrival of a son for Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie McWorter, of Monroeville, La., is being heralded by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McWhorter, of Westover. The mother is the former Jackie Brasher of Sterrett. Michael Lynn is the name chosen for him.

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Revival services began on October 5 at the Westover Church of God. Rev. Adrian Blackmon is the pastor.

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Mrs. Alton Brasher has returned home from the Baptist Medical center, Montclair Road, after having local surgery.

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Private First Class Donald W. McWhorter, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McWhorter, has completed his basic training at Paris Island, So. Carolina, and is now in Camp Le Juene, N. C., finishing eight-weeks - schooling where he is learning mechanics. Mrs. McWhorter says that she is proud to know that she sent the services a "boy" and they are making a "man" of him. Westover is proud of the boys who have entered services from here and the records which each of them have made.

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The writer wishes to correct the error in reporting the place of the meeting of the Westover Homemaking Club. The Club met in the home of Mrs. Charles Reeves, on West Highway 280, instead of the John G. Reeves, as reported.

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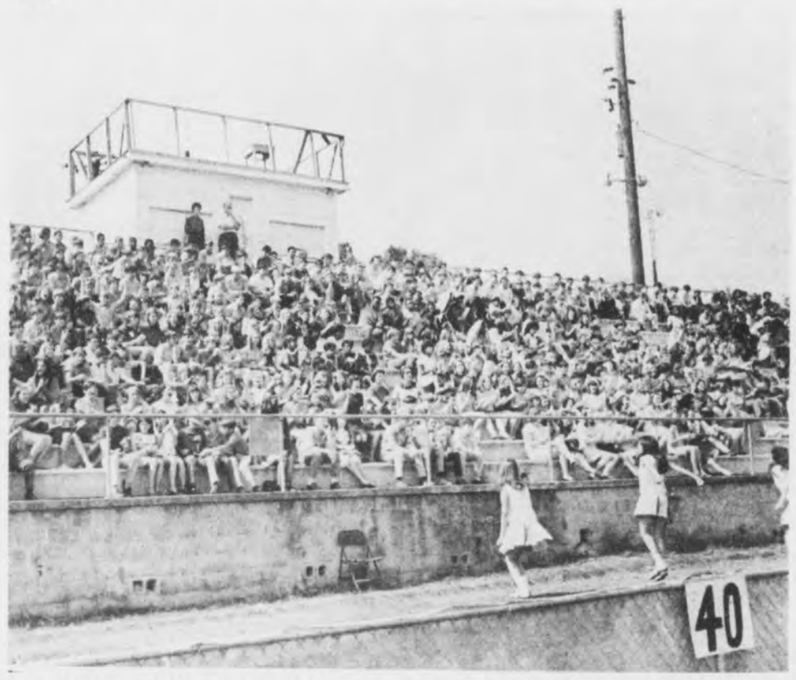
J. W. Reynolds at Sheppard AB

John W. Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Reynolds of Rt. 1, Siluria, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to Sheppard AFB, Tex., for training in aircraft maintenance. Airman Reynolds is a 1969 graduate of Thompson High school.

SMALL FRY ON HAND - - Special guests at the homecoming pep rally in Montevallo were elementary school students, who were completely absorbed in action of the spirited rally.



MHS HOMECOMING PEP RALLY - - Part of the throng gathered at the Montevallo football stadium during last week's homecoming pep rally.

CALERA CHEERLEADERS - - Keeping in practice for the football season are the Calera cheerleading squad. Bottom row, from left, Sharon Scott, Polly Woote, head, and Carolyn Cupp. Second row, Anita Collum and Barbara Scott. Alone at the top is Sheila Ousley.

LITTLE MISS FOOTBALL CONTEST

Any girl 6 to 15 years of age may enter the Montevallo Little Miss Football contest. A fund-riasing drive to support the little football team.

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Five from county training at UEI

Five men from Shelby County have started training at United Electronics Institute.

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David Alexander, a graduate of Thompson High School, is the son of L. E. Alexander, Alabaster.

Jimmie W. Davis, a graduate of Chelsea High School, is the son of Mrs. Inez B. Davis, Sterrett.

John C. Rooks, a graduate of Chelsea High School, is the son of Timothy Rooks, Chelsea.

Jerry W. Watkkins, a graduate of Shelby County High School, is the son of A.R. Watkins, Wilsonville.

Sylane Whitfield, a graduate of Vincent High School, is the son of Mrs. Nonnie Whitfield, Sterrett.

LEGAL NOTICE

Estate of Marvin G. Elliott Deceased.

PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 25th day of September, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Myrtle Irene Elliott
as Executrix of Last Will & Testament of Marvin G. Elliott, deceased
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Legal Notice

Estate of L. Handy Ellis Deceased.

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Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 1 day of October, 1969. by the Hon. C. M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

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Activities at New Hope

By Mrs. J. M. Denson
(Written for last week)

Mrs. A. B. Davis has returned to her home in New Orleans after spending several days here as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. James Wright and family.

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Mr. Earl Morgan is improving at his home here after undergoing surgery at the Veterans Hospital recently.

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Allen Miller who is a student at Emory University in Atlanta was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Pedigo here for the week end.

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Mrs. Sylvester Brashier who is in the South Highland Hospital is showing much improvement after having surgery there.

Mrs. J. A. Nevin and Miss Evelyn Moore spent Sunday where they visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Moore and other relatives.

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Among the families who have new homes in the area are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Long. We extend to these and a number of others a hearty welcome.

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The Stott Circle of the C.P.W. enjoyed an inspiring meeting at the Manse recently when Mrs. Talmadge Bright was hostess to this group. Mrs. Dora Bailey gave the devotional and Mrs. Joe Lester was responsible for the program.

FOR LURLEEN MEMORIAL - - Reid Long (1) county chairman of the Lurleen B. Wallace Cancer Memorial Hospital fund, accepts a check for $1,000 from the Shelby County Medical Association, represented by Dr. Harry Phillips of Columbiana. Long reports that thus far Shelby Countians have contributed or pledged almost $11,000.00 toward this fund with a goal of $35,000.00. Principal activities thus far have been in Harpersville, Montevallo, and Alabaster areas. (Photo by Ed Blake)

NASDVA elects Head

Walter C. Head, Jr., director of the Alabama Department of Veterans Affairs, has been elected as President of the National Association of State Directors of Veterans Affairs at the organization's annual meeting in the Virgin Islands during the past week.

Bill Clark, veterans Service Officer for Shelby County states that "this is another great honor for the State of Alabama as a whole and particularly for its veterans and our Department of Veterans Affairs".

Mr. Head has been associated with the Alabama Department of Veterans Affairs since 1945. He has served in various official capacities since this date. He has a distinguished service record from World War II in the U. S. Combat Engineers and was promoted from private to Lt. Colonel. He has the bronze star medal with V clasp. He is married, has two children and resides in Montgomery. Mr. Head is a frequent guest in the home of his kinsmen Frank and Oliver Head in Columbiana and is receiving congratulations from his friends in Shelby County upon the above national merited recognition.

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Open doors to teachers

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deal to contribute, and they are eager to learn and to contribute.

"In fact," she said, "they are quite verbal" - - a comment quickly siezed upon and explained by a group member to mean "we're gabby and talk a lot!"

Mrs. Malone laughingly agreed but noted that the talk is interesting and relevant, and includes many good questions that indicate a keen interest and insight into the problems of education.

The teachers - turned - coed have their own appraisal of the program: "great fun," "challenging" and "gratifying" are terms commonly heard. They also agree that their instructors are helpful and "wonderously patient."

Members of the short-term class are deeply impressed by the friendliness of the younger students on campus. "They've gone out of their way to be helpful and to make us feel that we are a part of the total action here," one observed.

Mrs. Jo Turner of Birmingham, who is a U. of M. alumnus, said she was sure the atmosphere would have changed at Montevallo since her graduation. She amended her feelings, however.

"I was amazed," she declared. "It has grown and there are new buildings, and many more students than when I was first here - - but it still seems 'little bitty' and friendly."

Among other things, Mrs. Turner noted her pleasure at catching up with and matching her son in mathematics - - "he's now in the second grade!"

Participants are often seen by students they had taught in earlier years and who are now enrolled at the U. of M. It's generally a wide-eyed "what-are- you - doing-here reunion, and the ex-teachers say it seems to stun the young scholars that their all-knowing, all-seeing instructor of years past should ever have to return to the classroom herself.

The 16-week semester will be divided into two parts for EDPA students: eight weeks of on-campus studies and eight weeks of practice teaching. In practice teaching they will rotate between schools within and between cooperating systems.

During a year-long In Service program, they will be consulted for advice in correcting errors of the initial program and in building upon its strengths.

Program administrators and professors are admittedly feeling their way along at this stage. One of the leaders touched on a major strong point of the program, however, when he recently pointed up its orperational philosophy: "We don't know it all!"

After all, that's the name of the game.

Sgt. T. Clemons gets Bronze Star

Army Staff Sergeant Turner Clemons Jr., 39, son of Mrs. Lucille Clemons, Route 1, Vincent, received the Bronze Star Medal August 13 at Ft. Eustis, Va.

S.Sgt. Clemons was presented the award for meritorious service in ground operations against hostile forces during his last assignment in Vjetnam.

He is motor sergeant in the Reserve Component Division in the Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Operations, U. S. Army Transportation Center and Ft. Eustis, Va.

His wife, Sarah, lives in Williamsburg, Va.

Thomas Wright to Chanute AB

Airman Thomas Wright, son of Earnest Wright Jr. of Siluria, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to Chanute AFB, Ill., for training in aircraft maintenance. Airman Wright, a graduate of Prentice High school in Montevallo, attended Wenonah State Junior College in Birmingham. His mother, Mrs. Fannie M. Wright, resides in Bessemer.

Scott retires

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as a trustee.

He and Mrs. Scott also maintain a farm southeast of Montevallo where they expect to live "after all the children are educated."

Scott will be succeeded at USS by Morton H. Perry of Birmingham.

NOTICE TO SHELBY COUNTY PROPERTY OWNERS
Have you bought or sold any property during the past year ?
Have you built a new house on your property ? Or on leased land?
Do you own a mobile home?
If so, then it is necessary for you to come by the office and assess this property before January 15, 1970.
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Shelby County Reporter

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PEEWEE SMOKE EATERS - - It takes a monumental effort for Dennise Deason and Bart Dennis (l-r) to balance their too-big fire helmets, anchor themselves in oversized firemen's boots and keep proper control of the fire hose . . . all at the same time. With help from Montevallo Volunteer Fireman Harry Klotzman, however, the pint-size smoke eaters make a good show of it during National Fire Prevention Week activities at Montevallo Elementary School where both are first-graders. Dennise is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Deason, 834 Wilson Dr., Montevallo, and Bart is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dennis, Rt. 1, Marvel.

County Board of Revenue adopts $1,595,120.50 budget for year

A county budget totaling $1,595,102.50 was adopted by the Board of Revenue Monday morning. The budget is for the fiscal year Oct. 1, 1969 to September 30, 1970.

The sum of $622,502.50 is allocated from the general fund and $972,600.00 is budgeted from the combined gasoline fund, road and bridge fund and the public highway and traffic fund.

The latter figure will be spent in the program of the county highway department. This department spent $1,021,375 in 1968-69.

According to Board of Revenue Chairman, Conrad M. Fowler, the reduction in services of the highway department for the coming year will be greater than the $56,000 difference might indicate.

The board has approved a $15 per month increase in pay for county employees, that will add approximately $18,000 to the amount paid for wages and fringe benefits per year. In addition, the board expects to have to purchase or trade several items of equipment, costing an estimated $30,000 to $40,000 during the coming year.

Major items of expenditure from the general fund are: Board of Revenue, $33,000; operations within courthouse, $37,000; operations of courts, $50,400; operation of jail, $17,400; operation of the sheriff's department $95,000; farm extension program $20,400; repayment of bank notes, $50,000; employee retirement program $50,000; state forestry service $16,200 plus $8,000 for the cost of a new building to serve as garage and headquarters for forestry personnel and as a storage area for county voting machines; county health department $26,576; elections $9,700; county library board $20,225; garage disposal program, $10,000; and surplus commodity program $11,300.

Carried over for the new budget year was $19,000 in the Road and Bridge Fund, $22,700 to be received from the state highway department for work done by the county under contract with the state, and $13,800 in the Gasoline Fund plus $53,000 in gasoline tax received in October but credited as a receipt in 1968-69. At this point the board does not expect that the 1969-70 budget will provide a surplus for emergencies that might also be carried forward to the next year.

Final work and adoption of the county budget was delayed this year until the election results on the proposed one-cent gasoline tax were known.

NEWLY CAPPED AIDES - - Aides receiving their caps in recent ceremonies at Shelby Memorial Nursing Home are: (from left, seated), Mary Ann Davis, Laurie Dawson, class sponsor Mrs. Martha Luker, Debbie McDonald, Cindy Smitherman, (standing) Jeannie Jones, Sandra Grill, Barbara Duke, Debbie Seagle, Deidre Campbell, Cindy Jones, Teresa Whitfield and Charlotte Jarvis. (Photo by Steve Huffstutler)

DOWNBEAT FOR BRASS - - Members of the trumpet section in the Calera High School band work under the baton of Rick White (left), a University of Montevallo music major, during week end exercises. Trumpeters are: (l-r, seated) Mike Hallford, Donna Coleman, Douglas Williams, (standing), Sharon Pearson and Dale Brasher.

Cutback underway in Highway Dept.

By Conrad M. Fowler
Chairman, Bd. of Revenue

The necessity to reduce the program of the County Highway Department as a consequence of reductions in funds available, has again come to the County Governing Body. In 1967, following the redistribution of the gasoline tax by the state legislature and the court ordered reduction of ad valorem assessments of public utilities, the Board of Revenue parked one of two road construction units, thus cutting in half the construction program of the County Highway Department.

Further reductions in the program must now be made as a result of the cumulative effect of the revenue adjustments that occurred in 1967. Members of the Board of Revenue have taken a long hard look at the activities of the Highway Department and have determined that a tractor-pan unit used in the construction program and two trucks will be parked in an effort to bring expenditures within anticipated receipts for 1969-70. Reductions in other areas are being considered.

Members of the Board regret the necessity to reduce services at this time of rapid growth. The gasoline tax election gave the voters of Shelby County the opportunity to advise the Board of their wishes. The two to one vote against the 1-cent gas tax measure left no doubt that the people preferred to

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'BONE PLAYERS - - Ronnie Nabors (left) and Thomas Wilson (center), trombone players at Calera High, work coordination scales with U. of M. student Steve Daniel, Gadsden, during Saturday's special music training session. U. of M. students devoted the full day to assisting the Calera Band.

Montevallo Girl Scout troops to attend annual Tent-O-Rama

Approximately 500 Cadette and Senior Girl Scouts from the seven-county Cahaba Council jurisdiction will be "taking to the woods" for the Council's annual Tent-O-Rama on October 17, 18 and 19th. The event is scheduled for Noccalula Park in Gadsden.

Two troops from Montevallo will be attending. Nine seniors with Mrs. Frank Ledford and Miss Barbara Adamson in charge will attend and Mrs. Hugh Youngblood and Mrs. J. D. Seamon will lead ten girls from Troop 187.

Friday evening will be spent by the girls in settling in, pitching tents, getting acquainted with other Girl Scouts, and generally getting ready for the week-end activities. Patrol leaders from each of the patrols registered at the camp will meet for a Camp Council meeting and discussion of plans for the week-end.

The Saturday program will begin with a hearty breakfast cooked by the girls, on bucket stoves. Four art workshops covering copper tooling, clay modeling, paper collage, sketching and drawing will be coordinated by Mrs. Jessie Jones, Columbiana, art director of the State Department of Education. Consultants will be Mr. Joe Milazzo, art instructor at John Carrol High School, Mrs. Mary Charles Painter, art teacher with the Jefferson County School System and Miss Jan Turner, junior student at Samford University. Mrs. Jones will also serve as art consultant for one of the workshops.

Included in the day's activities will be a tour of the Park's Botanical Gardens and Pioneer Village, a reconstructed village consisting of split log buildings taken from their original sites in "Davy Crockett Country" near Lawrenceburg, Tennessee. Built by pioneers around 1777, the buildings and furnishings portray the early settlers' way of life.

The Saturday night camp fire will wind up the day's activities where singing and skits will highlight the program.

After cooking breakfast on Sunday morning, the girls will gather for Sunday morning church service conducted by Reverend R. A. Van Landingham, minister of Bellevue Methodist Church, after which they will prepare to leave for home.

The Tent-O-Rama Coordinator is Mrs. Pat

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PTA officers urged to attend seminar

H. R. Moore of Chelsea, president of the county council PTA, urges all PTA officers, committee chairmen and members to attend a seminar October 24.

The seminar will be held at Palmer Hall on the University of Montevallo campus, sponsored on a state-wide basis by the PTA extension committee.

Dr. Kermit Johnson, President of U. M., is host for the seminar and will welcome the group.

Registration will be held from 9 to 9:30 a. m. The meeting will adjourn at noon.

Two U. M. students will be among the many outstanding personalities who will share a part of the program: Miss Peggy Jean Hill, Columbiana, President of U. M. chapter of the Association for Childhood Education, and Miss Particia Cash of Birmingham.

HENRY A. EMFINGER

Australians Rotary guests

Seven members of an Australian study exchange team will be guests of Montevallo's Rotary Club this weekend.

The travelling Australians are in the United States and visiting Alabama as a part of a Rotary program of international study. Last year a group of seven Alabamians toured Australia.

The Australians represent a cross section of that nation's business and professional community.

The Australians, who have been in North Alabama for several days will arrive in Montevallo saturday morning and will see their first

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Henry Emfinger authors book on his hometown of Aldrich

By Marcia M. Sears

Truman Aldrich "knew as much about practical coal mining as a horse about holy water" when he leased the famous Montevallo coal mines in 1873.

Yet in two years he cornered the Alabama coal market, drove out imported English coal and was netting for himself $10,000 per year.

He and his brother William F. Aldrich raised production from 6,000 tons in 1873 to 40,000 tons in 1909.

Fascinating anecdotes like these appear throughout a recently compiled book, "The Story of My Hometown, Aldrich, Alabama", by Henry A. Emfinger.

The book is a valuable contribution to the history of Shelby County, and should be on the bookshelf of every home.

Familiar names in modern Shelby County as well as historic names dot the book as Emfinger spins out the story of Aldrich from its beginning in 1849 to the present day.

The mine was the central force in Aldrich until 1942 and Emfinger tells of the operation run there by W. S. Lovell, Henry Bedham and Durias Thomas, after the Aldriches sold.

Mine superintendents and foremen he mentions are Charles Robins, Pleasant Shaw, William Hays, B. C. Moore, J. Dollar, A. H. Watson, Bill Lacey, C. I. Bennet and Bill Coats.

Pictures of early buildings appear throughout the book and the class of 1901 at the grammar school is shown.

For the author, compiling the information that led to publication was a labor he began in 1954 while a student at Montevallo High School.

He dedicates the book to the memory of Mr. Emmett Shaw, postmaster and lifelong resident of Aldrich, who once asked him, "Bunk, why don't you write a book about Aldrich?" to Mrs. Josephine Aldrich Harris and "the wonderful people and my lifelong friends who still live in my hometown, Aldrich, Alabama."

Emfinger researched for the book during the ensuing years while he studied at Samford University and Alabama College, (U.M.) and between tours of duty with the U. S. Air Force in Lackland AFB, Itazuke AB, Japan; Loring AFB, Maine; Robins AFB, Ga.; Nakhon Phanom RTAFB, Thailand; and Shaw AFB, S. C.

The book was privately printed and is now available from the author who lives at 1512 Copley Drive, Sumpter, S.C. 29150, where he is currently stationed.

The author moved to Aldrich in 1942 at the age of seven, by his own account, and witnessed first hand the changing of the community from a major mining center to a residential community. His affection for his home town is apparent in the sensitive manner in which he writes about the persons and events that figure in Aldrich's history.

The book is significant not only for the descendants of Aldrich residents, but also for its contribution to the telling of early Alabama political, church and mining life.

W. F. Aldrich was elected to Congress three times as a Republican from Shelby County, and each time had to contest the election, because the Democrats falsified the election returns. Emfinger includes several pages from the Congressional Record of 1896 which show the political problems of the day.

The Epsibeth Baptist Church was the first church built in Aldrich, and the autho includes several pages devoted to the religious life of th community.

He states in closing, "There is much more than is written in these few pages. There are many more yellowed newspaper clippings and old pictures in trunks and in dusty attics which are only to be found."

The author is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Emfinger o Aldrich. He married the forme Rosa Mae Green of Aldrich an they have three children Varonica Joy, 6; Kerry A., 3 and Rachelle, 18 months.

Among the author' achievements was bein selected Outstanding Airma of the year for 1966 by th 634 Combat Support Grou while stationed at Nakho Phanom Royal Thai AFE Thailand.

His present rank is Staf Sergeant in the office of Chie of Security Police, 36 Security police squadron.

The author has performed very useful service by writin this book. Historical accoun of Shelby County are very ra and information that has bee collected is sketchy. Th library at the University o

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Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

The Social Security Administration announces the following
VISIT SCHEDULE
for
October - December 1969

Your Social Security Representative for Shelby County is Mrs. Carlene Foster. If you have Social Security business you can contact her in:

CALERA
every Tuesday (except national holidays)
from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon
at the City Hall

or in:

COLUMBIANA
every Thursday (except national holidays)
from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon
at the County Court House

If you wish you can go to the Social Security office in Bessemer at 118 No. 18th Street. The office is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

If you cannot meet the representative in Calera or Columbiana and cannot go to Bessemer, telephone the office at 425-4334. Perhaps your business can be handled over the phone.

REMINDERS:

1. File for disability benefits as soon as possible after you become disabled.
2. File for retirement benefits 3 months before age 65 even if you plan to continue working so you can get all benefits of the Medicare program.
3. Contact your social security office right away if a worker in your family dies, becomes disabled, or is approaching age 65.

Courthouse personnel welcomed J. C. Walton back to his duties as custodian of the courthouse last week. The popular "J. C." reports that all the aides and nurses on the first floor at Shelby Memorial were "wonderful" to him during his stay there.

Six county trucks, parked for the weekend at the Pelham chert pit, were vandalized. They were found Monday morning with all windshields and door glass broken. Chief Deputy Joe Roden is investigating the incident, searching for fingerprints.

'The Story Of My Hometown, Aldrich, Alabama'

BY Henry A. Emfinger

An account of the history of Aldrich, Alabama, its people and interesting stories of its founders. All taken from old newspaper articles, history books, and conversations with old time residents. There are pictures of interest to everyone dated back to 1900.

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SUNSHINE SCATTERERS - - Aides participating in ceremonies at Shelby Memorial Hospital Nursing Home during which twelve new aides received caps are: (l-r, seated), Ista Bozeman, Becky Latham, sponsor Mrs. Barbara Waldrop, Camille Hines, Becky Buckner, (standing), Sherry Arnett, Vicki Waldrop, Sally Sears, Montevallo, Joyce Reach and Kay Davis. Not shown are Carol Roy and Merida Hines.

Volunteer aides receive caps at county nursing home

The latest of four groups to be "capped" as volunteer aides at Shelby Memorial Nursing Home earned their caps last Saturday.

The girls, all from the Siluria-Alabaster area took training courses for several weeks and agreed to work in the nursing home for 50 hours each upon completion of the course.

Sponsor of the newest group was Mrs. Martha Luker. The instruction program is under the direction of Mrs. Sue Baldwin, R. N. Speaker for the occasion was the hospital's Director of Nurses, Mrs. Wilma Kirkland.

Other groups who have taken the training are the "Sunshine Scatterers" from Alabaster - Siluria and two groups of senior Girl Scouts from Montevallo.

The hospital offers the training to girls as part of its in-service training program. Girls under 15 may assist in the nursing home. Those over 15 can qualify for duty in the hospital.

The Providence Baptist Church three miles south of Harpersville, will hold a regular singing Sunday October 19 at 1:30 p.m.

Elvin Green is chairman of arrangements.

Official gas tax election returns

The official returns for the election on the issue of the one-cent gasoline tax for Shelby County have been compiled and furnished to the Shelby County Reporter by Mrs. Mary Niven, Clerk of the Board of Revenue.

A few challenged votes altered the unofficial returns as reported in last week's issue only slightly.

The official return shows a total of 3,110 votes cast with 973 in favor of the gasoline tax and 2,137 opposed.

The vote by beat and box follows:

Beat	Box	Town	Yes	No
1	1A	Columbiana	56	93
1	1B	Columbiana	71	79
1	2	Shelby	23	65
1	3	Columbiana	82	57
2		RFD Shelby	28	25
3	1	Calera	34	130
3	2	Calera	8	73
4	1A	Montevallo	25	51
4	1B	Montevallo	35	62
4	2	Wilton	12	52
4	3	Montevallo	41	90
5		Bamford	12	24
6		Helena	47	70
7	1	Saginaw	30	67
7	2	Siluria	26	58
7	3	Alabaster	28	75
8		Chelsea	60	108
9	1	Wilsonville	53	73
9	2	Blue Springs	32	31
10	1	Harpersville	5	83
10	2	Cresswell	9	26
11		Westover	28	75
12		Cahaba Valley	36	44
13		Bowles Springs	13	25
14		Vandiver	15	20
15		Sterrett	5	18
16		Vincent	25	84
17	1	Pelham	31	129
17	2	Alabaster	32	80
18		Dunnavant	13	25
19	1	Maylene	24	41
19	2	Dogwood	12	65
20		Pearidge	3	109
21		Ebenezer	15	30
Absentee			4	0
TOTAL			973	2137

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Letter to Editor–

Reasons for 'No' vote

Route One, Box 50
Marvel, Alabama
October 11, 1969

Letter to The Editor:

Regarding an article in the Shelby County Reporter dated Thursday, October 9, 1969, on the proposed 1-cent gasoline tax bill, following are some of the reasons I believe this proposal was defeated.

I live on Pea Ridge and after discussing this proposal with many of the citizens of this community, I felt I had to defend our actions as the article stated Pea Ridge voted down the bill by a vote of 108 to 3.

First, we have one of the poorest roads in Shelby County. It is surfaced with tar and gravel with large holes and broken edges. It is true the County maintains the road such as it is. However, this maintenance consists of patching usually lasts until a hard rain or traffic beats out the holes, then we're no better off.

Recently County Highway 10 was resurfaced with asphalt from the city limits of Montevallo to the outskirts of Aldrich. Do we not deserve the same consideration?

Drive most anywhere else in the county, especially in and around Columbiana and see for yourself the difference in the roads. Most are asphalted and smooth.

Yes, we voted against the tax for we felt we would get no benefit from the money derived from the bill.

We are proud to live in Shelby County but would like to be able to answer the question so often asked, "Why doesn't the County do something about the road to Pea Ridge?" Maybe you can answer this question for us.

Sincerely yours
Mrs. Herbert L. Harper

Welcome Bob Reynolds

We are pleased to have Bob join our sales team and Bob would welcome a call from his friends on any car or truck need.

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669-2061 CHEVROLET Columbiana

TO: All Shelby County Farm Bureau Members
WHAT: ANNUAL SHELBY COUNTY FARM BUREAU MEETING
WHERE: Shelby County Courthouse Courtroom - Columbiana
WHEN: Thursday Night - 7:30 P. M. - October 16, 1969
PROGRAM: NO SPEAKER - - GOOD MUSIC - - DOOR PRIZES, Business Meeting - Treas. Report, Election of Officers, etc.
DOOR PRIZES: Door prizes will be given away during the meeting to Farm Bureau Members & families.
YOU and YOUR FAMILY are urged to attend this very important Meeting. We shall look forward to seeing you Thursday Night, October 16th - Courthouse in Columbiana.

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TEXTILE MEET - - Representatives of Siluria Mills and their guests who attended the 21st annual public relations meeting of the state Textile Manufacturers Association are, from left, Roy P. Garrett, personnel director, Ralph W. Sears, W B Y E, Mrs. Frances Duke, ATMA exhibits chairman, Jack M. Farmer, supervisor, cotton dep't, and Charlie Davis, W A P I. The textile group honored the state's new media.

FFA at Chelsea High School initiates 33 new members

Thirty three students were initiated last week into the Chelsea High School Future Farmers of America organization. The new students had to dress in a variety of humorous attire, wear these outfits all day at school, present a program to the student body, and have one hand painted green to signify they are now "green hands", which is the first degree of achievement in the FFA.

The vocational agriculture program is in its second year at Chelsea, under the supervision of M. N. Humphries, vo-ag teacher and FFA advisor.

The following new members were initiated: Bobby Beck, Ricky Brasher, Dennis Champion, James Cleckler, Allen Fincher, John Harris, Steve Harris, Ronnie Henderson, Eddie Hooks, Chad Hughes, Melvin Isbell, Corky Johnson, Randy Nivens, Butch Gulledge, Kenny Storey, George Fullmer, Rickey Morgan, Ronald Adaway, Kenny Bearden, Billy Brown, Jow Craddock, Richard Dodson, Gene Fulghum, Mickey Gulledge, Daniel Jones, Larry Kelley, Weldon McManus, Frank Rooks, Paul Smith, Mark Tumlin, Bill Warren, Rickey Yates, and Charles Connell.

33 green hands

. . . initiated at Chelsea High School

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Original poetry earns honors for Helena Jr. High students

Honors for original poetry were recently conferred upon two students at Helena Junior High.

Miss Loretta Cobb, English teacher at the school submitted the work of several students to the annual Poetry Day contest, sponsored by the National Poetry Day committee. The poems were judged in competition with junior and senior high school students from south central Alabama.

Pam Harris was awarded third prize and received one dollar for her poem. Della Campbell received honorable mention for her entry.

The poems follow:

On Reaching Adolescence

My world is like a song
Sometimes happy, sometimes sad,
But, Why must my world be so sad tonight?
The world outside seems so happy.

The sound of the crickets - -
Why are they singing?
A picture of my father - -
Why is he laughing?

The wind howling with laughter in the trees.
Don't they all know that my world has ended?
Maybe I should tell them
But, what would I say?

Wind, stop blowing. Crickets, stop singing.
Picture, stop smiling? No, not that.
Then I see my reflection in a mirror.
Is that sad - looking young girl actually me?

But, why am I so sad?
That's funny, I forgot.
So I laugh with the wind, And sing with the crickets.
And I sleep.

Pam Harris,12
Grade 7 - Helena Jr. High

This World

My life is but one in this world of war, of poverty, ignorance, and so much more;
This world is such a terrible place it is more than I can even face.

But still there is a flicker of hope that we may learn, finally, to cope with this world so tragically spread with violence and all other we dread.

Then turn your head the other way and see this bright and glorious day, a day with flowers and a pretty tree, a lark, a squirrel, and now you can see - -
This world is not so terrible at all it's just the place where your gaze may fall that makes you see and realize this world is a wonderful, beautiful prize.

Della Campbell, 13,
Grade 8 -Helena Jr. High

Katrina Jacobs new member of Bisonettes

Miss Katrina Ruth Jacobs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell A. Jacobs, Calera, has been chosen a member of the Bisonettes, 64-member girls' precision drill team at David Lipscomb College, Nashville, Tenn.

Bisonettes are elected by each class at the beginning of the fall quarter to spark school spirit and add color to varsity basketball games.

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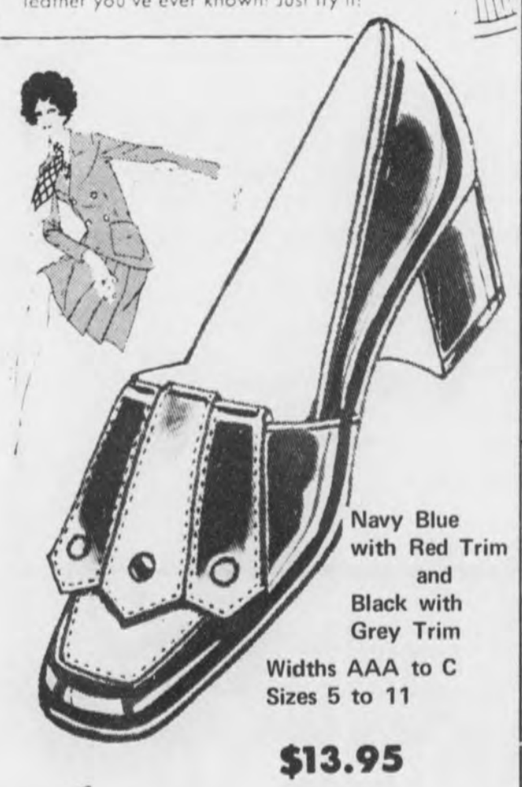

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MISS MICKEY ELAINE MINOR
. . . engaged to Louis Douglas Joseph, Jr.

Miss Mickey Minor plans wedding

Mrs. W. D. Minor of Chelsea, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter Mickey Elaine to Louis Douglas Joseph Jr., of Columbiana.

Miss Minor is the daughter of the late Wilford Minor and the grandaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John H. Minor of Chelsea and the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Kendrick also of Chelsea.

Mr. Joseph is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Joseph of Columbiana. His grandparents are: Mr. G. B. Bentley and the late Mrs. Bentley of Chelsea, and Mrs. D. Joseph and the late Mr. Joseph of Columbiana.

The wedding vows will be exchanged on the evening of Friday, Oct. 31, at eight-thirty o'clock in the K-Springs Church of God in Chelsea.

Miss McGuffie weds Neil Grimes Oct. 3

Mr. Fred D. McGuffie of Helena, announces the marriage of his daughter Bonnie McGuffie to Neil Grimes, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Grimes of Hoover, which was solemnized in the New Hope Baptist Church on the evening of Oct. 3, 1969.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a white satin gown with Alencon lace panels. Her veil was of lace attached to a jeweled satin headpiece and she carried a white Bible with a carnation arrangement. Miss Lynda McGuffie was her sister's maid of honor and Lisa McGuffie served as flower girl.

The bridegroom's father served as best man, and Stephen Smith was the ring bearer. Candlelighters and ushers were: Eugene Grimes and Bobby Grimes.

A reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church. Following the ceremony Edward Smith was in charge of the bride's book and Misses Barbara McGuire, Peggy McGuire and Norma Johnson served.

Miss Lawley engaged to Winston Nixon

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Andrew Lawley of Dogwood announce the engagement of their daughter, Donna Marlene, to S. A. Winston A. Nixon.

Mr. Nixon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle W. Nixon of Siluria.

The wedding will be an event of October 19, at 3 P.M. at the Dogwood Grove Baptist Church.

All friends of the bride and groom are invited to attend.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Scales of Tallassee, Fla., were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Walton. Mrs. Scales is the former Elizabeth Bell and taught for a number of years in SCHS.

SOCIETY NEWS and PERSONAL MENTION

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Rosebud Moore Robertson exhibits works in Washington

Rosebud Moore Robertson, a native of Columbiana, has been most successful in the artistic field. Her work is on display this month at the third annual Cooperative Crafts Exhibit in Washington. Upon an invitation from the exhibit chairman Mrs. Robertson entered a collage and a wreath.

Craftsmen from more than 30 states have had work selected for this exhibit to be held in the U. S. Department of Agriculture during the entire month of October.

Mrs. Robertson prefers oil painting and is currently engaged in a series of oils depicting Stephen Foster's home. She is one of the seven daughters of Yeardly and Abigail Adams Moore and is married to B. V. Robertson, who retired last year as agent for Liberty National Insurance Co. They reside in Oneonta where Mrs. Robertson also owns a dress shop.

The collage shown in the picture is a flower arrangement. Blossoms are made from lichen gathered from nearby trees and colored with textile paint.

The wreath was used in the Robertson home last Christmas and is intricately fashioned of finely cut tin cans.

Even more fascinating are Rosebud's quaint dolls whose faces and hands are made from dried apples. She has an old china cupboard filled with little figures all carefully dressed in handmade garments.

Perhaps the Good Neighbor Club would like to have Mrs. Robertson revisit her old home town and address the club and demonstrate some of her work which is winning national recognition.

M.W.W.

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Mrs. Eloise Williams and Mrs. Blanche Farr are enjoying an Indian Summer vacation in Mrs. Williams home at Panama City, Fla.

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Youth Revival

The annual Youth Revival at the Columbiana Methodist Church will be held in November 21-23. The Rev. and Mrs. Charles Alexander will be guest speakers. Mr. Alexander is the associate minister of the Canterbury Methodist Church at Mountain Brook and widely known as an effective leader in religious circles throughout Alabama.

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The Rev. Burl Oliver has returned to Columbiana following a mission trip to Sweden and Norway. He is sharing some of his experiences each Sunday with members and friends of the Methodist church.

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All persons interested in cleaning up the old Shelby Cemetery are urgently requested to come and bring tools on Saturday Oct. 18, and help get the job done.

Tabitha makes five

. . . (l to r) Mrs. Betty Crowson, Gary Crowson, Tabitha Crowson, Mrs. Hazel Sammons and Mrs. Mae Glass.

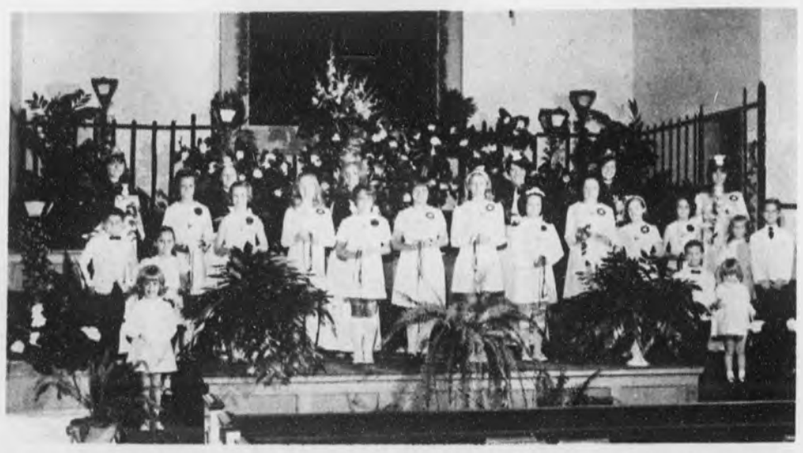
Fifth generation in Crowson family

When pretty little Tabitha Lynn Crowson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Crowson was born on Sept. 8, 1969, she brought an historic note of interest to her family rarely found in this day and time. She is the youngest member of five generations in the Crowson family.

Reading from left to right are: Mrs. Betty Crowson, grandmother, Gary Crowson, father, Tabitha Lynn Crowson, Columbiana; Mrs. Hazel Sammons, great grandmother, and Mrs. Mae Glass great-great grandmother of Calera.

It is also interesting to note that in the family of Mrs. Jimmy Rowe, Tabitha's grand-mother on the maternal side of the house, there are also five generations living. Few families - - if any - can top this record for longevity.

M.W.W.



G. A. CORONATION AT COLUMBIANA BAPTIST CHURCH - - On the steps: Cathy McCord, Jennifer Joiner, first row: Clay Owen, Christy Gaskin, Teresa Latham, Vickie Blackerby, Sharon Rasco, Cindy Burbank, Kathy Hume, Donna Gothard, Connie Walton, Debbie Lavendar, Denise Cagle, Connie Horton, Hugh Sims, Sheila Franks, Don Walton. Second Row: Vicki Joiner, Patti McDow, Jeanie Turner, Marilyn Hughes, Sherri Hughes and Peggy Armstrong.

Three girls were presented capes signifying the rank of Queen Regent: Sherri Hughes, Vicki Joiner and Patti McDow; Peggy Armstrong was crowned Queen and Debbie Lavendar was given the insignia of Princess.

Miss Payton honored at tea

Miss Dianne Payton, bride elect of Loyd Gerald Fulton Jr., was honored with a bridal tea Sunday afternoon, October 12th at the home of Mrs. Warren Duke, Alabaster. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Duke were Mrs. Buster Martin, Mrs. James Duke, Mrs. Billy Coates, Mrs. J. B. Wilson and Mrs. Stanley Lacey.

Assisting in serving were Mrs. Randy Harwell, Mrs. Mack Warren, Miss Connie Martin and Miss Barbara Duke.

Arrangements of yellow carnations and shasta daisies were used throughout the house. Guests were registered by Miss Beverly Martin, cousin of Miss Payton, from two until five.

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Good Hope Methodist Church Revival - Oct. 19

The Rev. Hobbs cordially invites you to be present at a series of revival services to be held in the Good Hope Methodist Church beginning on the evening of Oct. 19, and continuing through Friday evening, Oct. 24. The Rev. Wallace Henley, religious editor of the Birmingham News, will be the guest speaker and special music will be presented each evening.

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The following officers have been elected to serve the Sanctuary Choir of the Baptist Church for 1969-70. President, Homer Joiner; vice-president, John Rush; Mabel Franks, secretary; Myra Gunter, librarian; Murrel Mullins, historian; robe chairman, Mickey Murray; Social Committee, Ann Rasco, chairman.

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Robert Wesley Goad Arrives Oct. 7

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Goad of Columbiana announce the arrival of a son born Oct. 7, 1969 in Baptist Medical Center who tipped the scales at 10 lbs. and 3 oz. They have named the new "Mr. America", Robert Wesley Goad.

Grandparents sharing in this happy addition to their family circle are: Mr. and Mrs. William Goad of Montevallo; and Mr. and Mrs. B.C. Harrison of Wilton.

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Personal mention–

Howard Hill homecoming speaker

Mrs. Peggy Glenn, President of the Shelby County High School alumni association, announces that a coffee for all alumni will be held immediately after the homecoming game Friday night. All alumni are invited to attend and renew acquaintances with former classmates. The event will be held in the school lunchroom.

Mr. Howard Hill of Vincent will be the guest speaker.

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Kenneth Walton has returned to his position in the County's Engineer Department after working for the past few months in Birmingham.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rusian Faust Sr., former Shelby County residents, have recently moved from their home in Clanton back to the Kingdom Community. They welcomed into their Mobile Home on Horton Loop Road last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Lester Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomason of Alabaster and Mr. and Mrs. Keener Roach and Jim Roach of Saginaw.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jackson (Betty Rose Wood) have moved from Columbiana to Montevallo. Mrs. Jackson is an instructor in Valley School and Mr. Jackson is serving as pastor of Dogwood Baptist Church while continuing his studies at Samford Universtiy.

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The home of Mrs. Betty O. Barnes of Wilsonville Rt.2, has been a happier one during the past week as she has had the privilege of having her son, Lonnie Barnes and his attractive wife as her guests. Lonnie has just returned from his second trip to Vietnam and having recuperated from hospitalization at Walter Reed Hospital, is now stationed in Washington D. C. Pretty Mrs. Barnes paid us a visit Thursday and asked that we send the Reporter to their home in the capitol for the next year, and after this year, she hopes they will be "home for keeps".

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Miss Fanny Thomas Dies

Graveside rites were held in Tuscaloosa, last Saturday, for Miss Fannie Thomas, a former well known instructor for many years in the Shelby County school system. Miss Thomas, after retiring from teaching made her home in Tuscaloosa. She was an aunt of attorney Frank Head in Columbiana.

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W.A. Reynolds, Tax Consultant Dies of Heart Attack

W. A. Reynolds, of Sylacauga, well and favorably known Tax Consultant who maintained offices in Columbiana for book-keeping and income tax records, died Sunday, October 12, following a heart attack.

Mr. Reynolds had a large clientele, and many friends in Shelby County, will regret hearing of his passing. Mrs. Reynolds has been in charge of the Sylacauga office, and Mrs. Yoby Whittemore is in charge of his Columbiana office in the Wallace Building.

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Mable Franks Honored Birthday Coffee

We were delighted Monday when we were asked to share in wishing for that stunning looking brunette known as Mable Franks, (one of the efficient clerks in the Tax Assessor's Office) a happy birthday. Close friends of the honoree with co-workers in this busy office paused from their daily routine to wish for the popular honoree, "many happy returns of the day".

Stuffed dates, cheese straws, cake and coffee were served by Mrs. Murrel Mullins who hosted the delightful occasion.

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Edmondson's Cafe Observes 20th Anniversary

Oct. 7, 1969 marked the 20th anniversary of Edmondson's Cafe in Columbiana. It is owned and operated by Mrs. Jeff Edmondson who observed the passing of this historic occasion by holding an Open House. Friends and patrons called throughout the afternoon and were greeted by Mrs. Gene Edmondson who presided over the appointed anniversary table from which iced punch, cakes, mints and nuts were served.

We join Mrs. Edmondson's friends and patrons in extending sincere congratulations and we wish for her continued health and happiness in her chosen commercial venture.

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CARD OF THANKS

Words are inadequate to express our deepest gratitude for the many kindnesses shown us during our bereavement in the great loss of our mother and grandmother, Mrs. J. H. (Byrd) Culver.

Special thanks to the ministers, Rev. Shirley Lowrey, Rev. Bob Carter and Rev. Howard Golden, for their comforting words, the pianist, Mrs. Peggy Dyer, Doctors and nurses at Shelby Memorial Hospital and Nursing Home, and to Dr. Leslie Hubbard.

All the kind words, flowers, visits, food and many other expressions of love and sympathy will be remembered and appreciated always.

The Culver Family

SHELBY COUNTY LIBRARY BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE
Sept. '69 - May '70

MONDAY Sept.22, Oct. 20,Nov.17 Dec.15,Jan.26, Feb.23, Mar. 30, Apr.27, May 25

Coates Home	8:50
Key Home	9:15
Helena Bapt. Kinder.	9:45
Watts Apts.	10:10
George Pamplin Home	10:25
Acton Community	10:45
Mt. View Tr. Park	11:15
Daniel Home	11:30
Steele Groc.	12:25
D. Fowler Home	12:45
G. Gross Home	1:10

TUESDAY Sept. 23, Oct. 21, Nov. 18, Dec.16, Jan.27, Feb.24, Mar.31, Apr.28, May 26

Wilsonville School	8:35
Calera Elem.School	12:15
Calera High	1:15
So.Calera Groc.	2:30

WEDNESDAY Sept.24, Oct.22, Nov.19, Dec.17, Jan.28, Feb.25, Apr.1, Apr.29, May 27

Moore Home – Saginaw Rd.	8:30
Wayside Shop - McCormick Home	9:00
V.Knight Home	9:25
Alabaster School	9:40
Valley Apts.-Alab.	10:40
Fabric Shop-Siluria	10:55
Community Groc.	11:05
Cost Home	11:55
Greenhill Home	12:15
Scott Home	12:30
R. Smith Home	12:45
B.Goad Home	1:05
J. Knowles Home	1:40
H.Moore Home	2:00
Garrett Home	2:25

THURSDAY Sept. 25, Oct. 23, Nov. 20, Dec.18, Jan.29, Feb.26, Apr.2. Apr.30, May 28

Nivens Serv.Sta.	3:35
Marvin Brasher Home –Simmsville	9:00
J.Brasher Home Narrows	9:25
Ashworth Homee-280 Hwy.	9:40
Attaway Home	9:55
Taft's Cross Rd.	10:15
Portera Home	10:40
J W Sorrell Home	10:55
Rutherford Home	11:15
Denson Home	12:05
N.Hope Community	12:25
Valley Groc.	12:35
Martin Home	12:50
Keystone - Butler Home	1:15

FRIDAY Sept. 26, Oct.24, Nov.21, Dec.19, Jan.30, Feb.27, Apr.3, May 1, May 29

Headquarters - Columbiana

NOTICE BY CONTRACTOR OF COMPLETION OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Contractor, on the 13th day of October, 1969, completed the following Contract:

Contract No. 1, Part "A", Water Works Improvements and Extensions, for The Water Works Board, City of Columbiana, Alabama, EDA Project No. 04-1-00303.

Any person, firm or corporation having an unpaid claim against the said Contractor for supplying the Contractor with labor, materials or supplies in connection with the said work is hereby notified to present the same in the manner and within the time required by law.

Steel City Construction Company,
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Leeds, Alabama, 35094.
Oct.16,23,30,Nov.6 †104.

Advertisement for Bids

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Sealed Bids will be received by the Authority at its office, 13 Wadsworth St. Montevallo, Alabama, until 4:00 p.m., central standard time, on Thurs., Oct. 23, 1969.

The work consists of reroofing 18-buildings Project Ala. 79-1-2 located in Montevallo, Alabama.

The Bid Documents, including, specifications, General and Special Conditions, will be available at the Authority's office from Thurs., Oct. 9, 1969. to Wed. Oct. 22, 1969.

Bid Security in the form of a money order, certified check, or cashier's check, made payable to the Authority as named in the Invitation, or a satisfactory Bid Bond, in an amount not less than five percent of the bid, will be required, and must accompany the bid.

The authority reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Brenace Birdsong
Executive Director
10-9,16,1969,c. †100.

LEGAL NOTICE
Estate of Marvin G. Elliott Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 25th day of September, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Myrtle Irene Elliott
as Executrix of Last Will & Testament of Marvin G. Elliott, deceased
10-2,9,16, 1969 No. 95

Legal Notice
Estate of L. Handy Ellis Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 1 day of October, 1969. by the Hon. C. M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Bertha Corley Ellis
Executrix of the estate of L. Handy Ellis, deceased
10-9,16,23,1969 †98.

Legal Notice
Estate of Benjamin H. Green, Sr. Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters of Administration to Mamie Green of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7 day of October, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
10-16,23,30, 1969 †99

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Tom Posey and wife, Grace Posey to Diamond Construction Company of Alabama on the 23rd day of January, 1962, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 276, Record of Mortgages, at Page 977, the undersigned Diamond Construction Company of Alabama as mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Shelby County Courthouse at Columbiana, Alabama, on the 29th day of October, 1969, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

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Situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expense of foreclosure.

This the 25th day of September, 1969.

Diamond Construction Company of Alabama
Mortgagee

Earl C. Bloom, Jr.
Attorney for Mortgagee
10-2,9,16,1969, †96.

Legal Notice
Estate of A. V. Glasscock Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of October, 1969 by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Ada K. Glasscock
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of A. V. Glasscock, deceased
10-16,23,30 - 1969 †101.

LEGAL NOTICE
Estate of A. J. Hartsfield Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 25th day of September, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

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10-2,9,16,1969. No. 94.

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Receipts:	
State Revenues	$2,117,214.00
Federal Revenues	446,693.85
County Revenues	546,575.37
District Revenues	204,969.36
Other Revenues - Local	35,675.06
Non-Revenues	12,511.73
Total Receipts	3,363,378.08
Deduct Payments to Local Schools	20,363.83
Total Funds Available	3,343,275.54
Unappropriated Surplus 10-1-68	429,007.88
Expenditures:	
General Control	66,810.90
Instructional Salaries	2,280,297.35
Other Expenses of Instruction	257,191.23
Operation of School Plant	135,311.75
Maintenance of School Plant	49,691.31
Auxiliary Agencies	174,524.61
Fixed Charges	31,704.91
Capital Outlay	314,584.71
Debt Service	236,870.11
Adult and Evening Classes	7,200.00
Work Study Program	1,804.94
Refunds	813.43
Total Expenditures	3,573,016.47
Unappropriated Surplus 9-30-69	330,975.58
Unpaid on Building Contracts	17,617.47
Unpaid Purchase Orders	30,066.86
Deferred Credit to Income	20,000.00
Outstanding Loan	100,000.00
Accounts Payable	11,708.63
Net Surplus	199,266.95
Unpaid Salaries for September	228,628.12
The Bonded indebtedness of Shelby County Schools	2,509,800.00

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BY ED BLAKE

Fishing, hunting and football is on the sports menu this week in Shelby County.

Make a single choice or plan a full meal of all three and you can expect far better than usual.

Word from the Coosa River is that bass fishing is beginning to pick up. We know that we have promised that for the last few weeks,, but we have had reliable reports that bass are being caught now. One fisherman suggests trolling a hellbender in mid-afternoon for fast action.

Doves are reported scarce in several sections of the county. We took time out Saturday afternoon for a round of dove shooting. We found doves feeding in the field; however, the first shot sent the birds off seeking safer territory.

Squirrel and rabbit hunters are looking for that first frost to clear the trees and fields of thick foliage. Both seasons opened Wednesday in Alabama. Squirrel season will run through January 1 and rabbit season will close February 28.

Raccoon and oppossum is now fair game in the state. The season also opened Wednesday and will run through February 28.

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Bow and arrow hunters jumped off to their early season start on deer Wednesday. Anterless deer (except spotted fawns) and bucks are legal in the county this year. Please note that you must have a special permit and tag to take anterless deer.

Bow hunters also got an early season start on turkey gobblers Wednesday. Gun hunters will be able to join the bow hunters for buck deer and turkey gobblers on November 7.

Friday night is a big night for Shelby County football fans. It's homecoming in Columbiana for the Shelby County High Wildcats and out to spoil that homecoming are the Bulldogs of Montevallo.

Charlie Martin's Bulldogs are eyeing that county football crown and must have this one. The Bulldog spirits should be high after bringing home a 14-7 win from B. B. Comer last week.

Shelby County High will have to have this game to keep hopes alive for the county title. The high-rated Wildcats had a perfect season record marred last week by Childersburg, 32-0.

Friday night is also homecoming for the Thompson High Warriors and the Chelsea Hornets. Thompson plays Calera and the Hornets will play Thorsby.

Vincent plays Friday night in Ashland.

SPEAKING OF FOOTBALL - - Shelby County High's Larry Bailey (80) appears to be swatting the football but its the camera angle, and a jarring tackle by Charles Wilder (71) sends the ball floating from the arms of the Childersburg quarterback. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

Sandi Lawley Warrior queen

Sandi Lawley will reign over the 1969 Thompson High School Homecoming October 17. Attendants in her court will be: Kathy Kelly, Senior Maid; Debbie Phillips, Junior Maid; JoAnn Horsely, Sophomore Maid; Lajuana Wallace, Freshman Maid; Debbie Parker, eighth grade Maid; and Claire Nobles, seventh grade Maid.

Sandi is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy L. Lawley. Sandi is co-head cheer-leader and has attended Thompson Elementary and High Schools for twelve years. The beauties were chosen by popular vote of their class mates.

Sandi will be crowned THS '69 Homecoming Queen at the half-time of the Thompson - Calera game by Miss Grace White.

Underground Evangelist to speak in Columbiana

Reverend H. Max Good recently returned from a missionary journey behind the Iron Curtain. He will speak Thursday, October 23, 1969, 7:30 P.M. at First Baptist Church, Columbiana.

Reverend Good's trip behind the Iron Curtain coincided with the Russian invasion of Czechoslovakia. He will give a first-hand, eye witness report of the events, and of his ministry to the peoples of Yugoslovia.

Rev. Good pastored Christ Memorial Church in Columbus, Ohio for 25 years, undertook his mission behind the Iron Curtain for the purpose of meeting and ministering to the peoples in communist lands. He preached in homes, basements, and in a few churches not closely watched by communist authorities.

Rev. Good is head of the deputation department for Underground Evangelism, which is a literature, gospel broadcasting and missionary outreach to the peoples of the communist world. It is active in 12 communist lands through means of "smuggling" small pocket-size Bibles into Russia, short-wave Bible-teaching broadcasts and is now assisting over 300 "national" Christian workers behind the Iron Curtain as "Missionaries to their own people."

"All our friends are cordially welcomed to share this unusual opportunity," stated Pastor Raymond Scroggins.

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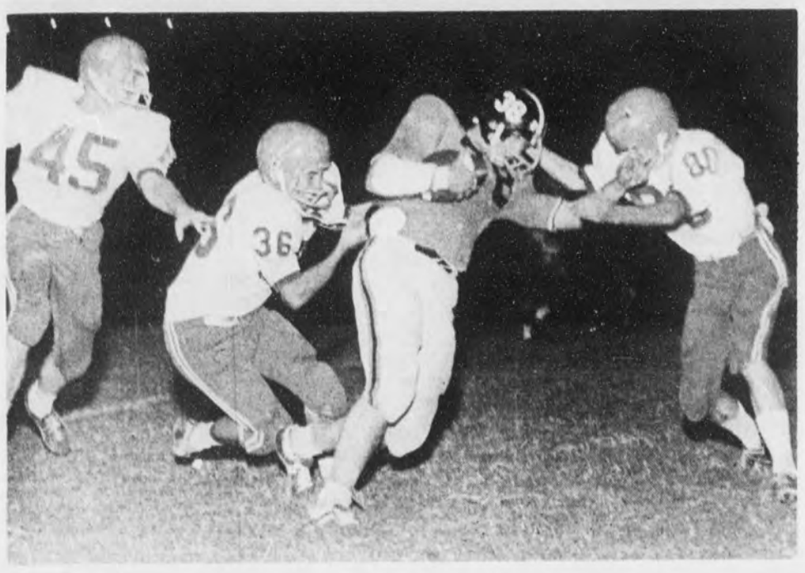

COMER CARRIER CORRALED - - Montevallo defensemen (from left) Roy Goggins (45), Ray Bearden (36) and Roger Bice (80) team up to stop the P B. Comer ball carrier. Montevallo downed Comer 14-7 last Friday night in Sylacauga. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

News from Westover

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

Miss Ada Elizabeth (Beth) Lee, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Robert F. Lee, was married to James Douglas Wright, Jr., on Sunday afternoon, October 5, at 3:00 p.m., at Mount Signal Baptist Church, in a simple but impressive ceremony. Rev. Lee performed the marriage nuptials for his daughter, and she was escorted down the aisle by the father of the groom, Mr. James Douglas Wright, Sr.

Miss Faye Townley of Sewell's Hill was maid of honor and Robert Gritfin, of Norwood, was best man. Ushers were Mike Goldman and James Gamble.

The bride's wedding gown was a street length white satin with a lace yoke and lace bell sleeves.

The couple are making their home in Norwood where the groom is employed with the McGraw - Edison Company.

Guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Lee for the wedding and for the supper following were: Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Roberts and children of Moundville; Mrs. Paul McCool, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gamble, and son and daughter; and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence South and daughter, all of Pleasant Grove Mr. and Mrs. Gary Mabry, of Hueytown; Mr. and Mrs. Robbie South, of Powderly.

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The Reverend Amos Hughes, of the First Baptist Church, of Helena, was guest of honor at a birthday dinner, at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ida Holliman, Friday, October 10. Hostesses for the dinner, other than Mrs. Holliman, were two other sisters, Mrs. Alma Burton and Mrs. Myrtie Thomas. Other guests were Mrs. Amos Hughes and Earl Burton, of Birmingham.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Hairston, and daughter, Holly, are residing in Rochester, Michigan, where Mr. Hairston is employed.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Johnson are visiting the Earl Olderson's in Savannah, Georgia.

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Frank Elliott returned home from the hospital last Friday and is recuperating nicely at his home. He just can't kick his heels too high for awhile.

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The writer was pleased to know that a subscriber wants the Reporter sent to him in Miami. He says there is nothing like "getting the news from home." Mr. Dover R. Pear's family have lived in Westover area for many years.

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Efford Gardner has entered the Shelby Memorial Hospital for tests and treatments.

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Mrs. Ella Lybrand has returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Virgil Wyatt. She was honored with a visit by her sister, Mrs. Ollie Ryan, and her mother, Mrs. Jim Cummings, of Leeds, last Sunday. Mrs. Cummings celebrated her 96th brithday on last Saturday, October 11, and Mrs. Lybrand observed a birthday, Monday, October 13. We wish for both of them more birthday - get - togethers.

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When I heard about the "law" chasing three youths about this area, several days ago, who were trying to steal a truck or cars, I can't help but wonder why parents of 13 and 15 - year-old youngsters can't know where they are. These youngsters kept the "law" busy several hours cavorting through the woods, up and down the highway, around some of the homes, before they were apprehended. This is a mighty young age for our youth to begin a career of lawlessness.

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Mr. Adell Whitworth is improving at the Shelby Memorial Hospital where he was carried after suffering from painful injuries in an automobile accident.

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Mrs. W. B. Todd has returned to her home in Chattanooga after spending several days here visiting Mrs. J. W. Mahan and other relatives on Cahaba Valley Road.

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Rev. Talmadge Bright and Mr. Al Zable spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Huntsville where they attended Synod.

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Mr. Don Richards is improving at the St. Vincent's Hospital after undergoing surgery Thursday.

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Among the new residents here are Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Naish of Birmingham who live on Valley Dale Road.

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Mr. and Mrs. Trion Eiland have returned to their home in Talledega after visiting her mother, Mrs. H. M. Winslett.

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Mrs. Claude Reeser and Mrs. J. R. Shirley who are ill here are showing slight improvement.

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Mr. and Mrs. Owen DeShazo and their son, Darrell spent the week end in Atlanta where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Danny DeShazo.

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Mr. and Mrs. Norton Russell with their daughters have returned to their home in Waco, Texas after visiting Mrs. Sylvester Brashier and other relatives.

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Hanson Leach new sales manager

Hanson Leach has been named Sales Manager of McDow Motor Company of Columbiana.

He started work in

HANSON LEACH

automobile sales in 1953 at Montevallo Motors. He joined the staff at McDow's in 1963.

He has been a member of the Legion of Leaders, an organization recognizing outstanding automobile sales acheivement, for seven years. He is a nine - year member of the organization recognizing outstanding truck salesmanship.

A native of Jemison, Leach is a graduate of Jemison High School.

Leach is a deacon and treasurer of the Mars Hill Baptist Church. He is a member of the Chilton County Hospital Board of Directors, a Mason, Shriner and Eastern Star.

He is married to the former Jean Hayes of the Six-Mile community in Bibb County. His two children are Sharon and Don.

Among his hobbies are fishing and bird hunting.

More than two and one-fourth million men, women and children receive monthly disability payments under social security.

ON TO ZONE COMPETITION - - These Shelby County winners in Ford Motor Company's annual punt, pass and kick competition will participate in the zone competition to be held Saturday, October 18 in Wetumpka. Pictured in bottom row (l to r) are: Kevin Hughes, 8; Billy Jones, 9; James Davis Baker, 10; Standing (l to r) are: Marty Couch, 11; Linford T. Emfinger, 12; and Harry William Martin, 13. Jones is from Helena, all others are from Montevallo.

With our servicemen

Airman Apprentice Reginald L. Wallace, USN, son of Mr. Sanford E. Wallace of Route 1, Sterrett, graduated from the Aviation Mechanical Fundamentals school at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Memphis, Tenn.

Storekeeper Seaman Apprentice Walter B. Moore, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil G. Moore of Route 1, Calera, was graduated from the Storekeeper School at the Naval Supply Schools, Newport, R. I.

Sergeant James R. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Payne of Sterrett, has been recognized for helping his unit earn a citation from the Republic of Vietnam.

Sergeant Davis, a jet engine mechanic at Bien Hoa AB, Vietnam, is assigned to the 3rd Tactical Fighter Wing which was recently awarded the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantr with Palm.

The sergeant is a graduate c Vincent High School and h served with an expeditionar force to Berlin.

His wife is the former Jillia Rowbottom from England.

Harrison, Fowler delegates

Shelby County's official delegates to the first Governor's conference on Alabama libraries are Mrs. Karl Harrison and Judge of Probate Conrad M. Fowler.

The conference is being held in Montgomery this week to call attention to the needs of public libraries and to interes laymen in their operation.

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Montevallo News

By Bert Seaman

Capt. and Mrs. Fredric H. Frost, III arrived here Wednesday from Sembach, AFB, Germany where they have been stationed for the past three years.

They are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Frost, Jr. and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Frost, Sr. and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Blakely of Auburn.

In four weeks they will report to Vandenburg AFB Calif., where Capt. Frost will be Chief, Data Control Section. He has accepted a regular commission and plans to make the Air Force his career.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Blakely were guests of the Fred Frosts over the weekend.

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The Salem Cemetery Association will meet Sunday, Oct. 19 at 2:30 p.m. at the Salem Chapel located on the old Salem Road north of Montevallo. Every member is urged to be present.

Wilton News

Mrs. George Ewing is in Montgomery this week visiting her son Ed and his family. She will return Saturday and is looking forward to keeping her grandson, Bob, while Ed and Carolyn attend the Alabama Tennessee game.

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Mrs. Ada Pruitt is home after visiting relatives in Montana.

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Wilton city officials are concerned over the three recent false fire alrarms that have been turned in, and are investigating to determine who is responsible.

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Wilton's new police chief, Cooper Shaw is serving on a 24-hour call basis.

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Montevallo DAR installs new officers

The David Lindsay chapter of the Daughters of The American Revolution will meet at 2:00 P.M. Monday October 20, at the home of Miss Eloise Meroney in Montevallo. The program will be "Education in Alabama" Dr. B. F. Fancher will be the guest speaker.

Officers for the new year, starting this month, are: Regent - Miss Eloise Meroney; Vice Regent - Dr. Katherine Vickery; Chaplain - Mrs. W. C. Weems; Secretary - Mrs. C. A. Cobb; Treasurer - Mrs. Herchiel Meadows; Registrar - Mrs. Charles Gormley; Historian - Mrs. Clarence Chism; Parliamentarian - Mrs. Charles Gormley; Curator of Records - Miss Eloise Meroney.

Mrs. James E. Redfeild,
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FIRE DOGS - - Decked out in headbands with "Fire Dog" ears, Montevallo first graders crowd around the city fire truck when volunteer firemen Steve Huffstutler and Harry Klotzman gave a demonstration on fire prevention last week. The highlight came when the firemen built a demonstration fire and showed the children how to put it out.

Highway Dept.

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cut back the road program rather than provide $190,000 per year in local money to sustain the present level of road work and provide funds for improvements in some areas.

The Board does not anticipate cancellation of any project already promised, but rather the effect of the reduction will be to stretch out the program and thus delay the completion of projects now underway and the commencement of projects still in the planning stage. The Board requests the understanding of those adversly affected by the stretch out.

The Board has submitted an application for additional state and federal revenue to the State Highway Department. Decisions relating to paving, resurfacing, and construction of safety projects will be made by the Board near the first of the year when action by the State Highway Department has been taken upon the application.

Shelby News

Mrs. Willie Mae Davis and Mrs. Bernice Brashier announce a cemetery cleaning day for the Old Shelby Cemetery A. M., has been set for Saturday, Oct. 18. All persons interested in this cemetery are asked to attend to help in the cleaning.

County news capsules

Governor Albert Brewer has reappointed Robert N. Bolton, of Columbiana, as a member of the State Board of Embalmers.

Mr. Bolton's new term on the Board expires May 30, 1974.

Governor Albert Brewer has recommended the appointment of a Calera man, J. H. Johnson, to a term on the Board of Equalization of Shelby County.

Johnson's name was sent to State Revenue Commissioner Harvey L. Rabren, who will make the appointment.

Chelsea High School Quarterback Club is sponsoring a spaghetti supper October 17.

The fund-riasing supper will be held from 4 to 7 p.m. in the school cafeteria before Chelsea's Homecoming game with Thorsby.

Henry Mitchell, secretary - treasurer of the Quarterback Club is in charge of arrangements.

Congressman Walter Flowers will address the student body at Shelby County High School this afternoon at 12:30.

The Fifth District Congressman from Tuscaloosa will appear at the school at the invitation of Montgomery Lokey, President of the Student Council.

Mrs. Melba Till Allen, Auditor of the State of Alabama will be the guest speaker at the Alabaster Assembly of God church on October 19 at 7:15 P.M.

Mrs. Emily Bradley was injured in an automobile accident Monday while driving to Chelsea school where she is a teacher.

The accident occured on the Simmsville Road.

Scouts

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Brandon, Program Services Director for the Cahaba Council and the Camp Director is Mrs. Edgar Blackburn, Camping Administrator. Program Assistants are Mrs. Marcia Bray, Mrs. Dorothy Tate, Mrs. Margie McCary and Mrs. Evelyn Whitton. Miss Camille Crotwell is in charge of Tent-O-Rama Senior Aides and the camp nurse is Mrs. Cris Crissinger.

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Montevallo is providing central storage for Shelby County historical items. County historians consistently plead for older residents to contribute old records, photographs and memorabilia to the library in order that students may use them to compile an authoritative history of the entire county.

Rotary

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American football game Saturday when they will be guests of the Montevallo club at the Alabama - Tennessee football game at Legion Field in Birmingham.

Other highlights of their visit to Shelby County will include a reception and dinner on the campus of the University of Montevallo Saturday night and Sunday dinner in homes in Montevallo.

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BOMB-SHATTERED HOME - - Split in two by an explosion, this weekend retreat on Waxahatchee Creek is a total loss. No one was in the mobile home at the time. The owner called it "an act of intimidation. Other homes nearby were not harmed. Officers have worked around the clock on the investigation and report they have several suspects. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Trooper's trailer bombed on Waxahatchee Creek

An explosion broke the Friday night stillness on Waxahatchee Creek when the mobile home of a state trooper was ripped by a bomb.

Ivy Hyche, a trooper whose permanent residence is in Bessemer, called it "an act of intimidation".

An investigation is underway by Shelby County Sheriff C. P. Walker, State Trooper Lt. Ralph Holmes and the Alcohol Tobacco and Firearms Division of the U. S. Treasury.

At press time no arrests had been made, but officers have several suspects, Sheriff Walker said.

Hyche is a five-year veteran with the State Troopers and has had a mobile home parked on private property near Benson's Camp for a weekend retreat since June. The location is south of Shelby just off Lay Lake in an area increasingly popular as a vacation and fishing center.

Several weeks ago Hyche swore out warrants against six persons on charges ranging from violation of the prohibition law to assault and battery. These cases are set to be heard in Circuit Court on November 10.

He told the Reporter that he will not be intimidated. Although his trailer is a complete loss, he intends to replace it, saying, "My family loves the place and it's a good place to fish." The Hyches are normally there every weekend, but last weekend decided not to go. Residents of the area telephoned Hyche Saturday morning to tell him of the explosion.

The charge apparently was placed under the trailer's rear

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COUNTY NUMBER THREE - - Under the leadership of Campaign Director B. F. "Hap" Hatchett, (c) Shelby County placed number three among the 34 north Alabama counties in per capita contributions to the March of Dimes this year. He is awarded a plaque of appreciation by Dr. Kermit Johnson, (r) Chairman of the Shelby County Chapter March of Dimes, while L. C. Payne, campaign director for next year's drive, looks on. Shelby County's per capita contribution was .2065.

Mitchell Spears wins regional FFA award

Mitchell Spears, a 1969 graduate of Montevallo High School, has been declared the Southern Region FFA Placement in Agriculture Production Award recipient, it has been announced by FFA officials in Washington, D. C.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Spears of Montevallo. Although both his parents are engaged in sales work, young Spears had an interest in agriculture and enrolled in vocational agriculture at Montevallo High School. Because he lived in town, Spears had very limited production facilities; and the first year he did extensive exploratory study in various agricultural enterprises and agribusinesses.

In 1967, with the help of M. D. Thornton, his vocational agriculture instructor, Spears found J. K. Cunningham, a local dairyman, who was willing to work out a placement agreement. As a result, Spears began working on the Cunningham farm mornings and nights while in school. Since graduation this spring he has been working full time on the farm.

The 115-acre Cunningham farming operation includes 80 to 90 milk cows, plus replacements, and a complete line of up-to-date equipment. Under the guidance of the farm owner, the future farmer learned through first-hand experience skills needed to operate a dairy farm. His work involved all phases of the dairy business including keeping feeding, production, and

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Fowler heads seal campaign

Judge Conrad M. Fowler, has been appointed chairman of the 1969 Christmas Seal Campaign in Shelby County. The announcement was made today by John Jenkins, President of the Alabama Tuberculosis Association.

"The annual Christmas Seal Campaign, independent of all other fund raising campaigns, is the sole support of the TB Association's year-round program. It is a very democratic campaign because it gives every one of us the opportunity to invest voluntarily in strong community action against TB and other respiratory diseases.

"The Christmas Seal Campaign supports a variety of programs to combat tuberculosis, emphysema, and other respiratory diseases, smoking and air pollution. The slogan is "Use Christmas Seals - - It's a Matter of Life and Breath".

WILDCAT QUEEN - - Rachel Porter (center) reigned over festivities Friday night during Shelby County High School's annual homecoming. Attendants are Karen Morris (left) and Cathy McElroy.

Montevallo BPW schedules golden anniversary celebration

Members of the Business and Professional Women's Club in Montevallo will climax their observance of the fiftieth anniversary of the organization with a dinner on Saturday night.

Honored guests for the occasion will be the mayor and councilmen of Montevallo. Guest speaker will be Conrad M. Fowler, Probate Judge of Shelby County.

Mrs. Annie M. Sampley, state president of the Business and Professional Women's Clubs, will be on hand to extend greetings.

The banquet will be held in the Main Hall dining room at the University. Miss Edythe Hartley is in charge of arrangements.

Other state officers who have accepted invitations to attend are Mrs. Madge Poole, second vice president of the state federation, Mrs. Jimmie Smith, District IV director and Mrs. Dot Aydelott, District I co-director.

Calera's B. H. Henson named central MD campaign chairman

B. H. Henson, General Marketing Supervisor, South Central Bell Telephone Company, and former Calera resident, has been appointed Central Alabama Campaign Chairman of the 1969 march for Muscular Dystrophy. This announcement was made today by Mr. J. W. Mitchell, President of the Central Alabama Chapter, Muscular Dystrophy Associations of America, Inc.

Henson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Henson of Calera. He graudated from Calera High School in 1954 and Auburn University in 1960.

He will head MDAA's annual appeal for funds to support a broad attack on the problems created by muscular dystrophy.

The drive here is part of a nationwide effort in which hundreds of thousands of marchers will participate, culminating locally in a door-to- door appeal on November 23.

In accepting the post of Central Alabama Chairman, Mr. Henson urged residents and community groups to give generously in response to MDAA's appeal.

"Among our blessings," he declared, "we can count the many great advances medicine has made against other lethal diseases. Perhaps our campaign to support research into muscular dystrophy will be a crucial factor in the conquest of this tragic disease."

A national, non-profit agency, MDAA built and is supporting the Institute for Muscle Disease, a $5,000,000 complex of laboratory units in New York City, where muscular dystrophy and other neuromuscular disorders are being intensively studied.

B. H. HENSON

Vocational school approved for county

By Marcia M. Sears

The much-needed vocational high school for Shelby County has been approved for funding through the Appalachia program of the federal government.

The sum of $600,000 has been allocated by Appalachia for construction and equipment in the school. Construction of the school will now depend upon the county's raising $150,000 as its share of the costs.

Once in operation, the federal government will pay for all teachers and administrative personnel at an estimated cost of $150,000 to $200,000 annually. Local sources will have to furnish only the transportation of students, clerical help, maintenance and utilities at an estimated cost of $20,000 annually.

Several Alabama counties have such schools. Their purpose is to give students two years of training in some trade or occupation while they complete their required academic work in high school. Students would attend regular high school one-half day and trade school one-half day.

Night courses for adults are planned.

The most urgent argument

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TOUCHDOWN BOUND - - Shelby County High's Larry Strickland is on his way on 50-yard touchdown run against Montevallo Friday night during the Wildcats' annual homecoming game. Attempting to stop Strickland are Montevallo defenders, Ricky Yancey (20) and Larry Fields (21). (Photo by Joe Miller)

THOMPSON ROYALTY - - Miss Sandi Lawley (third from left), Thompson High's Miss Homecoming for 1969, participates in pre-game activities with attendants, (from left) Joanne Horsely, Debbie Phillips, Kathy Kelley, LaJuana Wallace, Debbie Parker and Claire Nobles.

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

Monday Oct. 27, marks the beginning of the fall term of the Shelby County Circuit Court, Judge Kenneth Ingram, presiding. The court will open at 9 o'clock A.M. for one week's trial by jury of the civil cases docketed.

The second and third weeks of the court beginning Nov. 4 and Nov. 10, will be devoted to the trial by jury of the criminal cases.

Total number of cases set for trial during the three weeks term stands at 112, an unusually heavy number.

Members of the Shelby County Board of Registrars, S. M. Mahan, Sr., C. E. Summers and D. J. Ratliff, have had a busy week. In a quick corridor interview, between registrants, Mr. Ratliff told us that over 100 new voters had been registered during the past week. Almost all are former citizens of Jefferson County who have purchased farmlands or homes in Shelby County and have requested that their voting places be changed. This is especially true in the Cahaba Valley and in the Indian Springs area in the county.

Malicious vandalism is becoming a problem in regard to county equipment. This week a battery was stolen from a county truck parked overnight near a work project in the northwestern part of the county and the equipment was damaged by vandals. Sheriff C. P. Walker said Monday that his department will put "extraordinary policing efforts behind the policing of county equipment."

Judge of Probate Conrad Fowler reports that only about 4,000 of an expected 16,000 automobile tags have been purchased. The deadline is November 15, but the Judge urges persons to get their licenses as soon as possible to avoid the long lines that occur the last few days before the deadline.

Privilege licenses are due in the probate office on October 31. After that date, a penalty of 15% is added to the cost of the license and state examiners add $1.50, according to Judge Fowler.

Four Shelby County men will be called for military duty under the selective service system for the month of November.

Veterans Affairs Office will be closed the week of Oct. 27 through Oct. 31, while Bill Clark is on vacation. The office will open again Monday, November 3.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Stowe of Alabaster donated a set of Bible encyclopedias to the Alabama Sheriffs' Boys Ranch, according to Sheriff C. P. Walker. The sheriff's office is also selling chances on a truck as a benefit for the ranch. As of Monday, 1,800 chances had been sold in Shelby County.

Mrs. B. J. Blackerby receives promotion

Mrs. B. J. Blackerby has been elected secretary - treasurer of the McDow Motor Company of Columbiana, according to an announcement made this week, by J. T. McDow, president of the organization.

MARION BLACKERBY

'A native of the Spring Creek community and a graduate of Montevallo High School, Mrs. Blackerby has taken an active role in county-wide civic work. She is a past secretary of the Goodfellows, the first secretary of the county hospital board, of the county Mayor's Association, the Calera Industrial Board and a member of the board of directors of the Eleventh Area OEO.

She is a member of the Calera Baptist Church and sings in the choir. Her children are Billy, 16 and Kathy, 14.

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SCHOOL CHIEFS AT MONTEVALLO - - Dr. Kermit Johnson (left) President of the University of Montevallo, welcomes state and district leaders of the Alabama Association of School Principals to the Montevallo campus for the fall meeting of the organization's fifth district. Shown with the U. of M. chief at the first quarterly meeting of 1969-70 are: (from second left), state association president Oscar Rich, principal at Foley High School; Felix Smallwood, fifth district president and principal of Walker County High in Jasper; and program chairman Jack Upchurch, Shelby County High principal, Columbiana. Dr. Johnson was a featured speaker at the dinner meeting. The association's four-county fifth district includes secondary schools in Jefferson, Shelby, Tuscaloosa and Walker Counties. (U. of M. News Photo)

Judge Fowler answers letter from Pea Ridge resident

(Editor's Note: Judge C. M. Fowler, Chairman of the Board of Revenue answers a letter appearing in last week's issue from Mrs. H. L. Harper of Pea Ridge, relative to the county road program. Road Districts 1 and 2 are in the eastern part of the county, Districts 3 and 4 are in the west. Pea Ridge is in District 4.)

By Judge C. M. Fowler

On first glance it would appear that the program in Districts 1 and 2 has received more attention than the program in District 3 and 4. The explanation is that construction and paving is normally done in a cycle of two years. The records comes into balance during a four year period.

The construction unit is presently on the Dunnavant Loop Road in Commissioner Parker's District. It is scheduled to construct a 2-mile project near the Wallis farm and a 1.5 mile project between Highway 280 and County Highway 56 (Sterrett to Westover) before moving to the west side of the county.

One of the difficult responsibilities confronting the Board of Revenue is the apportionment of the county funds between new construction and reconstruction or maintenances of old roads including resurfacing. High volumn traffic on paved roads increases the need to resurface with leveling courses and freqently creates a need to widen and reconstruct portions that are particularly unsafe. We can understand that those who are still served by a dirt road may question the wisdom of spending county funds for such projects. One answer is that frequently state or federal funds are available on a matching basis for this reconstruction work. Another answer is that the County has an investment in a paved road that can be lost if the road is not maintained.

Dances at Camp Branch

Camp Branch Community Center in Saginaw continues to hold popular round and square dances on Saturday nights.

An Alabaster combo band performs a variety of music, consisting of country, pop, jitterbug, rock and roll and one square dance per hour.

The dances begin at eight o'clock and continue till midnight. A Reporter reader says that the musicians are well dressed, clean shaven and well mannered and the entertain ment is ideal for the entire family.

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Columbiana PTA withdraws from national organization

The Columbiana members of the Parent Teacher's Organization met Tuesday evening in the Elementary School for a panel discussion on the pros and cons of the executive board committee's recommendation that the local unit withdraw from the State and National Congress of PTA and become an independent Parent Teacher organization, commonly known throughout the state as PTO.

A panel supporting the local PTA was composed of Mrs. John Lathram, PTA Board member of Bessemer, and James Blackmon of Wilsonville.

The panel supporting the forming of an independent Parent Teachers Organization was composed of Mrs. N. Y. Horn, Mrs. Robert F. McLeroy and Billy E. Smith. Albert E. Hylton served as moderator.

Following the discussion, a vote was taken on the motion that the membership of the local PTA withdraw from the National PTA and become an independent PTO. The result of the tabulation of votes was: 107 for withdrawal, and 47 voted to remain in the national organization.

According to an interview the writer had with one prominent member of the local organization, a state wide trend toward withdrawal from the national organization has definitely been established.

An extensive research of the facts covering the organizational structure, constitution, bylaws and creed of the organized PTOs over the state was made by the Research Committee composed of Mrs. W. W. Rabren, chairman; Mrs. J. G. Alston; and Shelby County High School teachers, Mrs. Ned Carey and Mrs. Kenneth Sproul.

Mrs. Louise Ellis Crammer, a native of Columbiana and a former Shelby County High School teacher, who is now principal of Selma Street Elementary School in Dothan, Alabama, said at the meeting: "Having been the principal of a school which has had a substantial, fruitful PTO organization for 17 years, I give my praise and whole hearted endorsement to the effective local, grass roots organizations of parents and teachers known throughout the state as PTOs."

Mr. Jack Upchurch, principal of Shelby County High School, and Mr. H. C. Weir, principal of the Columbiana Elementary School, made the following statement: "Before the election, we pledged our full support to which ever organization the majority of our parents and teachers voted. The Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) received the majority vote, so to this organization we reaffirm our full support. We urge all parents and teachers to unite with us in pledging our whole hearted support, for the sake of our children, to the new Parent Teacher Organization."

Rummage Sale in Wilsonville

Members of the Womens Society Christian Service of Old Chapel Church will hold a Rummage Sale beginning the afternoon of Oct. 23, and continue through Oct. 25, in the Wilsonville Laundrymat Building. They will appreciate your patronage.

JOTS & TITTLES
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It is always encouraging to find that one's efforts are recognized; so, when a customer came in recently and said she had been hearing about, and reading about the Falcon Book Store on Main Street in Montevallo, we felt very pleased. I'm afraid "Jots & Tittles" often lives up to its title, and is just a little bit about nothing much. But right now we have more to tell you about than we can afford to write about - - seasonal items including good Christmas gift ideas. Our Christmas card albums are attracting attention, now. Do drop by soon and let us show you what we have, or take your order for something we don't have in stock. We give fast and personal attention to special orders.

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FIRST PLACE AWARDS AT U. of A. - - First place winners in the Alabama High School Press Association awards are (front row, l-r) Toni Thompson, editor of the Balcoala, first place yearbook award from Baldwin County High School in Bay Minette; Melinda Rowan, representing the staff of The Scan-It of Athens High School, first place B division newspaper winner; Sarah Weaver and Dee Dee Garrett, co-editors of the Montevallo High Spotlight, first place winner in C division newspapera; (back row, l-r) Kathy Maisel, editor of the Mohian yearbook of Murphy High in Mobile, first place division A winner; Hiram Taylor and Patricia Cochrane, co-ediors of the Murphy High Times, first place division A newspaper. Monroe County High School's yearbook, the Monco Hi, took first place in division C but their representative was uanble to attend. Awards were presented at the University of Alabama Journalism Clinic, hosted annually by the U. of A. Journalism Department.

Montevallo News

Six Australians provided the incentive for Montevallo's social life over the weekend. The Rotary Club sponsored a dinner Saturday night attended by several Rotarians and their wives. The Australians, all from Tasmania and Southeast Victoria, provided a fast-moving program giving insights into the many facets of life in Australia today.

The group has spent nine weeks touring north Alabama visiting factories, schools and points of interest. One of the members said, "We probably have seen more of north Alabama than any of you have."

Selected through careful screening by Australian Rotarians, the six young men are outstanding in their occupations and thoroughly charming and articulate in winning good will for their country.

The men spent Saturday night in Montevallo homes. Hosts were: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Robinson, Dr. and Mrs. Kermit Johnson, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Walters, Dr. and Mrs. Mike Mahan, Dr. and Mrs. Lewis Kirkland and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sears.

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Montevallo's American Legion Auxiliary held a towel shower for the Alabama Sheriffs Boys Ranch last week. Approximately three dozen towels and wash cloths were collected and donated to the ranch, according to Mrs. Clennie Nybeck.

A project soon to be undertaken by the Legion will be painting the outside of the Legion Hut.

The Montevallo Chapter of A.A.U.W. will meet on Tuesday evening, at 7:30 in the auditorium of Carmichael Hall. Dr. Besse Terry, Program Chairman, will lead a panel discussion on America's Foreign Policy.

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The Montevallo Garden Club met Oct. 15 at the home of Mrs. W. E. Roberts. A program on Conservation was presented by John Morrow from the Alabama Soil and Water Conservation Service.

AUSTRALIANS VISIT MONTEVALLO - - Winning friends by the hundreds on a nine-week tour of north Alabama, a group of Australians visited Montevallo Saturday and Sunday, as guests of the Rotary Club. From left, Ken Bruhn, dairyman; Pat Hegarty, publisher; Roger Hawkes, high school teacher; Roger Watson, medical practitioner; Don Selth, school principal; and Neil Harrison, realtor.

Bishop Singers in Calera

The Bishop's Singers, a group organized three years ago to furnish the music for the Bishop's Hour, will be presented in Concert at the First United Methodist Church of Calera, on October 23, at 7:30 P. M.

This group is made up of ministers of the North Alabama conference of the United Methodist Church. Two of the group, The Rev. Shirley Lowery, and the Rev. Monroe Lewis are past ministers of the Calera and Columbiana Churches.

The Rev. B. J. Carter, pastor of the Calera Church at the present time is also a member.

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NEW FLAG FOR U. of M. - - Lt. Col. Leonard Folk of the U. S. Air Force is pictured presenting a new United States Flag to the University of Montevallo. Receiving the flag is University President Dr. Kermit Johnson. The presentation was made during the 73rd annual Founders' Day ceremonies held last week on the Montevallo campus. Alabama Congressman Walter Flowers who delivered the principal address during the Founders' Day convocation is pictured in center of photograph.

Boykins celebrate Christmas early

A clarion call from Uncle Sam to John Thomas Boykin of the U. S. Army ordering him to Vietnam, prompted his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Boykin, of Shelby, to give him "something to remember" when they are miles apart at the Yuletide Season.

Sunday, the Boykin home was fully decorated with colorful Christmas floral arrangements. A Christmas tree ablaze with lights held the spotlight for attention. Underneath its boughs gaily colored gift packages for the young patriot were placed by close friends and members of his family. Gifts he can enjoy while he proudly assumes his military obligation.

A traditional "Bird of Cranberry" dinner was served to 50 guests who were included in this unusual but thoughtful pre-Christmas family gathering in honor of John Thomas.

We join the Boykin family in hoping that by next Christmas, the war will have ended and that John Thomas will be home again to stay.

Your State Troopers Report

Colonel Floyd H. Mann released the following statistics for Shelby county so far in 1969. State Troopers have investigated 320 accidents resulting in 42 injuries and 13 deaths.

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SOCIETY NEWS and PERSONAL MENTION

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MRS. LOYD GERALD FULTON, JR.
. . . the former Miss Linda Dianne Payton

Miss Payton weds Gerald Fulton, Jr.

Miss Linda Dianne Payton and Loyd Gerald Fulton Jr. were married at 7:00 p.m. Saturday, October 18 at Central Methodist Church, Siluria. Reverend J. C. Wallace performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Payton, was given in marriage by her father. Her candlelight peau de soie gown was styled with Empire bodice and Chantilly lace. A lace camelot cap trimmed with pearls and crystals held her veil. She carried a bouquet of white roses, stephanotis and gypsophilia.

Mrs. Jerry Busby, vocalist, and Mrs. Adrian Busby, organist, presented the wedding music.

Maid of honor was Miss Nena Carter of Columbiana. Other attendants were Mrs. Allan Suttle, sister of the groom, of Columbiana, Miss Beverly Martin, Miss Connie Martin, Miss Wendy Cox, cousins of the bride, all of Siluria, and Miss Deborah Coates, cousin of the bride, of Pelham. They wore aisle length gowns of silk alencon made with A-line skirts, jewel necklines and capped sleeves in apricot color. The honor attendant's was in a lighter melon color. They carried nose gays of bronze mums and gypsophilia. Ronda Brasher, Sterrett, was flower girl and wore candlelight organza, Empire style, with olive velvet sash.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gerald Fulton of Columbiana, had his father as best man. Groomsmen were George Bentley, Allan Suttle, Tom Spires all of Columbiana, Richard Jones, Tuscaloosa, and Edward Coates of Pelham. Randy Cox of Siluria was ring bearer.

Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Payton were hosts at a reception in the Fellowship Hall. Assisting with serving were Mrs. Frank Shiflett III, Mrs. Richard Jones, Miss Ashley Jones, Miss Cecelia Jones and Mrs. Frank Brown. Miss Diane Whiteard presided over the guest register.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton will reside in Mobile where the bridegroom is serving in the U. S. Coast Guard.

Guests from out of the county attending the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hayes, Barbara and Cathy, Childersburg; Mr. and Mrs. Selby Royal, Childersburg; Mrs. Grady Barnett, Talladega; Mrs. Nelda Shiflett III, Miss Marie Bullard, Mrs. Eloise Whiteard, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Garnem and Mr. Ray Garnem all of Birmingham; and Miss Barbara Martin of Houston, Texas.

Fultons host wedding party

The home of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Fulton on Pine Hill Drive, furnished the setting for an after rehearsal party Friday evening when they entertained in honor of their son L. G. Fulton Jr., and his bride-to-be Miss Dianne Payton of Siluria.

Fall cut flowers were placed throughout the party rooms and a delectable Smorgasbord was served to 40 guests.

House Guests of the Fultons included: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil S. Jones of Pensacola, Miss Cecilia Jones of University of Alabama, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones, Ashley, Joanna and Sally Jones of Demopolis, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones of U of A, Mr. and Mrs. William R. McNair of Birmingham, Steve Sutton of Peoria, Ill.

Halloween Spooktacular

"When the stars shoot and the owls hoot,
And bats fly in and out,
When the fire burns blue, and the candles, too,
Then - - witches are about"!

There is a spirit of Halloween in the air this morning. A host of flaming trees crowning the crest of every hillside proclaim that colorful decorations will not be hard to get.

I have heard of several trick or treat groups planning a trip through the town. The squirrels in our oak trees are frisking about in the pecan trees in an endeavor to store up some pecans for the winter season. Some of the scaly bark trees are dropping their shells, and I am sure Mr. O'possum and Mr. Coon have already discovered the fact that King Winter is on his way. The ghosts and goblins are also making ready to prowl next week and they will surely get you - - "if you don't watch out"!

Halloween is a holiday we have inherited like other customs and traditions and we cannot fail to observe it. Its ancestry is gay and versatile, some of it dating back to religious festivities; some purely to superstition that deals with the harvesting of crops.

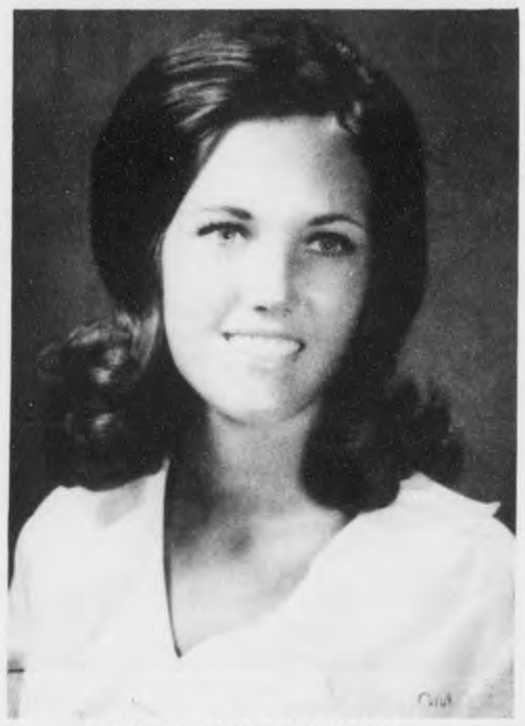
The Romans dedicated it to the Goddess of Fruits. The Isle of Britain, during the Pagan Age, held an autumn festival at this time in honor of the Sun God. The Druids lit bon fires as an example of thanks. No wonder this crazy-quilt pattern yields a wide field for celebration.

During the early Christian Era, the present observation was instituted as a season of prayer for the souls of the departed and the event was called "All Hallow Eve".

The picture today of this colorful event includes shadowy spooks, witches in black, skeletons, and many dark and weird patterns caused by shadows from the flickering of candles placed in spook-faced pumpkins, grinning black cats, and other creatures who are supposed to roam across our paths on this occasion.

Halloween - - as we celebrate it, is a gay and happy holiday which primarily is planned to please Small Fry. So, get with it and prepare to bob for apples, enjoy a pop corn ball, have your fortune told or go on a trick or treat spree with the little "spooks and goblins" who are enthusiastically looking forward to this annual event.

M.W.W.



MISS LESLIE ROBIN KINKEAD
. . . engaged to Edward Corley Hall

Miss Kinkead to marry Edward Corley Hall

Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Kinkead of Delray Beach, Florida, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Leslie Robin Kinkead, to Edward Corley Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Hall, Sr., former residents of Columbiana, now residing in Hypoluxo, Florida.

Miss Kinkhead is a graduate of Seacrest High School, Delray Beach, Florida, has also attended Palm Beach Junior College and is a gradaute of Louella Porter's School of beauty.

Mr. Hall who was born in Columbiana and is the grandson of Mrs. L. F. Vershot, is a graduate of Seacrest High School and has completed service with the United States Coast Guard. He is currently employed by Ball Air Conditioning Company in Lantana, Florida.

The wedding is planned for Nov. 15 at Cason Methodist Church in Delray Beach.

MISS BRENDA ANN BIAGIOLI
. . . to wed Anthony John Portera, Jr.

Biagioli - Portera to wed Nov. 28

Mr. and Mrs. Ramiro Biagioli of Shaw, Mississippi announce the engagement of their daughter, Brenda Ann to Anthony John Portera, Jr. of Helena. Mr. Portera is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony John Portera, Sr. of Helena. The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Taylor of Maylene, and Mrs. Dominic Biagioli and the late Mr. Biagioli of Shaw, Mississippi. Mr. Portera is the grandson of Mrs. James Burkett and the late Mr. Burkett of Birmingham, and the late Mr. and Mrs. John Portera of Birmingham.

Miss Biagioli is a graduate of Shaw High School, Shaw, Miss. Mr. Portera is a graduate of Thompson High School of Siluria, and is attending Bessemer Trade school.

The wedding will be an event of November 28 at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church in Shaw, Mississippi.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Brister, former residents of Columbiana, now residing in Demopolis, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lee last Sunday.

Miss Biagioli tea honoree

Miss Brenda Ann Biagioli, bride-elect of Anthony (Andy) J. Portera, Jr. will be honored at a Miscellanous Tea on Sunday, October 26, 1969 at the home of Mrs. A. J. Portera from 2 til 5. Miss Biagioli is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ramiro Biagioli of Shaw, Mississippi. Mr. Portera is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Portera, Sr. of Helena. The table decorations will carry out the color theme of green and yellow. Hostesses are: Mrs. Henry Worrell, Mrs. B. W. Porter, Mrs. John Lusco, Mrs. Icer Romer, Mrs. Sam DiGiorgio, Mrs. William R. Hamner.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Payne Wed 56 Years

The family of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Payne gathered at the home of their parents, Sunday, to share with them the passing of their 56th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Payne have eight children and 11 grandchildren who shared the joyous occasion.

Among those present for the delectable mid-day dinner served in their honor were Miss Valera Payne of Sylacauga, Mr. and Mrs. Calbert Payne, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Payne and Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell Moore and children.

Friends and neighbors called during the afternoon to wish for the beloved couple many, many more happy years together.

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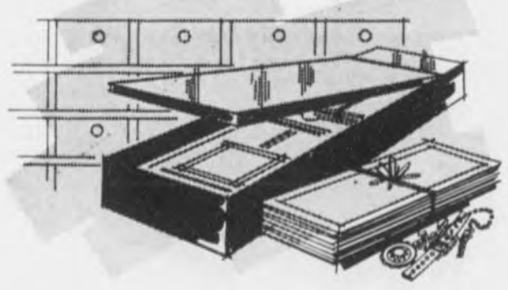

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Mrs. Morris feted at bridal shower

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Spires, Sr., was the lovely setting Sunday, October 19, for a bridal tea party and shower honoring Mrs. Michael Wayne Morris, nee Susan Kelly.

Co-hostesses were Mrs. Vernon Adams, Mrs. Conrad Fowler, Mrs. Jeff Hand, Mrs. Norman Lefkovits, Mrs. James Nichols and Mrs. Ben Skelton.

As they entered the foyer, beautifully decorated with fall arrangements, guests were greeted by Miss Deetsie Spires. The bride's book was kept by Miss Marsha Lefkovits.

In the receiving line with Mrs. Morris were Mrs. W. J. Spires, Sr., Mrs. Leon Kelly, Sr., mother of the bride, Mrs. T. O. Morris, Sr., mother of the groom, and Mrs. Louis F. Griffin, paternal grandmother of the bride.

The tea table, overlaid with a linen cutwork tablecloth featured a centerpiece of yellow galdioli and chrysanthemums in a silver Monteith bowl. Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. Leon Kelly, Jr., Mrs. Jack Logan, and Miss Jane Joiner.

Cloths for the gift display tables were of moss green velvet. The party rooms were decorated with greenery and flowers in shades of yellow.

Mr. Morris is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Morris, Sr., Bessemer. He graudated from Auburn University in March, 1969, and is now teaching and coaching at Greenwood Jr. High School, Bessemer. Mrs. Morris is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Fred Kelly, Sr., Columbiana. She attended Auburn University and is now employed in Birmingham. The couple will reside in Greenwood.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom S. Tinney of Wilmington North Carolina are the guests of his father, C. R. Tinney in Columbiana.

MEET IN MOBILE - - Among those taking part in the state Agricultural and Stabilization Service conference in Mobile last week (Oct. 7-9) were these ASCS officials. From left are Oland Smith, Columbiana, Shelby County office manager; Harold Fleming, Montgomery, state ASCS office; J. Melvin Guy, Montgomery, county office manager; Don Whitten, Columbiana, Shelby County compliance supervisor; and Charles W. Rittenour Jr., Montgomery, county committeeman. More than 400 state and national agricultural leaders were on hand for the conference.

Mr. Lovett honored on 93rd birthday

The Antioch Baptist Church, Howard Brasher, pastor and his congregation, paid a glowing tribute last Sunday, Oct. 19, to the church's widely beloved member, James Thadeous Lovett, when he passed his 93rd birthday. A program, coordinated by Jessie Butler Jones into a "This is Your Life Uncle Jim" sketch was staged. Assisting Mrs. Jones in the impressive presentation were: Mrs. Louise Horton, Mrs. Lois Smith, Mrs. Edna Mooney and Mr. and Mrs. Braxton Mooney.

Mr. Lovett, and the late Mrs. Lovett, had the privilege of observing their 60th wedding anniversary - - to be exact this remarkable couple were married 66 years and nine months before the death of Mrs. Lovett.

There are many interesting and historic highlights in the life of Mr. Lovett as compiled by Mrs. Jones, but space prohibits our going into detail regarding each one. Briefly recording some of them include - - the fact that Mr. Lovett spent his boyhood years in the home of the Boney Jordans in Shelby and assisted in the farming projects. In 1902 he married Miss Ada Curlee and four children were added to the family circle. They are: Mrs. Thelma Lovett Miles, Bernice McDanal, Lillian Lovett Creel and James Lovett Jr. In 1911 the Lovett home was built in the Kingdom Community in which the family resided until his retirement. Mr. Lovett bought the first automobile in the Kingdom Community. The Lovett home became widely known as the mecca for all young people to meet and enjoy music which was a vitally important part of the family life.

Fishing and hunting were his hobbies. In September 1953, the Progressive Farmer recognized Mr. Lovett as a master farmer.

Mr. Lovett helped organize Antioch Church in 1918, and it was most fitting that this program of appreciation for Mr. Lovett be given in the church in which he has so faithfully served throughout his life. Friends and loved ones, former pastors and long time neighbors came to participate in this dedication to "Uncle Jim" in loving appreciation for the services rendered to his church and community.

A social hour was observed at the noon hour and the unforgettable occasion was concluded by the singing of "Blest Be The Tie That Binds".

A beautifully leather bound Scrap Book contining "This is Your Life "facts was presented to Mr. Lovett at the close of the day's activities.

M.W.W.

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Sgt. Terry Jones Home "For Keeps"

The friends of Sgt. Terry Jones are having the privilege of extending him a cordial welcome home this week following his absence for the past three years while serving with Uncle Sam's members of the Air Force. The young sergeant arrived this week after a tour of duty in the U. S. and in Okinawa. He is currently in business with his mother, Mrs. Geraldine Jones, owner of the Western Auto Store in Columbiana. Terry is an alumnus of SCHS and former classmates will be delighted to learn he is "home for keeps".

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Mrs. Bertie Lee Stinson, office manager of Standard Oil Co., in Columbiana, we regret to learn is a patient in Shelby Memorial.

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We are delighted to learn that I. C. "Pop" Whittle is home recuperating satisfactorily from recent surgery.

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Misses Shirley Jones and Carolyn Champion attractive students from University of Alabama, were week end guests of Conrad and Randy Fowler in the home of their parents, Judge and Mrs. Conrad M. Fowler.

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Glad to learn that Junior Bentley has returned home safely following a tour of duty in Vietnam.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ray are eagerly awaiting the arrival of Jim Ray III of the U. S. Marines who is enroute to the states following the termination of his patriotic service in the war-torn area.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Bentley have returned from a vacation spent motoring through the Tennessee mountains.

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PITCHING CAMP - - Mrs. Frank Ledford (l) and U. M. student Barbara Adamson (r) supervise as four Montevallo Senior scouts pitch camp at the council Tent-o-Rama. Scouts pictured are Dee Dee Garrett, Linda Anderson, Barbara Bigger and Sarah Weaver. (Photos by Bert Seaman)

CADETTES AT TENT–O–RAMA - - (Seated, l. to r.) Stephanie Matheson, Janice Seaman, Kathy Bigger, Alice Eady, Beth Shaw. (Standing) Mrs. Hugh Youngblood, Debbie Pendleton, Conchita Hernandez, Carol Youtz, Linda Anderson. The event was held at Noccalula Falls. Study centered around the hand arts.

Junior III Class wins first in parade float competition

The Homecoming Parade of Shelby County High School, based on the theme, "Cartoons", drew hundreds of spectators to the streets of Columbiana Friday afternoon.

Judges named the float of the Junior III class top winner of the student floats. It was based on "George of the Jungle." Placing second was the Senior II float and tying for third place were the Senior I and the FFA–FHA floats.

Among floats submitted by town clubs, the Explorer Post won first place, Culture Club, second and Vignette Club, third.

Civitans Sponsor Supper

You are cordially invited by members of the Civitan Club to be present at the annual Pancake Supper sponsored by this organization which will be held in the High School Lunch Room Saturday night. Serving will begin at five o'clock P.M. and will precede the football game between Vincent and the Wildcats.

Blast

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wheels. It broke the structure in two, ripping the top and blowing out all the windows. Permanent houses are located within 50 feet of the mobile home within easy sight of the road. The area is not heavily wooded, and expensive homes are being built nearby with regularity.

Hyche told the Reporter, "It's not going to be a fit place for people to live until that mess is cleared up." He repeated how much he enjoyed going to the river and said, "There are a lot of fine people in Shelby."

Treasury officials were called in to help in the investigation under the 1968 gun control act regulating the use of explosives.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness shown us during the illness and death of our beloved aunt, Mary Jane Blackerby.

We offer our special appreciation to the Rev. Don Horton, the Rev. Roland Foster and the singers. Also our thanks to doctors and nurses at Shelby Memorial Hospital.

Your kindness will always be remembered.

Neices and nephews

Card of Thanks

For your kind expressions of sympathetic understanding, your thoughtful cards, floral offerings and other evidences of your personal interest received during our recent bereavement in the illness and death of our loved one we shall always remain sincerely grateful.

Especially do we acknowledge with appreciation the impressive church service conducted by the Rev. Raymond Scroggins and the musical selections by Gaines Hyche and Mrs. Joyce Gaskins.

The Family of Mrs. W. P. Davis

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PROBATE COURT
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10-16,23,30, 1969 †99

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Notice
I will no longer be responsible for debts incurred by anyone other than myself. October 15, 1969
J.A. Cardwell, Jr. Rt. 1 Maylene, Ala. 10-23,30,11-7p.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends for the cards, flowers, and prayers we received during our recent auto accident and illness.
Ernest and Orpha Smith
Wilsonville Rt. 1

Legal Notice
Estate of A. V. Glasscock Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of October, 1969 by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Ada K. Glasscock
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of A. V. Glasscock, deceased
10-16,23,30 - 1969 †101.

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NOTICE BY CONTRACTOR OF COMPLETION OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Contractor, on the 13th day of October, 1969, completed the following Contract:

Contract No. 1, Part "A", Water Works Improvements and Extensions, for The Water Works Board, City of Columbiana, Alabama, EDA Project No. 04-1-00303.

Any person, firm or corporation having an unpaid claim against the said Contractor for supplying the Contractor with labor, materials or supplies in connection with the said work is hereby notified to present the same in the manner and within the time required by law.

Steel City Construction Company,
P. O. Box 99,
Leeds, Alabama, 35094.
Oct.16,23,30,Nov.6 †104.

Legal Notice
Estate of L. Handy Ellis Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 1 day of October, 1969, by the Hon. C. M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Bertha Corley Ellis
Executrix of the estate of L. Handy Ellis, deceased
10-9,16,23,1969 †98.

LEGAL NOTICE
Ben-Tom Corporation hereby gives notice that they have completed contract with the State of Alabama for construction of Project I-65-1(81)182, I-65-2(29)188 in Autauga, Chilton and Shelby Counties and that the State has set the date for final settlement as November 15, 1969. All claims should be filed at our office, 1237 Dublin Road, Columbus, Ohio 43215, before date set for final settlement.
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10-23,30, — 11-6,13,1969. †105.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage dated the 5th day of May, 1966, executed by Robert I. Meadows, an unmarried man to City Federal Savings & Loan Association, which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 300, Page 415 Record of Mortgages, and said mortgage now being in default and subject to foreclosure, the undersigned has elected to declare the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage to be due and payable as provided by said mortgage, and notice is hereby given that pursuant to law and the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the undersigned will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the main entrance of the Shelby County Courthouse in Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on the 20th day of October, 1969, the following described real estate situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Commence at the SW corner of the SW1/4 of NW1/4, Section 3, Township 24 North, Range 12 East and from said SW corner run a distance of 794.75 feet on a bearing of North 11 degrees 33 East to a point; thence turn an angle of 62degrees 06' to the right for a distance of 128.00 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the left for a distance of 84.0 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 15.5 feet to a point on the North side of a public driveway; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 15.0 feet to the South side of said driveway to the point of beginning of lot herein described; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the left along said driveway for a distance of 57.42 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 131.75 feet; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right for a distance of 57.42 feet to the East side of a public driveway; thence turn an angle of 90 degrees to the right along said Driveway for a distance of 131.75 feet to the point of beginning, said lot being a part of Block 4 of Seamon D. Brown Survey of East Montevallo, situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

This notice was published on September 18, September 29 and October 2, 1969. The sale is hereby continued to November 3, 1969.

CITY FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION
Mortgagee
Lange, Simpson, Robinson & Somerville,
Attorneys for Mortgagee
10-23,1969 †102.

With our servicemen

Robert E. Bozeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bozeman of Alabaster, has been promoted to sergeant in the U. S. Air Force.

Sergeant Bozeman is an electronic equipment repairman at Da Nang AB, Vietnam with the 336th Tactical Fighter Wing, a unit of the Pacific Air Forces.

The sergeant is a 1965 graduate of Thompson High School.

Tommy Brand, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Brand, Route 1, Montevallo, was promoted to Army specialist five Sept. 16 while serving with the 36th Engineer Battalion near Vinh Long, Vietnam.

A heavy equipment operator in the battalion's Company B, Spec. 5 Brand entered the Army in May 1968, completed basic training at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., and was stationed at Ft. Carson, Color., prior to his arrival in Vietnam last February.

Sergeant John W. Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix W. Lewis, 347 Crestview Drive, Montevallo, has received the U. S. Air Force Commendation Medal for meritorious service in Vietnam.

Sergeant Lewis, a weather equipment repairman, was cited for his outstanding duty performance while assigned to Detachment 37, 5th Weather Squadron, a unit of the Air Weather Service, at Phu Bai Army Installation.

The three-year Air Force veteran is a graduate of Montevallo High School.

OBITUARY

Michael Price

Michael Price, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Price, of Mineral Springs, in Chilton County, was killed in Viet Nam last Thursday night, when he stepped on a mine.

His mother is the former Miss Betty Jo Williams of Westover, and his grandparents are Mrs. Ann Williams and the late Mr. Grant Williams, of Westover. The paternal grandparents are the late Dr. Marshall Price and Mrs. Price of Mineral Springs.

Michael graduated from the Jemison high school in June and went into the Marines immediately. After his indoctrination, he was sent to the war zone. He suffered an injury soon after reaching Viet Nam, but soon recovered from it, and had gone back into active duty when he was killed.

Besides the parents and grandparents, he is survived by two sisters, Bridgett and Katrine Price, and a brother, Joe Price of Mineral Springs.

WARRIOR STOPPED - - Calera's Tim Watley (66) and Arvis Ryan (50) team up to stop Thompson High's Gary Carter. The Eagles downed Thompson 19-18 during the Warriors' annual homecoming game.

Bulldogs tie Wildcats, 8-8, Yellow Jackets, Eagles win

Five of six Shelby County football teams were involved in real squeakers last week.

Montevallo and Shelby County High dueled to an 8-8 finish Friday night in a game that could throw the county championship into a tie.

Calera High edged Thompson, 19-18; Vincent High won in the final 11 seconds of its game in Ashland, 9-6; and Thorsby downed Chelsea, 34-0.

Shelby County High took a 2-0 lead in the second period when a Montevallo punt was blocked and bounded out of the end zone.

In the third period Wildcat Larry Strickland boosted the margin to 8-0 on a 50-yard touchdown dash. The point after touchdown was no good.

Montevallo knotted the score with 51 seconds remaining in the game when Anthony Staffney scored on a 10 yard run and tossed a two-pointer to Roy Goggins.

Montevallo hosts Calera High Friday night for the Bulldogs' final county match of the season. Shelby County High plays Vincent in Columbiana Saturday night.

Caler's Rick Plaice opened the scoring at Thompson on a 12-yard run. Ricky Osley ran over the extra points and the Eagles led 8-0.

In the second period Thompson trimmed the Calera lead to 8-6 with a one-yard touchdown plunge by Alan Brand. The passing attempt for the extra points was not good.

Ousley took Calera in from the one and ran for two extra points to give the Eagles a 16-6 lead at halftime.

In the first play of the second half, Thompson's Gary Carter rambled 61 yards for a Warrior touchdown. Again, the Warriors' try for extra points failed.

Calera's Hank Pearson kicked a 26-yard field goal later in the third period to put the Eagles out front, 19-12.

Midway the final period, Thompson's Mike Green scored from the four to pull the Warriors within one point of Calera. The passing attempt for the extra points failed.

Vincent's Harold Garrett connected a 20-yard aerial to Leamon Davis for a 6-0 second period lead agianst Ashland.

Ashland tied the score at 6-all in the third period and held the Yellow Jackets scoreless until the final 11 seconds of the game.

Garrett kicked a 23-yard field goal in Vincent's final scoring bid to boost the Yellow Jackets over Ashland, 9-6.

Thompson plays at Prattville Friday night and Chelsea High hosts Odenville.

Westover News

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

The student council was responsible for having the float made and decorated for the Chelsea Homecoming game on Friday night. Since this was a first for this school, it took the co-operation of the entire faculty, some parents, and the student body, but it was termed a big success in the end.

David Coleman was the capable chauffeur for the float, and was responsible for much of the construction work done on it.

Dennis Champion, son of Mrs. Pauline Champion and the late Mr. Edward Champion, is the president of the Student Council, and proved himself to be a good leader for this event.

Mrs. Annie B. Adams is faculty sponsor for the Student Council.

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Friends of Mrs. Betty Adams will regret to learn of her death in Pratt City, on October 12. She was buried in Forest Hill Cemetery. Mrs. Adams was the former Betty Davis of Vincent. She and Mr. Adams, at one time, operated the Variety Store in Columbiana for several years. The late Mr. Adams was a native of the Union Church Community. One son, Harold D. Adams, survives the couple, in Birmingham.

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Staff Sergeant William Best has been visiting his father, Mr. Oscar Best, at Mountain View. Sergeant Best has completed a tour of duty at Fort Bliss, Texas, and is now on his way to an assignment in Germany. This will make the third assignment to Germany, but the family is delighted as Mrs. Best is a native of Germany.

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Robert Davis, son of Mrs. Thelma Payne is home from Viet Nam, at Bien Hao, and will be stationed at Selma for the next year.

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Mrs. Margret Jones is in Shelby Memorial Hospital for treatments. We hope for her an early recovery.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clayborn Reeves, of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, was a surprise visitor last week-end in the home of Mrs. Reeves' mother, Mrs. Lallage Sims, of Pumpkin Swamp Road. Other homes visited by these guests were: Rev. J. D. Davis, Rev. George Davis, David Davis, Mrs. Billie Robertson, and Mrs. Pernie Fulgum. I am sure that this was an enjoyable family get-to-gether.

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The regular monthly singing at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Westover will be held this Saturday night beginning at 7 o'clock.

The Reba Smith Family of Birmingham will be the guest singers.

Ruby Gardner is the singing chairman.

Game planned

J. B. Vinson, Coach of the 75 pound Calera Welterweight football team, reports that a Bowl Game will be held in Calera on Veterans Day.

Three games will be played that day by teams who qualify during the remainder of the season of the Shelby County Boys Football league.

The Calera Quarterback club sponsors the two Calera teams under the direction of Bobbie Jo Phillips. Reuben Hayes is coach of the 100 pound welterweight team.

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U of M presents 'meller-drammer'

The play recognized worldwide as the "daddy" of old fashioned melodrama - - that now-comical stage form marked by highly embroidered sppech patterns and exaggerated posturing - - will open the 1969-70 theatre season at the University of Montevallo this month.

Twin performances of "East Lynne," the famous old "meller-drammer" that elevated more actresses to stardom than any other in theatre history, will play before the lights of Palmer Auditorium on Oct. 30-31.

Directing the season opener will be W. T. Chichester, associate professor of speech at the U. of M. Chichester has directed the university players in highly successful presentations of smash hits such as "Oklahoma!," "South Pacific," "Annie Get Your Gun," and "Of Thee I Sing."

These so-called "Olio" acts were a standard part of stage productions in the 19th Century. They actually had nothing to do with the play itself, and consisted of anything the theatre management chose to present.

Chichester said no effort is being made to "burlesque" the play - - "we will play it in the style of the 19th Century and it will burlesque itself," he said.

Playing the role of the forlorn Lady Isabel will be Leslie Norwood, a freshman coed from Tuscaloosa. Steve Lawrence, a Birmingham junior, will play the part of the deserted husband Archibald, and veteran student performer Joe Taylor, also from Birmingham, is cast as the unprincipled villain, Sir Francis Levinson.

Curtain time is 8:15 p.m. each evening of performance. All seats are reserved, and ticket information and reservations may be obtained through the University of Montevallo public relations office.

THAT'S MY NUMBER - - A University of Montevallo coed is shown dashing for the stage with a winning ticket number in her hand, during the first annual Montevallo Student Fall Festival celebration held in downtown Montevallo last week. More than a $1,000 in gifts were given to University students during the Montevallo Chamber of Commerce sponsored event.

School funds approved

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in favor of the school in Shelby County is the large number of students who do not finish high school because the present curriculum does not meet their needs.

Of the 849 students who entered first grade in the county in 1957, only 401 graduated last June. There are more dropouts in the county than graduates. School officials say that many of the drop-outs would have continued if the teaching had been appropriate to their needs.

As previously reported, the school will have to be constructed especially for vocational use. None of the present buildings can be used. Location will depend upon population density and access to all existing high schools.

The Shelby County Board of Education has commissioned the architectural firm of Charles H. McCauley to design the structure.

Plans are now underway to raise the necessary local funds.

Courses that will be taught include electricity, auto mechanics, woodwork, commercial subjects and several others.

A Correction

In writing the obituary of Miss Fanny Thomas last week we were mis-informed as to where she was buried. We hasten to make the correction. Miss Thomas was buried in Montevallo Cemetery instead of Tuscaloosa as we stated.

Bethel Free Will Baptist celebrates 50th anniversary

Bethel Free Will Baptist Church at Pea Ridge celebrated its 50th anniversary Sunday with a host of members and friends in attendance.

Rev. Kirby Joe Godwin, pastor, delivered the morning message and presided over the day's services.

After lunch, Albert Pickett who has served as a deacon for 12 years, history and its charter members were recognized.

Three former pastors were present and gave short talks: Rev. M. D. Harper, Rev. Jimmy YOungblood and Rev. J. J. Counts.

Special singers and the singing of hymns by the congregation concluded the anniversary observance.

Spears

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breeding records.

Young Spears will travel to Kansas City, Missouri, October 16, to the 42nd National FFA Convention to receive a $200 national award for his outstanding achievement in Placement in Agricultural Production.

The awards are sponsored by the Future Farmers of America Foundation, Inc. About 500 business and industrial concerns, organizations, and individuals make annual contributions to the FFA Foundation to provide the funds for this and other award programs it sponsors for FFA members.

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CLEARING FOR LAKE - - M. L. Warren of Columbiana steps from his tractor after arriving at the loading area with logs cleared from the site of the new recreation lake in Oak Mountain State park near Pelham. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Dr. Nolen shot by burglars--

'They're robbing the drugstore'

By Marcia M. Sears

It may be awhile before Dr. Percy Nolen again rushes out of his home to perform a useful public service.

For his efforts in foiling a drug store robbery in Helena Sunday morning he is in Shelby Memorial recovering from surgery that removed buckshot from his face.

Dr. Nolen's home is in his medical clinic across and up the street about 25 yards from Helena Drug. He told the Reporter that just after three a. m. he heard glass shattering. His wife looked out the window and said, "They're robbing the drugstore."

Dr. Nolen said, "I grabbed my 38, ran outside and fired a shot, hoping to scare them away." He assumed they would be amateurs and be frightened by the shot. Instead, the two robbers were prison escapees with criminal histories.

Nolen said he stood behind a telephone pole and heard one of them say, "Shoot him." About a minute later they fired a shotgun. Dr. Nolen was hit in the forehead and the wound required six to eight sutures. Another bit of buckshot entered his nostril and upper jaw bone and came out above his ear.

At this point, Dr. Nolen realized he would need medical assistance, so he went back into his house and his wife called the hospital and police, then drove him to Shelby Memorial.

Nolen makes one concession to the robbers. He says, "They could have shot me down if they had wanted to" when he walked from the telephone pole back to the house, but he says they did not fire a second shot.

Law enforcement officials from all over the county rushed to assist the Helena Police Sunday morning in tracking down the men who broke into the Helena Drug.

Bloodhounds from Kilby quickly picked up the scent of the men from the car they left in front of the store.

Lavonne Hodges, 23, of Headland, and Tullie Gene Carr, 28, of Ozark, both prison escapees, left their stolen car and ran down the L & N tracks toward Pelham after Dr. Percy Nolen surprised them.

They had smashed a front window at the drugstore and removed the safe, containing narcotics. The car contained several guns and a chest full of narcotics believed stolen from a Midland City drugstore.

The sheriff's department directed the chase, stationing men at various points ahead of the dogs. The lead dog was killed when hit by a train. Billy Hinds of Helena, who tried to flag the train, told the Reporter, "I felt so bad about that dog, killed doing his duty, that I went back later and buried him."

Hodges and Carr apparently followed the tracks to a point near the Alabaster housing project. They found a car parked on the road, owned by P. E. Gamble of Alabaster, who was out hunting.

They were driving off back of Alabaster Lime Co., when Wilton Police Chief Cooper Shaw spotted them, blocked the road, and radioed other officers. The net of policemen quickly closed in and captured them.

Hold orders and police investigators from all over the state began pouring into Columbiana to see if these men had taken part in various reported crimes in other counties.

Ballistics tests were ordered at Auburn in connection with the murder of a couple in South Alabama.

The men were picked up by Kilby officials Tuesday afternoon.

According to Deputy Louis Cosby, Carr had escaped September 31 from the trustee barracks at Kilby and Hodges had escaped September 8 from Atmore Prison. Hodges was serving a three year term from Henry County for illegal possession of a pistol.

Chief Deputy Joe Roden said he assumed the men stole the narcotics for the purpose of selling them.

Joe Dean, owner of the Helena Drug, said the men had apparently attempted to break in at the back of the store, before they smashed the front window.

LAVONNE HODGES

TULLIE CARR

RECOVERED ARSENAL AND DRUGS - - Sheriff Walker photographed this collection of guns and various stolen articles that were found in the robbers' car and in their possession when caught. The chest in foreground was filled with narcotics taken from an earlier robbery.

SAFE LEFT BEHIND - - Hodges and Carr taped the plate glass window at Helena Drug so that only the lower right hand section broke when they hit it. They removed the safe through the opening, but abandoned it after Dr. Nolen surprised them in the burglary.

Montevallo purchases land, plans recreation area

Final purchase of land for Montevallo's proposed new city park was completed last Friday, according to Mayor M. L. Orr.

Settlement was made just before the condemnation case was to go to court.

Two years ago the city began buying up the 22 to 24 acre tract on the advice of city planner Gordon Butcher. Most of the purchases were made without condemnation proceedings.

City Clerk Durwood Harper told the Reporter that the land includes the White property on Island Street, and extends back to Big Spring on Shoals Creek. It also includes the Walnut Subdivision or the old Whaley Estate.

A federal grant made possible the purchase of the land. The city is now in the process of applying for another grant for development of the recreation area.

GROUND BREAKING IN ALABASTER - - Alabaster Mayor Curt Payne (in dark suit) and M. C. Sparks, (at the mayor's left) post master at the Alabaster Post Office, dig for the first shovel of soil symbolizing the official start of construction of Alabaster's new post office building. Attending the ground breaking are (from left) Dot Henry and Nina Thornburg, city employees; and Earl Standifer, contractor; and (at right) Hazel Griffith, city clerk. (Photo by Ed Blake)

U Theatre opens season tonight with 'East Lynne'

"East Lynne", the play recognized as the "daddy" of old fashioned melodrama, will open the 1969-70 theatre season at the University of Montevallo, Thursday and Friday of this week.

Performances of "East Lynne", the famous old drama that elevated more actresses to stardom than any other in theatre history, will play before the lights of Palmer Auditorium beginning at 8:15 each night.

A well known part of the American theatre heritage, "East Lynne" is the tearful story of Lady Isabel, who elopes with the villainous Francis Levinson, described as a "bold, bad man."

The Montevallo presentation is being directed by W. T. Chichester, associate professor of speech at the U. of M.

The play is being produced in the same manner as it was during it's heyday of the 1870's, complete with curtains that roll up and down.

The old melodramatic acting style will be employed to heighten the effect of asides, soliloquys and scenes of violence and virtue, according to Chichester. He also states that the audience will be encouraged to hiss villainy and applaude virtue.

Also in the style of the times, a variety of entr'actes, short bits of entertainment featuring dancers, monologuists and other specialty acts, will be performed between scenes while stage hands change the scenery.

These so-called "olio" acts were a standard part of stage productions in the 19th Century.

Chichester said no effort is being made to burlesque the play, "we will play it in the style of the 19th Century and it will burlesque itself," he said.

"ON THE SPOT" - - The spotlight is taller than the "star" it spots! That's the case in this week's production of "East Lynne". Playing the role of "Little Willie" will be Cindy Taylor, diminutive 4'11" coed from Birmingham. Spotting her in a melodramatic scene will be the newly installed spotlight, a five-feet-plus monster designed to throw a powerful beam over 100 feet.

Sheriff Walker appointed to peace officer board

Shelby County Sheriff C. P. "Red" Walker has been appointed to the board of directors of the state retirement system for peace officers.

The annuity and benefit fund was established by the state legislature last summer for law enforcement officers throughout the state. No one will be eligible for benefits until three years after the date of the legislation.

Others serving with Walker on the three-man board of directors are Col. Floyd Mann, director of the Alabama Department of Public Safety and Lt. Robert Bryant of the Montgomery Police Department.

Walker was nominated by the Alabama Peace Officers Association, Mann by the Governor of Alabama and Bryant was chosen by the Fraternal of Police.

Judge Ingram delays jury call, streamlines judicial process

By Marcia M. Sears

Circuit Judge Kenneth Ingram established a precedent last Monday considered by court observers to be a welcome reform.

In an attempt to streamline the judicial process, he called the venire of jurymen to meet at 1 p.m. instead of 9 a.m. as was usual in the past.

The move is designed to save time for the jurors. The first morning of a court session usually finds attorneys and clients rushing to settle cases out of court, requesting delays and postponements and an actual case is not generally begun until afternoon.

This week from a civil docket of 23 cases, only two finally were tried by jury.

On Monday afternoon the two juries were selected. One was directed to return Tuesday morning and the other, Wednesday.

The case heard Tuesday involved a condemnation proceeding for a state highway right-of- way in the Kingdom Community. Property owners Richard Hall, Meta Shephard and Gaines McCloud sought the jury trial to determine the value they should receive for their property. After hearing testimony Tuesday morning, the jury went to the Kingdom to see the areas in contention. They returned a verdict about 3:30 Tuesday, assessing damages to the plaintiffs in the amount of $4,000.

Members of the jury were J. F. Yessick, Maylene, Foreman; Frank Game, Rt. 1, Helena; H. W. Edwards, Vincent; Billy Hinds, Helena; Walter Morris, Jr. Shelby; Noah A. Brasher, Rt. 1, Sterrett; Otis H. Moor, Rt. 1, Sterrett; Judy Bailey, Rt. 1, Chelsea; Mrs. Ruby Smith, Rt.1, Helena; Bill McNell, Wilton; Mrs. Ola F. Whitten, Rt. 1, Wilsonville; and Mrs. Marian Cameron, Rt. 1, Helena.

The second case involves a county highway right-of-way.

Next Monday 16 criminal jury cases are on the docket.

Thompson Fair displays books

Thompson Elementary Book Fair will be held November 3, beginning at 7:00 P.M. in the school's library.

Everyone is welcome to visit the library all week to see the books on display.

There will be a room visitation on Nov. 3, according to Mrs. Floyd Blankenship, Publicity chairman of the Thompson P.T.A.

Calera parade December 13

The Christmas parade will be held in Calera on Saturday, December 13.

Sponsored by the Calera Jaycees, it will be dedicated to the military.

Former Governor George Wallace will be the grand marshal of the parade. Anyone wishing to participate should call Talmadge Johnson, Billy Alexander or any of the Calera Jaycees.

Halloween hazards stressed, Col. Mann urges caution

"Preparing a child for Halloween requires more than supplying a costume and a trick-or-treat bag", said Colonel Floyd H. Mann this week.

Col. Mann urges parents to give motorists a fair chance by using reflectorized tape or at least white material on a child's costume. He suggests that since Halloween masks often slip down and block a child's vision, parents might well try a make-up disguise instead of a mask.

Mann says, "It's safer, more fun for both you and your child, and wipes off easily with cold cream. A little extra time and care ahead of time will be well worth your trouble."

He also urges parents to warn their children of the danger of dark streets and the hazard of darting into the street between parked cars.

Wilsonville Fall Carnival begins at 3:00 p.m. Saturday

Wilsonville school will hold its annual Fall Carnival on Saturday, November 1, beginning at three p.m. Mr. and Mrs. James Story Jr., chairmen of the ways and means committee report that the following attractions will be featured:

Fish pond, country store, horror house, snack bar and fortune telling. The main attraction will be a fashion show of the "latest ladies fashions" featuring men models.

The lunchroom will open at 5 o'clock, serving hot dogs, chili, coffee and other refreshments. The public is invited to come and participate in the evening of fun and entertainment. Proceeds will go to the P.T.A.

BY THE FINGER TIPS - - Montevallo's Mike Guthrie (70) almost rips the jersey from a Calera back, but there is no escape for the Eagle runner as Eddie Craig (73) and Ray Bearden (36) move in to assist Guthrie on the tackle. Montevallo defeated Calera, 13 - 0. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

Unusual problems are common to Mrs. Mary Niven Clerk of the Board of Revenue. Last week she purchased some new blankets for the jail after long and careful study. It seems that Kilby Prison used to make practical sturdy drab gray blankets that were considered just right for jails. The last ones Shelby County bought at Kilby were in 1964.

But Kilby doesn't make blankets any more, and county prisoners were finding the old ones getting thin. So Mrs. Niven had to buy blankets in the commercial market and the best buy she could find in washable cotton were dyed a cheerful yellow.

Now she's worried that people might think good-looking blankets are too frivolous for the jail - even if they were the best buy. Who knows? Pleasant surroundings might just help rehabilitate a few prisoners.

Several extra deputies were put on duty last weekend to patrol the Shelby-Waxahatchee Creek area. The sheriff hoped to uncover evidence that might lead to the arrest of persons suspected of participating in the bombing of a state trooper's mobile home the weekend before.

Raids were made by the deputies at five different locations, but nothing was found. Early Sunday morning however, all law enforcement officials in the county were asked to participate in the man-hunt for the men who attempted to rob the Helena Drug.

Colonel Floyd H. Mann released the following statistics for Shelby County so far in 1969: State troopers have investigated 336 accidents resulting in 46 injuries and 13 deaths. For the same period in 1968 troopers had investigated 298 accidents resulting in 107 injuries and 8 deaths.

Burglars steal meat, candy from Nina's Restaurant

Montevallo Police Chief Robert Boyd has two suspects for a robbery at Nina's Restaurant that occured last Friday during the football game.

Thieves took half the contents of a deep freeze, including steaks, fish and chicken from the restaurant's kitchen, as well as a quantity of candy.

Boyd has also been recovering items stolen from three homes in the Montevallo area the first part of October.

Former Montevallo Police officer Jack Wayne Hughes has re-joined the police force after finishing his tour of duty with the U. S. Armed Forces. He resides in Underwood.

The newly formed Community Action Office of Associated Women Students at the University of Alabama is designed as a channel for U. of A. students to serve in Tuscaloosa community projects.

Students will serve as scout leaders, hospital helpers and in numerous other worthwhile capacities through the action program.

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DRUG ABUSES DISCUSSED - - Shelby County Sheriff C. P. "Red" Walker (seated left) displays and discusses drugs most often found in cases of drug abuse with state leaders of Circle K International during the organization's recent statewide rally at the University of Montevallo. Shown with the county's top lawman are: Kay McKinley (seated right), state Keyette president, Samford University; (l-r, standing), William Sumner, president of the host u. of M. chapter; Norman Cox, Circle K International trustee, University of South Alabama; Jim Brown, Gadsden State Junior College; and Alabama district treasurer John Roberts, Auburn University. Walker was featured speaker at the rally luncheon program. More than a hundred Circle K members, chapter Sweethearts and Keyettes - - college women's auxiliary of Circle K - - attended the day-long session at Montevallo.

Judge Fowler emphasizes county planning at BPW meet

"Watch out - the eighties are just around the corner" was the subject of Judge Conrad Fowler's address at the fiftieth anniversary observance of the Montevallo Business and Professional Women's Club last Saturday.

The Judge told the audience of 60 members and guests who had gathered to help the BPW celebrate the anniversary, that several important business and industrial leaders are thinking in terms of expanding into Shelby County. He stressed the need for careful planning on the part of county residents now, if the county is to remain a good place in which to live and work.

Mrs. Annie Sampley of Ft. Deposit, President of the State Federation BPW, extended greetings on behalf of the state organization.

Presiding at the banquet held in Main Hall was Mrs. George Towery, president of the Montevallo BPW.

Edythe Hartley was chairman of arrangements. Subcommittee chairmen included Mrs. Elizabeth Meyer, Mrs. Virginia Brown, Mrs. Marcia Sears, Mrs. Lydia White and Mrs. Essie Weston.

Harry Martin wins zone

Shelby County winners of the recently completed Punt, Pass and Kick contest will be honored Friday night during a banquet to be held in Birmingham's Municipal Auditorium.

Principal speaker at the 6:00 p.m. banquet will be Alabama Governor Albert Brewer.

Shelby County winners of the Ford Motor Company sponsored contest include Kevin Hughes, James Davis Baker, Marty Couch, Linford Emfinger and Harry Martin all of Montevallo and Billy Jones of Helena. This group participated in the Alabama zone competition held in Wetumpka, October 18.

Harry Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin of Montevallo, was one of the zone winners and competed in the District finals, held in Atlanta, Georgia, last Saturday.

The Shelby County competition was sponsored by the Sherman Holland Ford dealership.

Extra troopers Friday, Oct. 31

Colonel Floyd H. Mann, Director of the Department of Public Safety, reports that due to the high death and accident toll in Shelby County there will be extra troopers on the highways in Shelby County Friday, October 31, 1969 looking for traffic violations. "This is a concentrated selective type program aimed at the prevention of accidents", he said.

Colonel Mann said, "It is time for all persons to accept their responsibility in helping to prevent traffic accidents. Instead of anger and selfishness on the roads, which lead to accidents and death, practice courtesy and consideration, which will reduce accidents".

Shelby County school buses travel 3,000 miles each day

School buses in Shelby County drive 3,000 miles per day. This fact came out in a discussion the Reporter had this week with Shelby County School Transportation Director Sherrill McClure.

Keeping the 80 buses in condition to make their daily runs (almost the equivalent of a New York to San Francisco drive) is McClure's responsibility, and he takes it very seriously.

Approximately 6,500 students are transported each school day as the buses weave their way along the mountain curves near Vandiver to the relatively flat areas near Calera.

McClure has the highest praise for the 18 women who are employed as bus drivers this year. He says they do an excellent job and he hopes to increase their number as time goes on.

The cost of operating the school buses averages 16 cents per child per day, McClure said.

The safety record of the Shelby County system is good. A fatality three years ago is the only one in the past 18 or 20 years.

Following is the list of drivers employed by the county:

SHELBY COUNTY SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS 1969-70

(Student drivers marked by X
Others are adult drivers)

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Edgar L. Ellison
W. J. Franklin
A. A. Ross

Chelsea High
L. H. Bradley
x Joe Franklin Johnson
x David Coleman
Edna Rooks
x Emmett Hugh Parker
Daphine Lee
Susie Hill
Ed Estes
O. H. Whitfield
Carl King

County High
Cyril Benson
Icie B. Seale
Howell Horn
x Benny Davis
Annie H. Morris
x Billy Whitten
x Charles Benson
x Raymond Carroll
x Ben King
x Larry Avery
x Robert Madison
x James Sims
Joseph Gill

Helena
Rose Mary Boatright
Doris Gentry

Montevallo High
x Terry Davis
x Leslie Mathison
Ivey B. Sims
Sarah Ann Morris
x Lee Cupps
Steve Brand
Alan Nannini
Barry Hicks
x James Lee Pickett

Thompson High
J. C. Whitfield
Estelle Shanahan
Annie Merle Roper
Lois B. Pate
Jack Zuiderhoek
Norma Burnett
x Mike Kelley
x Larry Wallace
Imogene Blankenship
Marlin Moore
Mason Billings
Shirley Gafnea
x Phillip King
John Majors, Jr.
x Steve Hardin
x Walter Turner
Herman Cox
x Barney Terry

Valley
Daniel Bishop

Vincent High
Alfred Churchwell
Bill Baker
O. L. Baker
Marion Watson
Rosa Lee Caddell
John Watson
D. S. McClinton
x Randy Reynolds
Margaret Wyatt
x Jimmie Wallace
W. L. McGuire
David Hale
Lynda Strickland

Wilsonville
Doris Blankenship

Calera Elementary
Rickey Powell

Prentice High
Eugene Vassar
Tommy Partick, Jr.
x Thomas E. Wilson

W. A. Jones
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x Alvin Arnold Bruno
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The Rev. Paul Gilbreath, of Scottsboro, will be the guest speaker at the Shelby Church of God Wednesday night, October 29. Services will begin at 7 o'clock.

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JACKET STOPPED - - Vincent High's Stevie Clinkscales attempts to turn end against Shelby County High but their is a Wildcat defenseman to make the stop. Shelby County High downed the Vincent Yellow Jackets, 28-6. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

Good Morning--

Yep, Georges everywhere

By Milton Bird

He was piled up in bed, a big bear of a man, that a little bug had got to, leaving him sicker than any big guy ought to be.

Maybe, if the town was twice as big, there would be twice as many George Starchers in it. And maybe there wouldn't. I guess some folks live a lifetime and never know a George Starcher. The same as some folks walk a million miles, from the cradle to the grave, and never find out that life is a two-way street.

But, as much as George has given of himself to the county he lives in and the town he calls home, our tale is not about him, directly. It's about two other guys. Because George wanted it that way.

The little bug got to George several months ago and laid him low. The same as he would have laid a little guy like me low. Or a dozen nurses, up and down the hospital hall, pretty enough to eat.

"I want you to do something for me," George said.

He was eating grapes, that his sister had brought him from down Prattville way. He put one in his mouth and mashed it and spit the seed out in his hand and reached for another.

"I want you to write about Eunice Jones and John Jones," he said.

A nurse came in and waited a little moment and went out. After a while she would come back and George would make a little gurgling noise and some pills would disappear. But that would be after a while.

"I've been down for months," George said, "and there was a garden to be tended and grass to be mowed and fruit trees to be sprayed and hedges to be clipped."

He took another grape and mashed it inside his mouth and spit the seed out in his hand.

"And you know what. Nobody ever came in and asked what needed to be done. But every week Eunice and John would come over and do all the chores and slip away without saying a word. Every week for a whole spring and a whole summer."

Afterward, on my way home, I thought about it. About this big bear of a man a little bug had got to, lying there in a hospital bed with something damp in his eyes that wouldn't go away.

And suddenly I realized that maybe I was wrong all along. That in a little town no bigger than a bar of soap compared to other towns a fellow knew, there were more George Starchers than a fellow realized. Yep, they're out there. Just waiting to come in when a fellow needs them.

Samford homecoming Nov. 8

Samford University alumni from every Alabama county are expected to converge on the Samford campus November 8 for the school's annual Homecoming program.

Highlighting a full day of activity will be alumni gatherings, the Samford-Western Carolina University football game and a concert by nationally - known recording artists, "The Vogues."

Following a 10 a.m. coffee, the Samford Alumni Association will hold its annual business meeting and election of national officers at 11 a.m.

Changes made in singing

Mountain View Baptist Church announces a change in singing schedule. Beginning November 2, the singings will take place on the first Sunday afternoons of the month at one o'clock.

Everyone is invited to attend, according to Mrs. A. R. Murphree, Chairman.

WILSONVILLE NEWS

Mrs. Howard Eastis was hostess to the Wilsonville Fine Arts Club October meeting.

Club president Mrs. Sammy McEwen presided.

Linda Buchannan, Jerry Hill, Lorli and Cathy Simms of the Baptist Church presented two Hallowe'en skits. The program was arranged by Mrs. Paul Robinson.

Club visitors were Mrs. Frances Weaver and Mrs. Connie Morris.

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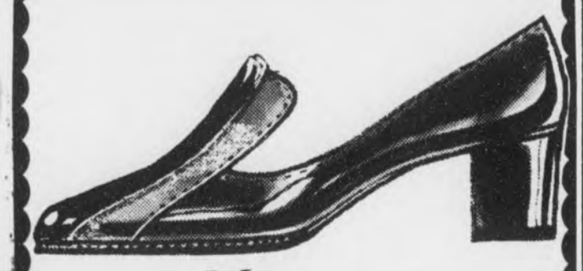

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MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

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Light of sapphire skies,
Peace of silent hills,
Shelter of the forest
Comfort of the grass,
Shadows of the clouds
That quickly pass
And after showers the smell of flowers
And the deep brown earth;
And best of all, along the way
Friendship and mirth".

It would be a dreary cut and dried existence to go through life without a sense of the importance of small happenings, and without a friendly interest - - which goes much deeper than curiosity - - in casual acquaintances one meets along the way.

The late Lewis Follett, known as "The Wanderer", once wrote as follows: "I have often wished I lived in a place where everybody knew everybody else: "True" - - he said - - "I might not care for it unless I could wander from it when I found close observation and interest a bit oppressive. But it would be nice to call such a place home and to know I could always go back to it" - - etc. etc.

So, if any of our readers, who live in the metropolitan areas, would like to come to Columbiana and make it the little restful haven Lewis Follett pictured as home - - we assure you that a friendly interest is the paramount issue in the lives of the natives - - and you will always have an audience to come back to who will gladly listen to an account of your various wanderlings. Fact is, many people come by our office each week seeking a place to establish residence in this friendly little town, and we hope soon to have enough homes in our fast developing sub-divisions to accommodate them. We truly covet their citizenship.

M.W.W.

Robinson-Bramblett to wed on Nov. 14

Miss Connie Rebecca Robinson and Jerry Albert Bramlett are planning to be married November 14 at 7:30 P.M. at the Siluria Baptist Church. The engagement is announced by Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd H. Robinson, parents of the bride-elect.

Miss Robinson is the granddaughter of Mrs. Jessie Evans Ozley and the late Richard Evans and Mrs. Marvin Robinson James and the late Roy Robinson.

Mr. Bramlett, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bramlett, and the grandson of Mrs. Vera Weldon and the late Edgar Weldon and the late Mr. and Mrs. John Bramlett.

Miss Sullivan plans to wed at Samford

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sullivan announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha Anne, to Jimmy Spurlock Calton of Birmingham, son of Judge and Mrs. M. D. L. Calton of Eufaula.

Miss Sullivan is the granddaughter of Mrs. Robert Graves Carden and the late Mr. Carden of Westover and of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Howard Sullivan of Bardwell, Kentucky.

She received the B.S. degree at Samford University, where she was a member of Alpha Delta Pi social sorority, and attended Auburn University graduate school. Miss Sullivan now attends Samford University graduate school and is employed as assistant biologist at Southern Research Institute.

Mr. Calton was graduated with a B. A. degree from Birmingham - Southern College, where his social fraternity was Theta Chi. Mr. Calton received the J. D. degree from Vanderbilt School of Law and is a member of Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity. He is associated with a local law firm.

The wedding will be at 7:30 p.m. Nov 22 in Reid Chapel, Samford University.

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Costumed from head to toe, Columbiana's Girl Scout troop 507 entertained other Scouts, Brownies and friends Monday night. Games included fishing ponds, bobbing for apples and fortune telling. Mrs. Gayle Shelton was the adult in charge of the group activity.

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Miss Donna Reed weds Royce Morris

The Brewersville Methodist Church in Coatopa, Ala., furnished the setting on Oct. 18, 1969, for the wedding of Miss Donna Gene Reed, daughter of Mrs. Joseph Milner Reed and the late Mr. Reed, and Randall Royce Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Royce Morris of Columbiana. The Rev. R. H. Fitzgerald, pastor of the Christian Valley Baptist Church officiated using the double ring ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her paternal grandfather. Her gown was an original model of candlelight satasheen made empire style with bell bracelet length sleeves appliqued with re-embroidered alencon lace. The controlled A-line skirt was heavily appliqued with alencon lace at the sides. Her formal length mantilla veil was attached to a lace pill box. She wore an antique broach that has been used by brides in her family for over a hundred years.

Jarrel Reed, sister of the bride, was Maid of Honor. Bridesmaids were Karen Reed, Karen Morris; brides-matron was Mrs. Edwin Sparkman.

Ensign Jerry Spruill, U. S. Navy, Pensacola, served the groom as best man; groomsmen were: Gene Boone, Birmingham, Rodney Ross, Columbiana, and Robert Bumpers, Jackson. Edwin Sparkman, Livingston, and Mike Robinson, Moundville served as ushers. Milner Reed, brother of the bride, and John W. Nixon Jr., of Mobile were the candlelighters.

Following a wedding trip to the Smokey Mountains, the young couple will reside in Columbiana.

Morrises honor newlyweds

Ormand's Tea Room was the setting for an after rehearsal buffet dinner on Friday Evening October 17th in Livingston, when Mr. and Mrs. Royce Morris entertained honoring their son Randall Royce Morris and his bride-to-be Miss Donna Gene Reed of Coatopa, Alabama.

Pink Chrysanthemums were used throughout the Tea Room for the buffet dinner. A delectable menu was enjoyed by 30 guests including the wedding party.

Out of town guests attending the wedding Saturday were Mrs. A. A. Holman, Mrs. R. H. Mitchell and Billy, Columbiana; Miss Peggy Bearden and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew W. Stumpf, Patti and Andrew from Birmingham.

Jeff Falkner new president of SCHS alumni

At a cake and coffee held in the lunchroom at SCHS, following the football game between Vincent and Columbiana teams on the evening of Oct. 19, when the annual homecoming festivities were observed, the following officers were elected by members of the Shelby County High Alumni Association: Jeff Falkner, president, Barbara Joiner vice-president, and Sonya Liveoak, secretary treasurer.

Mrs. Annie Wilson Atkinson celebrates 93rd birthday

Mrs. Annie Wilson Bowman Atkinson, a life long resident of Harpersville, observed the passing of her 93rd birthday on Oct. 24, 1969.

Mrs. Atkinson's family, the Harris', Kifers, and Bowmans migrated to Talladega and Shelby counties from South Carolina and Eastern Tennessee in the 19th century. A part of the land entered at that time is still in the possession of Mrs. Atkinson.

At the present time, Mrs. Atkinson is residing in the Sylacauga Nursing Home. She is mentally alert, and keenly interested in world events and has retained through the years the rare gift of a keen sense of humor.

With her to celebrate this happy occasion were her three daughters: Mrs. Mabel Espy of Helena; Mrs. Myrtle Johnson of Columbiana, and Mrs. Margaret Wyatt of Harpersville; two sons include C. D. Atkinson of Wilsonville, and T. L. Atkinson of Valdosta, Ga. In addition to her immediate family, Mrs. Atkinson has 14 grand children, 16 great-grand-children and one great-great grandchild.

During the afternoon, friends, former neighbors and other relatives called to offer their congratulations and to express appreciation for her long life of usefulness and to wish for her health and happiness through the years to be.

MRS. ANNIE ATKINSON

Happy Landing

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Isbell left Birmingham last Saturday by jet for a week long vacation in Jamaica. Mr. Isbell was awarded this trip due to his excellent salesmanship. They are guests at the Bay Rock and are enjoying the many planned activities and social events given in their honor by their hosts.

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Glad to report to Russell Seay's friends who have been missing him around the Main Drag that he is recuperating satisfactorily from surgery at Shelby Memorial.

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Mr. and Mrs. "Buddy" Kelly are now cozily situated in their new home in the Highlands Sub-division located on the Wilsonville - Columbiana highway.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Duncan spent the week end in their former home, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Sgt. Ordise M. Moore retires from Air Force

M/Sgt. Ordise M. Moore, (son of Mrs. Olive Moore) and his wife Geraldine Knox Moore and their children, Kenneth, Kathy and Karen Moore, have been busily engaged in greeting their friends in Columbiana since M/Sgt Moore retired from the U. S. Air force after completing 21 years and seven months service.

In flight time ceremonies the young master sergeant was presented retirement certificate and Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Force Commendation Medal for meritorious service in South East Asia.

During his tenure in the Air Force he was stationed in England, France, Germany and North Africa in the European Theatre; and was stationed in Japan with temporary duty in Tiwan and Thailand in the Asian Theatre. His family had the privilege of residing with him for three years in England and three years in Tokyo, Japan.

The Moores now occupy the Leon Dorough home on Myrtle Street and Mr. Moore is employed by the Shelby Division of the Nelson Company of Baltimore, Md. It is good to have these friends of ours choose Columbiana as the place they prefer to live.

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Mrs. Pate hosts club

Members of the Cahaba Valley Extension Club of which Mrs. John Morton is president, met at the home of Mrs. Don Pate for the October program which centered around "Care of the Car". The demonstration was given how properly to care for the car by Mrs. Harold Bright. Twelve members enjoyed the amenities of the occasion.

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It has been suggested that clubs in town take turns once a month and offer suppers for some of their favorite projects and serve them in the SCHS lunch room. Judging by the crowds that patronized the Novella barbecue dinner and the Civitan Pancake Supper, it might be worth thinking over as a profitable venture.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leon B. Wallace and Jerry Wallace spent the week end in Scottsboro.

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We have had the pleasure of a curbstone chat with Dr. Charles Thornburg who has recently returned from practicing his profession in Florida, to practice veterinary medicine in Shelby County. Dr. Thornburg is a graudate of Auburn and the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thornburg of Shelby.

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Mrs. Jimmy Crabtree of Goodlettsville, Tenn., has returned to her home after a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Neal Stinson. Mrs. Stinson has returned from several days stay in Baptist Medical Center and is recuperating at her home in Columbiana.

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Mrs. Myra Vickery, Handy and Paul Stinson are the guests of their father, City Judge Tom Stinson, having been called home due to the serious illness of their mother who remains a patient in Baptist Medical Center.

FIRE SHOWER - - Members of the Faith Sunday School Class, Montevallo Baptist Church, recently surprised Mrs. Opal Bearden with a kitchen shower. The gifts were to replace kitchen items destroyed by fire in the Bearden home. Shown presenting gifts to Mrs. Charles Bearden are Mrs. Aaron Harris (left) and Mrs. Decell Owens. Other class members attending the event and presenting gifts were Mrs. Robert Moss, James Putman, Bobby Sherrer, Howell Vaughn, David Kimbrell, Leon Nix, Herscell Day, Clyde Winslett, John Nix, Henry Turner and R. C. Eason.

12-unit apartment building to aid local housing shortage

The new 12 unit apartment building now under construction owned by Jimmy McDow, when completed, will certainly be a step forward toward alleviating the acute housing shortage here in Columbiana. These apartments will be much in demand. They are easily accessible to the schools and to the town and will have every modern convenience. Mr. McDow says if more apartments are needed, after these are finished, he will likely duplicate these plans and build another unit on the opposite side of the road where these are located.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weldon and children of Tallassee, were week end guests of her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Scroggins. Sunday they were present to share a birthday celebration honoring Dr. Scroggins.

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Members of the Columbiana MYF of the Methodist Church were invited to the Methodist Church in Ensley last Sunday evening where the Rev. Earl Gordon, a former pastor of the Columbiana church, and members of the Ensley MYF organization, hosted a dinner in honor of his Columbiana friends who remained over for the evening hour of worship.

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Mrs. Hoyt Blalock Jr., of Atlanta, is spending this week in Columbiana as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Clark.

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Miss Evelyn Glover, pretty University of Alabama co-ed and Jim Mullins of the University were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Mullins.

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If someone has lost a pair of glasses during a visit in Columbiana and really needs them - - call J. C. Walton at the courthouse and he can likely tell you where they are.

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Mrs. Grace Sheffield and Earl Morris have returned from Memphis, Tenn., where they were called last week end due to the critical illness of their brother.

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Earl Wood and his mother, Mrs. Lida Wood, who has been visiting him and Mrs. Wood in Birmingham, spent Saturday in Columbiana. Mrs. Wood says she will conclude her stay in the Magic City Nov. 1, and return to her home in Columbiana to spend the winter. Her many friends here will be delighted to get this good news item.

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Barbara Joiner, widely known authority on mission study courses and much in demand for conducting these courses in various parts of Alabama, is facing an unusual dilemma this week. In addition to a previous engagement to conduct a mission study course in Florence, Ala., (Lauderdale Co.,) she has received a summons to serve on a Federal Jury in Birmingham, and also a summons to serve on a jury in the Shelby County Circuit Court during the same week.

Just what judicial verdict will be handed down from these courts as to which "master she shall serve" is at the present writing being "taken under advisment" by the powers that be. It is they who will have to hand down a decision before the gavel sounds in Jefferson county and in Shelby county, when the name of Barbara Joiner is called - - Just where she will answer "present" is - - at this time problematical.

All we can do is chalk up another "first time this has ever happened" since women insisted on having a "say so" in the "guilty" or "not guilty" procedures.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lou Hoynes (Catherine Parker) of Indianapolis, returned to their home last Saturday following a visit with her sister, Miss Dorothy Parker at "The Pines" near Harpersville.

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MONTEVALLO LITTLE LEAGUE QUEENS - - Receiving crowns last week were (l to r) Debbie Lucas, Chiefs; Paula Houlditch, Jets; and Cindy Nabors, Bears. The Little League Football queens were presented during halftime activities, Thursday night. Proceeds from the queen contest will be used to purchase football uniforms and equipment for Little League teams.

U. S. foreign policy analyst to appear in UM convocation

David Lenefsky, noted young foreign policy analyst with the United Nations Association of the United States, will appear as guest speaker at a special convocation program at the Universityof Montevallo Thursday morning, Oct. 30.

DAVID LENEFSKY

A native of New York and the son of a prominent young authorities on international law.

A graduate of the University of Connecticut where he received his AB degree in 1959, Lenefsky studied international relations at Columbia and received the LL.B and LL.M degrees from the New York University law school in 1964.

He was admitted to the New York Bar and joined a prominent New York law firm in 1964, leaving the firm a year later to assume his present post.

As a policy analyst with the UN Association, he has conducted in-depth studies of past and present U. S. policies on major issues. He has worked with leading authorities establishing National Policy Panels that have made important recommendations on a number of vital issues today.

Lenefsky will appear at Montevallo under auspices of the U. of M. International Relations Club.

His convocation topic will be "China, the United Nations and United States Policy." The program is scheduled for 10 a.m. in Palmer Auditorium and is open to the public free of charge.

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Said election shall be held at the regular voting places in the County, heretofore established and designated in accordance with law, to-wit:

		Voting Places and Location
Beat No.	Box No.	
1	1A	Old Board of Revenue Office,Columbiana
1	1b	Board of Revenue, Columbiana
1	2	Shelby, Davis Grocery
1	3A	City Hall, Columbiana
1	3B	City Hall, Columbiana
2		Shelby, Rt. Frank Jordan Farm
3	1A	City Hall, Calera
3	1B	City Hall, Calera
3	2	National Guard Armory, Calera
4	1A	Montevallo, City Hall
4	1B	Montevallo, Ken Terry Chevrolet
4	2	City Hall, Wilton
4	3A	Alabama Power Co. Office, Montevallo
4	3B	Alabama Power Co. Office, Montevallo
		J.R. Martin Res., Bamford
6		City Hall, Helena
7	1	Saginaw, Camp Br. Civic Cent.
7	2A	Y Building, Siluria
7	2B	Y Building, Siluria
7	3	Alabaster City Hall
8	1	Chesser's Store,Chelsea
8	2	Chesser's Store,Chelsea
9	1	City Hall, Wilsonville
9	2	Blalock's Store, Wilsonville
10	1	City Hall,Harpersville
10	2	Arkwright, Thompson Service Sta.
11		Westover, Archer's Store
12		Community House, New Hope
13		Taff Sheet's Store, Bold Spr.
14		Vandiver, Watson Store
15		Sterrett, Legion Hut
16	1	City Hall, Vincent
16	2	Gas Board Office, Vincent
17	1A	Pelham, City Hall
17	1B	Pelham, City Hall
17	2	City Hall, Alabaster
18		Dunnavant School, Dunnavant
19	1	Union Hall, Maylene
20		Pea Ridge, Mayberry
21		Baird Groc. Ebenzer
Absentee Ballot		Office of Circuit Clerk Shelby Co. Court House
19	2	Dogwood School, Dogwood

By order of the Board of Revenue and Control of Shelby County, Alabama, on October 27, 1969.
s/ C. P. (Red) Walker
Sheriff of Shelby County, Alabama
Oct. 30, Nov. 6, 13, 20, 1969 †111.

Legal Notice
Guardian's Settlement Notice
The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
PROBATE COURT,
October 20, 1969
This day came Eunice Bailey Pickett, Guardian of Suzanne Pickett and files his account, vouchers, evidence and statement for guardian's settlement of his said Guardianship.
It is ordered that the 20 day of November, 1969, be, and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 20 day of October, 1969.
Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
Oct 30, Nov. 6,13, 1969 †106.

Legal Notice
Estate of Elizabeth Self Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 21 day of October, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Charles A. Self, III
as Administrator of Estate of Elizabeth Self, deceased
Oct.30,Nov.6,13,1969 †107.

Legal Notice
Estate of William H. Edwards Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 22 day of October, 1969 by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Estelle Edwards Executrix for Estate of William H. Edwards, dec.
10-30, 11,6,13, 1969 †109

LEGAL NOTICE
Ben-Tom Corporation hereby gives notice that they have completed contract with the State of Alabama for construction of Project I-65-1(81)182, I-65-2(29)188 in Autauga, Chilton and Shelby Counties and that the State has set the date for final settlement as November 15, 1969. All claims should be filed at our office, 1237 Dublin Road, Columbus, Ohio 43215, before date set for final settlement.
Ben-Tom Corporation
10-23,30, — 11-6,13,1969. †105.

Legal Notice
Estate of Benjamin H. Green, Sr. Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of Administration to Mamie Green of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7 day of October, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
10-16,23,30, 1969 †99

NOTICE BY CONTRACTOR
OF COMPLETION OF
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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Contractor, on the 13th day of October, 1969, completed the following Contract:

Contract No. 1, Part "A", Water Works Improvements and Extensions, for The Water Works Board, City of Columbiana, Alabama, EDA Project No. 04-1-00303.

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Oct.16,23,30,Nov.6 †104.

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Legal Notice
Estate of A. V. Glasscock Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of October, 1969 by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Ada K. Glasscock
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of A. V. Glasscock, deceased
10-16,23,30 - 1969 †101.

REWARD $100

For information or the return of:
65-lb. Male Blue Tick Hound;
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J.A. Cardwell, Jr. Rt. 1 Maylene, Ala. 10-23,30,11-7p.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE - Bird dog, Remington 20-gauge shotgun, Hot Point Automatic washer. See Garvin Baker, Columbiana or call 669-7117. 10-30,p.

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MONOGRAMS: Two-day Service, JAYNE's DRESS SHOP, Alabaster. Phone 663-3341. STRICKLAND'S DEPARTMENT STORE, COLUMBIANA. PHONE 669-6157. ZANE.S MENS SHOP, Montevallo. Phone 665-2264 10-2 — 12-18,p.

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Nice three bedroom home 1600 sq. ft. living area. Modern kitchen, den, large living room, fireplace, forced air, gas heat, 1½ baths. Enclosed carport. Southeast of Alabaster near Camp Branch. $17,000. Call Jim Bice, 663-7051.

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Legal Notice
Estate of Opal Lea Seifert Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 24th day of October, 1969 by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
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As Executrix of the
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THOMPSON GRADUATES OF 1939 - - (From left) Vera Genry England, James W. Clark, Mary Evelyn Payne Branham, Fred Wilson and Elizabeth Lovelady Stuman observed their 30th year as graduates of Thompson High School during homecoming festivities recently at their alma mater.

CLASS OF 1949 - - Attending a reunion of Thompson High graduates recently were (from left) Martha Morrow Yawn, Ralph H. Garrett, Julia Lee Roy and Martha Harless Davis. They were among classes honored during halftime at Thompson's homecoming game.

CLASS of 1959 - - Members of the graduating class of 1959 at Thompson High School were honored during homecoming festivities recently. They are (front row from left) Mary LeSueur Bateman, Betty McCoy Garrett, Sherrell Bailey Benson, Shirley Moiser Hull, Eva McQueen Garrett, Harriett Posey Garrett, Bunny Fortenberry Causey and Alice Faye Moore Smith and (back row from left) James Garrett, Paul Lutz, Jimmy Fortenberry, George Evans, Class Sponsor Mrs. M. Thornton and Raymond Hutchinson.

Association promotes tourism in Shelby, central counties

Formation of the Tallacoosa Highland Lakes Association to promote tourism in East Central Alabama has been announced. The association consist of fifteen (15) East Central Alabama Counties.

Businessman Bruce Barton has been named full time executive vice president and has an office in Talladega.

State Bureau of Information and Publicity Assistant Director Bob Brewer gave his support to the organization saying, "Our office in Montgomery is at your disposal and will be glad to work with you in this area. We want regional promotion groups organized so we can sell Alabama to Alabamians and to out of state people."

Directors and guests at a recent meeting included:

Charles L. Abbott of Cropwell, William B. Crow of Pell City, Roscoe Young of Centre, George Peek Jr. of Centre, Robert C. Weaver and Roger Bear of Talladega;

L. E. Sellers Jr. of Alexander City, Obie L. Littleton of Clanton, Morris Moatts of Clanton, Tom Bass and Charles Osborne of Talladega, James B. Butler of Centre, W. Paul Yeager of Columbiana;

Joe H. Nix of Wedowee, Dwight Jackson and Paulk Griffin of Talladega, W. H. Cowan, James C. Mattox and Bill Wilson of Ashland, Robert R. Clark of Auburn, and Walter Linde of Huntsville.

Sunday services

The Columbiana Church of God of Prophecy announces the following schedule of services: Sunday School, 10 a.m., Victory Leader, 6:30 p.m. and evening worship, 7:30 p.m.

The church is located just off old Highway 25 in Columbiana. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Girl Scouts resume troop activities

Fall means many things from school days to football games. To a large segment of our population, fall also means getting back into "the green" - Girl Scout green, that is. After a summer of camp fun, Girl Scouts all over our county are getting back to regular troop program, which also signifies a blossoming of green and brown uniforms.

Troops in the Montevallo, Siluria, Calera and Columbiana areas, under the direction of Mrs. T. E. Watson and Mrs. R. B. Hildreath are beginning troop activities. There are now two troops in the Columbiana area, one Brownie with Mrs. Jack E. Johnson as leader and one Junior, under the leadership of Mrs. T. E. Shelton. These two troops include a membership of 42 girls. Both troops meet at the Girl Scout hut in Columbiana.

The Montevallo area (or Verla Price Neighborhood) will have approximately 324 girls this Fall. The leaders are:

Junior Troop 142 - Mrs. Mildred Aldridge; Junior Troop 153 - Mrs. Sidney Bird; Junior Troop 160 - Mrs. J. A. Kelly; Senior Troop 163 - Mrs. Frank Ledford; Cadette Troop 187 - Mrs. Hugh Youngblood; Brownie Troop 194 - Mrs. Stephen D. Cowart; Junior Troop 429 - Mrs. C. T. McCune; Junior and Cadette Troop 494 - Mrs. J. H. Guthrie; Junior Troop 503 - Mrs. Douglas Clackler; Junior Troop 508 - Mrs. Joseph Bridges; Junior Troop 802 - Mrs. Raymond Haggins; Cadette Troop 803 - Mrs. Raymond Haggins; Brownie Troop 804 - Mary Jones; New Brownie Troop - Mrs. Rodney Ellis. Troop consultant will be Mrs. Don Lovelady.

Assistant Leaders for the Montevallo, Siluria and Calera area include Mrs. James E. Owen, Mrs. Earl McGaughy, Mrs. Jack Turner, Mrs. John Kiriakos, Mrs. John Roberts and Mrs. Jerry Johnson; Mrs. James Seaman and Mrs. R. M. Prince.

Four troops meet at the Montevallo Scout hut and four troops meet at the Montevallo Methodist Church.

Troop 194 meets at the Calera Methodist Church.

Troops 429 and 503 meet at Thompson School.

Troops 802, 803 and 804 meet at Almont School.

Shelby County Girl Scouts are members of the Cahaba Girl Scout Council and a United Appeal Agency.

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Staff Sgt. Wayne E. Watts received the Commandant's Trophy at the completion of his course in drill sergeant's school at Ft. Jackson, S. C. recently.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Watts of Alabaster and he attended Thompson High School.

The Commandant's Trophy is presented to the student who displays outstanding appearance and military bearing and who performs in an outstanding manner in all leadership positions. Sgt. Watts was also the top man in the class.

He has been in the Army since June, 1969 and has served in Vietnam. Now stationed at Ft. McClellan, Ala., where he trains men to be combat infantrymen, the sergeant lives in Anniston with his wife, Lydia and their four your old son, Eddy.

SGT. WAYNE E. WATTS

Sp/4 Jerry T. Shirley from Vietnam is on his R. and R. in Hawaii this week. His wife Jo Ann from Birmingham will meet him there. Jerry is recovering from a wound, he received on Aug. 24. He has a Purple Heart and a Bronze Star.

Aviation Electrician's Mate Airman Danny R. Cofer, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle H. Cofer of Route 1, Maylene, and husband of the former Miss Sharon D. Suggs of Route 2, Calera, was graduated from the Navy's Aviation Electrician's Mate School at the Naval Air Technical Training Command, Jacksonville, Fla.

Marine Pfc. James R. Dupree, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Dupree of Route 2, Wilsonville, has completed the Radio Telegraph Operator's Course at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif.

The 18-week course covered the operation, installation, adjustment and employment of the radio communication equipment used by Fleet Marine Force units.

William G. Higginbotham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Higginbotham of Maplesville, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force upon graduation from Officers Training School at Lackland AFB, Texas.

Lieutenant Higginbotham, selected for OTS through competitive examination, is being assigned to Vance AFB, Olka., for pilot training.

A 1962 graduate of Maplesville High School, the lieutenant received his B. S. degree in 1968 from Alabama College and is a member of Alpha Kappa Psi.

His wife, Sandra is also an AC graduate. She resigned her position with the Shelby County Department of Pensions and Securities last week to join her husband in Oklahoma.

Private Joseph R. Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Hall, of Wilton, left October 3rd for Aschaffenburg, Germany. His wife Connie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claudus E. Tidwell of Calera.

Private Hall received his basic training at Fort Benning, Georgia and continued his advanced infantry training at Fort Polk, Louisiana.

Private Hall was formerly employed by Moore-Handley in Pelham.

His wife plans to join him in Germany very shortly.

Sergeant Phillip H. Howton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley E. Howton, Rt. 1, Helena, has received the U. S. Air Force Commendation Medal for meritorious service in Vietnam.

Sergeant Howton distinugished himself as a security policeman at Tuy Hoa Air Base, with the 31st Security Police Squadron.

He was presented the medal at Lackland AFB, Tex., where he is now assigned to the 3700th Security Police Squadron, a unit of the Air Training Command.

The sergeant attended Thompson High School, Siluria, and completed requirements for his diploma after entering the Air Force.

Boilerman 2/c John M. Wilson, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wilson of Route 1, Siluria, is serving aboard the guided missile destroyer USS Waddell with the U. S. Seventh Fleet in the Western Pacific.

Montevallo BPW leads ACS program

The American Cancer Society's educational program in Shelby County, Montevallo area, is being conducted under the leadership of the Business and Professional Women's Club, with Mrs. Thomas J. Evans as education chairman. Mrs. G. T. Towery is president of the club.

Mrs. Evans is the owner of the Falcon Bookstore, and a member of the American Association of University Women and the Episcopal Church.

This is a continuous program to save lives by providing the public with information on cancer.

Out of three persons who get cancer, one is saved, under present rates. But, according to the American Cancer Society, the rate could be one out of two saved, if enough cancer patients saw their doctors in time for early diagnosis and treatment.

The ACS, through its educational program, seeks to alert the public to cancers warning signals. If a signal lasts longer than two weeks, a person should see his or her doctor, according to ACS.

The Society also encourages adults to have regular health checkups at least once a year as a means of detecting early cancer.

The ACS education chairman in each area is responsible for distributing cancer information through newspapers and other publications, radio, TV, civic groups, schools, business, industry, and other media.

A native of Prescott, Ariz., Mrs. Evans received the B. S. degree from East Tennessee State College. She and Mr. Evans have two children.

Mrs. Willie Lee Galloway will serve the Cancer Society as transportation chairman in Shelby County.

Latest Labor Department figures indicate that through July 31, 1969, 4,248 minoirty group youth youths became apprentices in the building and construction trades through the Federally - funded Apprenticeship Outreach program.

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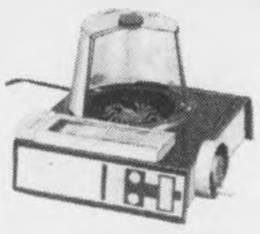
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County road work decreased last year

The accomplishments of the Shelby County Highway Department for 1968-69 are down from the work performed in 1967-68. A report prepared by County Engineer Jim Ray and submitted recently to the Board of Revenue reveals the following:

(County wide)	1968-69	1967-68
Paving	20.2 miles	29.92 miles
Resurfacing	8.9	32.68
Leveling (with plant mix)	15.0	32.31
New roads graded and drained	12.5	14.25
Base Course	19.8	25.27

The record of paving, construction of new roads, application of base course, and resurfacing of paved roads is as follows:

District 1 (Blalock)	1968-69	1967-68
Paving	4.6 miles	4.91 miles
Grading and drainage	6.1	7.68
Base Course	5.9	7.03
Resurfacing	8.9	16.60
District 2 (Wooten)		
Paving	9.5	15.22
Grading and Drainage	.5	.5
Base Course	7.8	10.83
Resurface	6.5	10.68
District 3 (Bearden)		
Paving	5.4	5.01
Grading and Drainage	2.4	3.87
Base Course	5.4	2.43
Resurface	8.5	.0
District 4 (Parker)		
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Grading and Drainage	3.5	2.2
Base Course	.7	4.98
Resurfacing	.0	5.40

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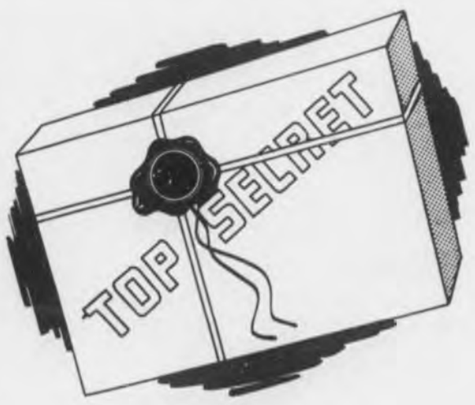

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POND BUILDERS - - Sidney Bird has built four new ponds, renovated a fifth, and has the sixth laid out for construction. Some of the ponds are for livestock and irrigation water only, and others for commercial fish production. Shown beside one pond and behind a dam of another are ASCS Office Manager Oland Smith, Jr. and SCS Conservationist John Morrow.

Hay producing, catfish farming replace cattle on Calera farm

By Lee Stevens

Catfish farming and producing hay for the market is the program being developed by Sidney M. Bird Jr. on his 195 acre farm South of Calera.

The farm had previously been used for a commercial beef cattle operation. Bird estimated its grazing capacity at approximately five acres to an animal unit.

"His farm is one of the few in the county where topography of the land is favorable for impoundment of water at a minimal surface acre cost", explained Soil Conservation Service District Conservationist John Murrow

Murrow assisted in revising a conservation plan that was worked out by a former farm owner W. L. Capps and SCS Unit Conservationist B. F. "Hap" Hatchett over a quarter of a century ago.

"We have built four new ponds, renovated a fifth and are taking a closer look at three more possible pond locations.", Bird explained.

The ponds, also slated for livestock water and irrigation use, are from two to four surface acres in size and a minimum of six to a maximum of eight feet in depth.

One of the ponds was started in early August of this year with 2,500 catfish fingerlings three to five inches in length. A test in early September indicated that the fish had reached an approximate 1/16 pound weight and the estimated total weight gain in the 31 days was 302 pounds. Approximately 300 pounds commercial fish food had been used.

One of the ponds is planned for game fish and for a basket fish production study, Bird explained.

Bird's hay program includes 20 acres Costal Bermudagrass on higher terrain. Established in 1968, the Bermudagrass was fertilized at rates according to Auburn University recommendations. He has also established 35 acres Bahia grass and 30 acres Fescue.

"With fertilization and favorable moisture, we hope for a five ton per acre upward yearly yield on the Bermuda grass and Bahia grass and a three to five ton per acre yield from the fescue", Bird explained. Good quality grass and Fescue hay has been selling for $30 per ton upward. The three grasses will provide an extended hay season starting with fescue in late April and finishing with another Fesuce cutting in October and November.

"County Extension Chairman, Buck Clark, and Associate Extension Chairman, Joel Thompson, assisted in working out plans for the hay program and have advised us on the fish program", Bird explained. ACP cost sharing practices provided assistance only in carrying out conservation practices including building ponds used for stock water, irrigation, and water conservation as well as liming and fertilization in establishing permanent type grasses. ASCS Office Manager Oland Smith said.

Highway mileposts planned for county

Following the successful pilot project in Mobile and Baldwin Counties of the installation of mileposts, the Alabama Highway Department recently received bids for completion of this safety feature throughout the state.

The mileposts, white numerals on green background, will be placed on all state highways, as part of a nationwide program, under the Federal Highway Safety Act of 1966. The signs will be erected two feet off the road shoulder; and the U-channel posts will cause minimum damage if struck by moving vehicles. Beginning from the south and moving north, and from the west and moving east, highways will be marked every mile. The numbered signs will indicate the distance a motorist is from the beginning of a particular highway, from its southernmost or westernmost extremity.

Newly-appointed Highway Director, Marion Wilkins, in announcing the receipt of bids, said, "The mileposts will be of immeasurable assistance, not only to the motorist, but to law enforcement authorities and those seeking to render medical aid in case of an accident. They will furnish a ready reference as to the exact location of an accident or other need for assistance. In addition, they will aid motorists unfamiliar with a particular area, in receiving directions as they travel throughout Alabama."

Alabama is one of the first states to participate in this program, financing for which is being provided by state highway funds and federal highway safety funds, on a 50-50 basis.

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More than 100 persons volunteered to give blood during the three shifts that the mini-bus was available. Most of those contributing were employees of the mill, according to Roy P. Garrett, personnel manager.

Bird's BUILDING MATERIALS

CALERA

668 - 2321

Two houses burn in Calera

Two houses belonging to Mary Etta Ryan burned to the ground Monday night in Calera. One structure was a new home and the other was an older home.

The family had left about 9:30 p.m. and was not at home. When the fire was reported it was already out of control.

City officials are investigating, according to City Clerk George Holcombe.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE AND CONTROL OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA OCTOBER 1, 1968 to SEPTEMBER 30, 1969

GENERAL FUND RECEIPTS:

Ad Valorem Tax	$338,675.39
Trial Tax	1,548.96
Court Reporter Fees	100.70
Solicitor Fees	7,277.00
Fines & Forfeitures	28,193.29
Rents	1,095.76
Land Redemption	177.32
Privilege & Forestry License	15,133.70
Mortgage & Deed Tax	8,306.09
Sheriff Fees	27,474.62
Commission Phone Booths	78.53
Interest On Investments	4,913.89
Sales Tax	4,680.36
Documentary Tax	23.88
A.B.C. Profits	13,097.40
Beer Tax	22,567.78
Financial Inst. Tax	6,750.11
Witness Fees	738.35
Franchise Tax	11,666.78
Airport Rent	4,881.81
Tax Collector & Tax Assessor Fees	71,852.56
Sale of Equipment	2,524.00
Confiscated Money	23.94
Total Receipts for Period	571,602.22

GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

Board of Education	3,219.12
Board of Equalization	2,450.00
Board of Revenue & Control	35,727.74
Circuit Clerk	8,565.68
Coroner	1,519.70
County Engineer	211.40
Court House	39,720.17
Courts	50,459.10
Elections	2,895.49
Farm Program	19,200.00
T.B. Association	791.55
Welfare Department	$1,200.00
Conservation Department	16,686.76
Health Department	26,850.00
Hospital Care Children	1,200.00
U.S. Soil Conservation Dept.	$1,900.00
Health Building	3,738.62
Insane & Juvenile	86.22
Jail	17,328.71
Premiums	18,620.50
Probate Judge	8,887.49
Sheriff	110,341.74

SUNDRY:

Service Commissioner Expense	378.43
Civil Defense	7,516.68
Hospital Insurance Premium	2,068.68
Library	16,000.00
Library Building	40,000.00
Surplus Commodity Food Program	11,336.52
Board of Registrars	387.00
Garbage Disposal	38,725.71
Retirement	44,431.79
National Guard	1,200.00
Social Security Tax	10,224.40
Airport	4,191.81
Local Advertising	854.50
Vital Statistics	317.20
Emergency & Misc.	250.99
Equipment Maintenance	1,108.63
Purchase of Property	20,572.66
Planning Commission	13,442.66
Sesq. Pageant Expense	2,163.91
Tax Assessor	29,291.46
Tax Collector	18,259.22
Total Expenditures	634,322.24

GENERAL FUND ANALYSIS OF CASH:

Balance 10-1-68	53,814.35
Receipts for period	571,602.22
Less transfer to Gasoline Fund	87,000.00
Add Promissory Note	50,000.00
Total	588,416.57
Less Expenditures	634,322.24
Add Accounts receivable 10-1-68	398.69
Less Accounts receivable 9-30-69	694.52
Add investment in bonds 9-30-68	49,337.72
Net Cash Balance 9-30-69	3,136.22

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND, RECEIPTS:

Ad Valorem Tax	$167,282.64
Land Redemption	81.69
Int. on Treas. U. S. Bonds	3,712.85
Total Receipts	171,077.18

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND EXPENDITURES:

Commission Association Dues	606.00
Right of Way	2,093.20
Road & Bridge Construction	2,818.95
Convention Expense	872.22
Paving Contracts	158,771.78
Total Expenditures	165,162.15

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND, ANALYSIS OF CASH:

Ba lance 10-1-68	2,786.09
Receipts for period	171,077.18
Less Expenditures	165,162.15
Add Accounts Receivable 10-1-68	10,304.51
Net Balance	19,005.63

PUBLIC HIGHWAY AND TRAFFIC FUND RECEIPTS:

Motor Vehicle License	84,306.97
Drivers License	1,570.35
Total Receipts	85,877.32

PUBLIC HIGHWAY AND TRAFFIC FUND, EXPENDITURES

Prisoner labor expense	1,298.85
Paving	56,716.53
Equipment	31,569.22
Total Expenditures	89,584.60

PUBLIC HIGHWAY AND TRAFFIC FUND, CASH ANALYSIS:

Balance 10-1-68	4,979.14
Receipts	85,877.32
Less Expenditures	89,584.60
Net Balance	1,271.86

GASOLINE TAX FUND, RECEIPTS:

Gasoline Tax	608,497.85
Sale of Scrap	56.00
Transfers from General Fund	87,000.00
Sale of Equipment	1,758.21
Equipment Rental	837.87
Total Receipts	698,149.93

GASOLINE TAX FUND, EXPENDITURES:

Labor	432,940.11
Gas & Oils	56,250.89
Equipment & Equipment Rental	3,534.95
Repairs and Parts	112,131.64
Materials and Supplies	101,991.34
County Engineer	8,912.60
Employees Insurance Premium	21,650.28
Social Security Tax	21,421.49
Ferry Expense	7,569.01
Road Projects Charges $5,170.18 Less Refund from State on Rd. Projects $141,408,65	(Cr) 136,238.47
Total Expenditures	630,163.84

GASOLINE TAX FUND, CASH ANALYSIS:

Balance 10-1-68	9,165.77
Receipts	698,149.93
Add accounts receivable 9-30-68	416.66
Less accounts receivable 9-30-69	416.66
Less Expenditures	630,163.84
Less accounts payable 10-1-68	10,304.51
Net Cash Balance	66,847.35

STATE OF ALABAMA
SHELBY COUNTY

Shelby County has outstanding approved claim for Equipment in the amount of $14,842.00, due November 30, 1969 and Promissory Note in the amount of $50,000.00 which matures December 31, 1969 at the rate of 5½% Per Annum.

I, Conrad M. Fowler, Sr., Chairman of the Board of Revenue and Control of Shelby County, Alabama, hereby certify that the foregoing Financial Statement of said Board is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief, of the monies coming into said Board and all of expenditures by said Board from October 1st, 1968, through September 30, 1969.

Witness my hand and seal this 27th day of October 1969.

Conrad M. Fowler
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Montevallo News

On Monday evening, Nov. 3, the Montevallo PTA will have Parents' Night at the High School. All Jr. and Sr. High School parents will meet at 7:30 in their children's homeroom and follow the daily school schedule of their children. All parents are urged to attend.

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Philip Curtis Hubbard, son of Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Hubbard of Montevallo, will be listed in the 1969-70 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges."

He is a student at Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va., and is among 26 seniors named to the "Who's Who" list. He is a Dean's list student, a member of Sigma Delta Chi professional journalistic society, Sigma Nu fraternity and is station manager of WLUR, campus radio.

A total of 13,034 University of Alabama students are enrolled at the Tuscaloosa campus this fall, with men students outnumbering women students by a count of 8,005 to 5,029.

FIFTH ANNIVERSARY - - Among the graduating class of 1964 at Thompson High were (front row from left) Linda Moore, Gail Bailey, Pat Massey, Jane Erving, Jackie McGuire, Angela Young and Diane Brandenburg and (back row from left) David Aaron, Danny DeShazo, Dale Dunaway, Ronald Hewitt and J. P. McGuire. They were returning graduates recently at Thompson High's homecoming game.

Westover News

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

Mrs. Ina Fancher Swint and Mrs. Martha Henderson Swint were two welcomed visitors in our area last week. They were guests in the home of neices, Mrs. Paul Milam, of Vincent and Mrs. Frank Wortham, in Westover, with luncheons in Columbiana and Birmingham with other relatives. Mrs. Ina Fancher Swint, a native of Westover, was graduated with Shelby County High School's' Class of 1916. In her visit to the Reporter's Office, she recalled many names of the members of that class. Some of these were: Leon Kidd, John Longerier, Lawrence (Stogie) Elliott, Faxie Pitts, Mary Nell Longshore, Isaac Stone, Isaac Wharton, Peddy Lyons, Fred Frost, Clyde Gardner, Lalene Bearden, Correlli Farley, Polly Freidberger, Berniece Crumpton, Jeffie Crumpton, Onzelle Ray, and possibly others.

Mrs. Martha Henderson Swint also attended Shelby County High during those years and will be remembered as the sister of Mrs. Lycurgus Leftwich whose husband was the first principal of S.C.H.S.

The two Mrs. Swints were high school chums and married twin brothers, Lee and Lewis, and have lived in West Point Georgia, for many years. Messrs. Lee Swint and Lewis Swint died during the year, 1966.

Mrs. Ina Swint has two sons, Dr. Robert Swint, of Statesboro, Georgia, and Capt. James Swint, of Bethesda, Md.

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Mrs. Richard Moore and son, heath, flew to San Juan, Porto Rico, last week to join her husband, who has been stationed there for several weeks. They expect to be there for two years. Mrs. Moore, the former Theresa McManus, says that she is thrilled at being down there as it is such a beautiful place.

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The pastor and members of Mt. Signal Baptist Church were hosts to the County Baptist Association, on Wednesday, October 22. Rev. Ronnie Euler preached the morning sermon, and the Rev. Gardner Walker brought the afternoon message. Two former members of the Association were received back into the Association - - Rev. Franks Sims, of Wilsonville, and Rev. Pat Minshew, of Eden.

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The Methodist ministers met at the Mt. Tabor Church, on Monday, October 27. Rev. Bob Garrett and members of the Church were host to this gathering.

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Among those on our sick list this week are: Little Julie Wortham, who will have minor surgery at Children's Hospital; Mrs. Lettie Patterson, at Baptist Medical Center, Montclair; Mrs. Minnie Morrison, whose condition is termed critical, at Shelby Memorial; and Mrs. J.P. Morgan, who is ill at her home. We wish for these an early recovery.

History of Alabama College published in book form

The University of Montevallo marked publication of its history in book form - - "Alabama College, 1896-1969" - - in ceremonies at the Montevallo campus.

Dr. Lucille Griffith, chairman of the U. of M. social sciences department and author of the 300-page volume, was honored at an autograph party held in conjunction with the season's first faculty tea.

Arranged in eight chapters, the book includes details of the institution from its founding in the 1890's right up to last month's transition to university status.

The account actually precedes the school's opening, beginning with a narration of social, political and economic factors that produced AC - - "A great institution is born of its time. There must be a need, a demand, that brings it forth."

Other chapters deal with the many facets of AC's birth, growth and development, and particularly with the personalities so closely connected with its past and present.

Changes in the institution's face and nature are recorded from the first page . . . "The school that opened that day (Oct. 12, 1896) was not Alabama College; in fact, it was not a college at all, but an elementary and high school. It had been christened Alabama Girls' Industrial School."

The school's purpose, Dr. Griffith noted, was to "give industrial and technical training to the girls of the state so that they might earn their own living." It is further recorded that legislators "were creating a new kind of educational institution that would give to the daughters of the state the same kind of training their brothers were getting at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn."

Chapter two, entitled "Founders' Day, 1896," notes that AC was born in exciting times: William Jennings Bryan was running against William McKinley for President and Bryan had stirred the nation with his "Cross of Gold" speech.

Economically, times were hard and prices low: cotton was 6.6 cents per pound, and in Calera, one could purchase good checked gingham for 3½ cents per yard and men's trousers were 75 cents a pair.

"On the international scene," Dr. Griffith continued, "the Klondike gold rush was about two months old" and "affairs in Cuba were giving the Americans some uneasy moments . . ." This was some 18 months before the outbreak of the Spanish - American War.

The author devotes an entire chapter to "The Reynolds' Years, 1896-1899," the administration of the institution's first President, Capt. Henry Clay Reynolds.

The longest chapter in the book - - 71 pages - - is devoted to an account of the qualities and activities of succeeding presidents including the current chief executive, Dr. Kermit A. Johnson.

Attention is also given to the continuous change and updating of AC's programs of study, its contributions in local, state and national service, its traditions and institutions, and to an evolving student life.

In her acknowledgements, Dr. Griffith notes that everyone reading her book would have written it differently - - "it is inevitable because everyone has a different and interesting story or observation about events and people."

She called it "fitting" that the "finished product should be the handiwork of many people," crediting alumni for much of the materials and photos appearing in the published volume.

The book's epilogue briefly relists major changes in the school's development, coming up to date on the note that" . . . on September 1, 1969, Alabama College ended a long and honorable life as the University of Montevallo came into being.

"There is a note of sadness in the passing of the old order," Dr. Griffith said. "Many faculty members would prefer to keep it an excellent undergraduate college. But there is also an element of hope and confidence."

Citing central Alabama's potential for growth and development, she said a university "with imaginative programs designed to serve an expanding community faces exciting future."

The book is presently available through the U. of M. bookstore in Farmer Hall, the student center building at Montevallo.

Labor Department projections indicate that the three states whose labor forces will grow the most between 1970 and 1980 are, in this order, Arizona, New Mexico, and Florida.

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

I'm sure many folks like daylight savings time, but I'm old-fashioned, I guess; I'm always glad to get back to the time schedule I was accustomed to, and I got real pleasure out of setting the clock back on Saturday evening.

To bring you up to date on news from the Falcon Book Store in Montevallo, I'll start by telling you that the Thanksgiving Ideals are in. They are as beautiful as ever, and the supply is limited. We have, also, The Christmas issue of Ideals, and the lovely Augsburg Press "Christmas Annual". Some of you look forward to that yearly. Our Advent Kalendars should be in, any day, along with other Sormani Calendars which everyone loved last year.

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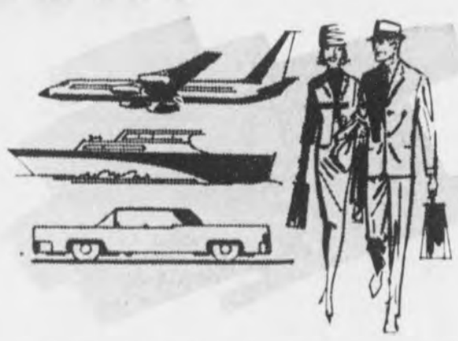
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THE UNITED WAY - - Vernon Cone (left), vice president of Specification Rubber Products, Inc., discusses the United Appeal with employees, (second from left to right) Lelia Seay, Nellie King, Lonnie Thompson and James Cost. Employees of the Alabster plant contributed $32.00 per capita for a total of over $1,600.

Desegregation, new school face county educators

How to raise $150,000 for a vocational high school and how to plan for the complete desegregation of the schools are the issues occupying the time of county school leaders this week.

The Board of Education requested the Board of Revenue to allow the people to vote on a one mill property tax as a means of raising the local money for the vocational school.

Petitions containing far more than the required 200 signatures were presented at the Board of Revenue's meeting on Oct. 27. The text of the bill to be voted on in the December 9 election is appearing in four consecutive issues of the Reporter.

According to Superintendent Elvin Hill, the Board felt that a one mill tax would be the best way to raise the money needed to match the $600,000 available from the Appalachia program for the vocational school.

Under a 1961 state law, any county can raise up to five mills on property for educational purposes if the people vote to do so. Shelby County voted to raise four mills several years ago. This sum is committed to pay for the extensive school building program the county has undertaken in recent years.

Hill said that the bill to be voted on for the additional one mill does not refer to "vocational high school" as such, because of the law. Had those words been inserted, it would have been necessary for the legislature to approve the bill. He told the Reporter that if the mill is passed, anything needed for the vocational school would get priority from money raised from the mill.

Wording of the bill also states the mill would be in force for 20 years. Hill told the Reporter that it would be impossible to sell bonds in the current market without the 20-year provision.

County School Board Chairman Lavon Moore of Chelsea said the board has not met on the subject of the desegregation order, since the issue of the one mill tax is uppermost in their minds.

He told the Reporter the board was not surprised that the U. S. District Court had ordered the county to present complete desegregation plans. "This group would be hard to surprise", Moore said, referring to the many court orders that have been handed down since he became a member of the school board. The county was given until January 15 to present a plan for the complete desegregation of schools for the 1970-71 school year.

Community groups have asked the board for the Mayberry and Vandiver school Property, Moore said, but no group has as yet spoken for the Maylene school. All three elementary schools were closed for lack of enrollment this fall. It has been the custom of the board to give the school property to incorporated community groups that request them. If no one wants the Maylene property, it will be sold, Moore said.

The next board meeting date has not been set, Moore said, indicating the board was awaiting the call of the superintendent.

Two county firms report excellent Appeal results

By Anne Crump

Two Shelby County firms have reported excellent results in their United Appeal campaigns which began about two weeks ago when Shelby County undertook the challenging assignment of raising $30,000 for the 1969 United Appeal.

Siluria Mills employees and Specification Rubber employees have contributed 20.9 per cent of the total goal for Shelby County with a record breaking percentage employee participation.

One of the first companies to complete their solicitation, Siluria Mills and employees contributed more than $4,662 according to Don David, Chairman of Shelby County's Appeal.

A quota of $3,000 was accepted by the company and exceeded as contributions totaled up to $4,662. Some 450 employees work in the Siluria Mills.

Firm chairman who headed up the company solicitation, Roy Garrett, attributed the success of their drive partially to radio and television promotion in addition to a personal testimonial from Plant Manager Floyd Buckner.

Specification Rubber Products, Inc. boasted a $32.00 per capita with some 50 employees contributing a total of $1605.00. The firm opened about one and one-half years ago in Alabaster. Ninety-eight per cent of the employees pledged fair share.

"I have always given to charitable organizations," said Mrs. Nellie King, splicing department employee. "But now I can give once a year and know that I'm helping more than ever before."

Mrs. King said, "I have never used an agency myself, but I like to feel that maybe my contribution will aid someone who does need help."

Shelby's progress is reported weekly at report meetings in the United Appeal Headquarters, Birmingham, each Monday noon. County leaders have turned in a total of $10,812 accounting for 36 per cent of the quota. The overall goal for the Jefferson-Shelby Appeal is $3,570,566.

MAKING CONTRIBUTION - - Don David (in dark suit), chairman of Shelby County's United Appeal, accepts pledges by Siluria Mills employees from Floyd Buckner, plant manager. Assisting in making the presentation of more than $4,600 in pledges are Roy Garrett, (left) personnel director; and Hubert Adams, (right) plant superintendent.

Arden homeowners file zoning suit

A court showdown may be ahead to settle an issue that has long rankled some of the residents of the Arden Subdivision of Montevallo.

Joe Sherod, E. B. Barrett and D. J. Zucco are seeking in county circuit court to force four home owners in Arden to close the apartments they allegedly have in their homes.

The three complaints state that Arden is zoned "A" residential according to covenants of the Montevallo Development Corporation which financed the subdivision in Sept. 13, 1949.

They also cite that the city of Montevallo's zoning ordinance of June 28, 1948 lists "A" as a zone for single family dwellings only and provides a violation penalty of $100 a day.

The suit asks the court to order Mayor M. L. Orr, Jr. and "John Doe" the municipal building inspector, to enforce the law. The four property owners named in the suit are Lee Barclay, J. F. Blakely, Corinne Eddy and Marie Oesterling.

The papers were served on Oct. 13 and the respondents have until Nov. 13 to answer, according to James Faulkner, attorney for the complainants.

Masons to meet in Wilsonville

The Shelby County Masonic conference will meet in regular communication with Wilsonville Lodge No. 510, F.& A.M. Saturday Nov. 8th at 1:00 P.M. All Master Masons are invited.

Conference Secretary

Calera completes phase II in new recreation area

Phase II of Calera's recreation area expansion will be completed within a week, according to City Clerk George Holcombe.

Workmen have completed paving of the parking area at Oliver Park and the tennis court is finished, complete with fencing and paving, Holcombe said.

Work is nearing completion on the picnic tables and the comfort stations. Park improvements are being made under a federal grant.

Starts in new housing have slowed in Calera as elsewhere, Holcombe told the Reporter, but construction on one four-unit apartment building began this week. The apartment is located in the southwest part of town on 22nd Avenue and 20th Street. Jack Martin is building the complex which will help ease the housing shortage.

The Abex Corporation's expansion program is moving along on schedule, according to company spokesmen in Calera. The plant is expanding to 220,000 square feet of floor space.

Full production in the enlarged area is expected to begin in early 1970.

With I-65–

Airport interchange scheduled for bid

Governor Albert Brewer and Highway Director Marion Wilkins have announced that a construction project scheduled for the November 21, 1969 highway letting is in Shelby County.

The project involves the construction of interchange ramps and a connection with the county road at that road and I-65, near Shelby County Airport.

Governor Brewer said, "We are always happy to announce progress in highway construction. We feel that this particular construction will be of great benefit to residents and visitors in Shelby County, and that travel to and from this airport will be easier and safer when this work is completed."

This is a Federal Aid Secondary project, and is financed with both federal and state funds.

Bids on this and seven other projects will be opened at the Highway Building in Montgomery on November 21, and contracts will be awarded as soon as possible, following that date.

The county airport was not in existence when plans for the construction of Interstate 65 were made. The airport was opened soon after the Interstate was completed, however.

Efforts have been made for several years to get federal highway specialists to authorize another exit and entrance on I-65. Fifth District Congressman Armistead Selden was instrumental in getting this permission granted.

The airport is used extensively by persons on their way to and from Birmingham, who feel that faster access to the airport by way of interstate is needed.

Mann reports

Colonel Floyd H. Mann released the following statistics for Shelby county so far in 1969. State Troopers have investigated 350 accidents resulting in 51 injuries and 13 deaths. For the same period in 1968 your troopers had investigated 306 accidents resulting in 109 injuries and 9 deaths.

MIKE MOORE

CHARLES WILDER

County 4-H boys to attend congress

By John E. Jones

Two Shelby County 4-H boys are among the 37 Alabama youths who will attend the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago beginning November 30th.

It was announced today that Charles Wilder, Fourmile community, is the state 4-H horse project winner and Mike Moore, Westover, is the state 4-H dairy achievement winner. Both will be competing for one of six $600 scholarships.

Charles is a senior at SCHS and is the 17-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilder. He has been in 4-H for 8 years and a member of Shelby County 4-H Horse Club for 5 years, and is now serving as Vice-President. During his eight years in 4-H work he has carried and completed projects in horse, beef, hogs and field crops. He now owns two mares and a filly and has won many local awards with them.

Mike is 16 years old and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Moore. He borrowed money to purchase his first Jersey cow in 1965, which started his dairy project work. The Vincent High School junior now owns 15 head of registered dairy animals valued at $3,500. During the last five years Mike has received many blue ribbons, trophies and he has also won more than $1,000 in prize money from his dairy projects.

The Alabama delegation will leave Birmingham by Air November 28th and will return December 5th. Extension Farm Agent, John E. Jones and Jim Edwards, Alabama Power Company, Montevallo will accompany the group.

Sample copies next week

Sample copies of next week's issue of the **Shelby County Reporter** will be mailed to all the boxholders who live east of Highway 31. The issue of November 20 will be mailed to all boxholders living west of Highway 31.

The Reporter hopes by this service to acquaint all residents with the news and helpful advertising messages that appear regularly in the Reporter.

We welcome news items from readers, not only to these special issues, but for every issue. Please send news by Friday afternoon. Absolute deadline for news is Mondays at 9 a.m. Space requests for advertising should be in by 10 a.m. Mondays.

Pool hall lawsuit moved to Birmingham court

The lawsuit brought by the Montevallo Recreational Center against the city fathers and police chief has been moved from Federal court in Montgomery to the U. S. Middle District Court, Northern Division, in Birmingham. The Attorney General and Governor of Alabama were also named in the suit.

The transfer was made at the request of the City attorney Karl Harrison.

No date has been set for hearing the case which seeks to overthrow the Alabama law governing pool halls. As written, the law now forbids any person under 21 from patronizing pool halls.

It is understood that several of the minors whose names appeared as plaintiffs have written letters to the court requesting that their names be removed from the complaint. Many of the youths, who were members of the Recreational Center, said they did not authorize use of their names in bringing any legal action against the city and state officials.

Erskine Smith of Birmingham, is attorney for the Recreational Center.

The Center ceased operation in Montevallo a few days after disclosure in the Shelby County Reporter that the suit had been filed.

Steam engine tours county

Steam engine 4501 will pull another excursion trail through Shelby County. The last run made through the county by the famous engine was about two years ago.

The excursion route will be from Birmingham to Bessemer, Montevallo, Calera, Columbiana, Talladega, Anniston, Pell City and back to Birmingham. The train will depart the Birmingham Terminal station at 8 a.m. on Sunday, Nov. 9.

Passengers may also board at Bessemer at 8:20 a.m., but they must make arrangements for transportation from

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VETERANS MONUMENT - - "Dedicated to the memory of the brave men of Shelby County who gave their lives that freedom and justice should not perish from the earth" reads the inscription on the monument on the courthouse lawn. Custodian J. C. Walton prepares the lawn for Veterans Day observances.

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

Members of the Board of Registrars have had a busy season judging from the large number of eligible voters who have been added to the official poll list for Shelby County.

A member of the Board told the writer last week that every county in the state had been represented in the requests received for transfers of citizenship to Shelby County. Some of these newly acquired citizens are employed by our fast expanding industrial development; others have reached the age of 21 years and are eager to register so they can participate in the upcoming elections, still others have purchased land in this section of Alabama and plan to make their future home in Shelby County.

At any rate, the largest poll list ever to be released in the history of Shelby County is now on the calendar for completion.

Sale of auto and truck licenses is still moving rather slowly, according to Probate office spokesmen. By Monday noon of this week, the number of automobile tags had reached the 7,000 figure. Deadline for payment is Nov. 15. Penalties for late payment are 15%.

Deputy Roy Damron reports, "That bloomin' pear tree is bloomin' again," referring to the tree on the Columbiana Shelby road that last year had both fruit and blossoms at the same time.

All public schools in Shelby County will be closed next Tuesday, November 11 in observance of Veterans Day.

Will McGinnis, an elderly man from Rt. 1, Wilsonville, was robbed Thursday afternoon of $2600. Sheriff C. P. Walker told the Reporter that two Negro men and one white man apparently planned a "flim-flam" scheme to defraud McGinnis. He was planning to buy a truck from the group, but after he had taken the money from the bank, McGinnis insisted on a delay before buying the truck. At this time the men apparently decided to rob him, rather than wait for the other scheme to come into play. Sheriff Walker says he has some good suspects in the case - all persons who reside in other counties.

Jury awards $800 in right-of-way case

The second jury trial in civil court last week brought a judgement of $800 in a land condemnation case. Minnie and William Schwab and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Dickinson had sued the county over land involved in a county road project in Beat Five.

An appraising board composed of L. C. Walker, Frank Jordan and B. F. Hatchett had recommended the complainants receive nothing.

Members of the jury were: Jeanette Shaw, Montevallo; Mary Myers, Rt. 1, Leeds; Bennie Briggins, Rt. 1, Helena; William Brasher, Rt. 1, Chelsea; Mrs. G. H. Eastis, Wilsonville; James E. Riley, Rt. 2, Columbiana; Iola Paige, Calera; James Alexander, Rt. 1, Calera; Margaret Whitfield, Helena; Cecil Dennis, Montevallo; Thelma Green, Helena; and C. O. Griffen, Rt. 1, Chelsea.

Letter to Editor

November 3, 1969
425 Parkway Circle
Montevallo, Alabama

To the Editor:

Hectic is the word that describes our Halloween Night on October 31. After a busy day at work, a trip to the veterinarian in a downpour of rain and a hurried preparation of a meal, we sat down to eat, only to be interrupted four times by a ringing door bell. This we didn't mind because it is always good go see the little ones dressed in their Halloween costumes.

It's also kind of amusing to watch the cars unloading the youngsters, and for a short time there was almost a traffic jam on the street. We don't even mind the teenagers, (and some look to be near draft age) if they are mannerly and are not destructive.

But we do resent the older crowds who littered our streets and lawns with broken eggs, paint and toilet tissue. They also chose to leave our car aerial bent to a 90 degree angle and destroyed a portion of one of our plants.

I think it is a shame that we can no longer enjoy Halloween but instead fear and dread to see this date approaching.

It seems the time has come when our cities will have to employ extra policemen to patrol our streets and protect our property.

Merle Richardson

Kiwanis Club elects Parrish

At the last meeting of the Kiwanis Club in Columbiana the following officers were elected to serve for '69-1970: President, Bill Parrish, vice-pres: Albert Hylton, secretary, Joel Thompson; and treasurer, Leon Meyers. Under this leadership the club may look forward to even greater achievements.

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T B ORCHID - - Dean Upson, Shelby County Christmas Seal Chairman accepts the coveted orchid award from the Alabama Tuberculosis Association. The presentation was made at the 55th annual meeting held in Birmingham, last week. Shown making the presentation are: Miss Alabama of 1969, Miss Ann Fowler of Birmingham; and Miss Mississippi of 1969, Miss Jane Carol Foshee of Hattisburg. This is the 10th year Shelby County has been honored for exceeding its Christmas Seal Campaign goals.

Forester license mandatory under new state law

Gov. Albert P. Brewer recently signed into law a bill amending the 12-year- old foresters' licensing and registration law which now makes the licensing of foresters in Alabama mandatory instead of permissive as it had been since 1957.

Thomas C. Croker, Jr., of Brewton, Chairman of the State Board of Registration for Foresters, said the new legislation should give further protection to the public in the proper management of Alabama's forests.

Other changes in the amended law would mostly affect its administration. Now foresters will have only three months in which to renew their licenses but they would pay no penalty for late renewal, Croker said.

Boy Scout leaders to meet Saturday

The Boy Scout leaders training session for this area will be held November 8th and 9th at the Shades Valley Presbyterian Church in Mt. Brook.

Subjects for the Saturday session are Boy Scout Program, The Patrol Method, Training Boy Leaders and program Planning.

On Sunday the subjects will be troop financing and bo behavior.

Session III, the outdoo program, will be November 2 and 23 at the University o Montevallo.

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(l to r) Annie Coffer, Ruth Butler and Elmer Green pull the switches turning on air conditioning in the Carding and Spinning Departments at Siluria Mills. Air conditioning these two departments completes the first phase of plans to provide year-around working comfort for employees in the entire mill.

(l to r) Claude Massey, Ollie Kelly and Arlene Warbington are shown at a control panel which regulates the new cooling system. The new air conditioning system cost a half-million dollars and cools approximately one and one-half acres of floor space at Siluria Mills.

Siluria Mills, Inc.

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SOCIETY NEWS and PERSONAL MENTION

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Veterans Day Tuesday

"God of our fathers known of old
Lord of our far-flung battle field
Beneath whose awful hand we hold
Dominion over palm and pine
Lord God of hosts, be with us yet - - Lest we forget
Lest we forget!"

The Unknown Soldier

Forty-eight years ago an unknown soldier was enshrined on a quiet, windswept Virginia hillside. No one knows who the soldier is who sleeps so silently there ladened with honors no other American has ever known. No one knows from whence he came, just where or how he died or what his race, color or creed, yet the whole world pauses on the 11th of each November to pay tribute to the Unknown Soldier who gave not only his life, but his identity for the red, white and blue flag - - somewhere in France.

Down memory's corridors of Time the rumbling echoes of the guns that were hushed on that first Armistice Day fall fainter, yet 48 years later the tomb of the Unknown Soldier forms a special shrine for grateful people who daily visit Arlington Cemetery in Washington to pay sincere homage.

It has been said that on some days there are few, sometimes many, but rare the day in all the years when none has come to stand a while beside the massive carved stone niche in which the Unknown Soldier lies.

A ritual each year takes the President on Armistice Day to lay a wreath of remembrance against the great stone that calls almost all dignitaries, be they royalty or ambassadors; even former enemy representatives pay silent homage to the brooding quiet of Arlington Cemetery on like missions. Many comrades keep tryst! A friendly sentinel, trim in cap and olive drab, with gleaming buttons, polished leather and glittering steel of warless soldiering days, keeps long vigil. A sentry walk spans the wide terrace and a sentry box at the outer end affords him shelter from the storms that never halt his martial trend.

The Unknown Soldier sleeps alone in his narrow bed - - but his soul has entered into the Spirit that is America!

Picture in your mind's eye - - a circle of bayonets - - a rocking blast of gun fire from the Virginia woods nearby in salute! A message of honor and farewell - - Then - - loud and clear, a bugle lifted in flute like notes, the old familiar notes of TAPS - - "the lullaby for the living soldier, in death - his requiem"!

The Unknown Soldier answered the clarion call. He now sleeps forever among his own in "honored glory known but to God".

Before we close this little penpoint tribute to the Unknown Soldier, may we join thousands of Americans in a salute to our returned veterans from World War I - - World War II, Korean and Vietnam patriots as we render our gratitude to all who have so gallantly fought for:

"The same old bit of color 'gainst the blue
Hue of the morning and Blue for true
And Red for the kindling light of flame
And White for a nation's stainless name".

Long may you live and long may our unconquered flag wave! Proudly display it on Nov. 11 - Veterans Day in grateful remembrance of the millions of men who have given their lives and their services to their country in the armed forces.

M.W.W.

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Jim Ray III, of the U. S. Marines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ray Jr., of Columbiana, is receiving a warm welcome home this week having returned from a tour of duty in war-torn Vietnam.

Studying next move

(l. to r.) Medder Mooney, Lee Davis, H. M. Kershaw and Jimmy Rowe.

Bill Clark wins championship in checker tournament

A Checker Tournament was held in the Community Center at Mountain View Apartments on the afternoon of Oct. 30, beginning at one o'clock. Seated around the tables eagerly awaiting that "first move" were: Bill Clark, Josh Burnett, Charlie Jarrett, H. M. Kershaw, Nathan Mooney, Meadder Mooney, Jimmy Rowe, L. M. Shaw and E. J. Sullivan.

After four rounds, of four games each, only three players were left to test their skill at the game. They were, Bill Clark, Meadder Mooney and Josh Burnett. Following this spirited round, Bill Clark was declared the winner.

Cooperative merchants furnished appropriate prizes for those participating in the tournament and other games and contests are scheduled for the coming months at this popular meeting place.

Cookies and coffee were served throughout the afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hodges of Birmingham spent Wednesday in Columbiana as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gordon. A fishing trip furnished the highlight of the occasion for the men in the party. During the week end, guests enjoying the hospitality in the Gordon home were: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bouldin and Miss Renne Bouldin and Mr. and Mrs. Greg Gordon of Pisgah.

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G. W. Seale Purchases Standard Oil Agency

G. W. Seale, a long time employee in the Standard Oil Company's offices in Columbiana, has purchased the agency from H. H. Bearden, former representative, who retired as of Nov. 1, 1969.

Mr. Seale is a successful young business executive and has many friends in Shelby County where he was born and reared who will be proffering their congratulations and best wishes when they learn of his new venture in commercial circles.

Mrs. Neal Grimes shower honoree

A green and yellow color scheme was used Sunday Oct. 26 when Miss Peggy McGuire, Miss Lynda McGuffie and Mrs. Frances Crumley entertained with a gift shower honoring Mrs. Neal Grimes, the former Bonnie McGuffie, at the home of Mrs. F. F. Brashier.

Guests were: Mrs. W. M. Grimes, Mrs. Fred McGuffie, Mrs. William Russell, Mrs. E. T. Alexander, Mrs. Mattie McGuire, Mrs. F. E. Brashier, Mrs. Edward Smith, Mrs. Luther McGuire, Mrs. Charles Wood, Mrs. Roy Brashier, Mrs. Mary Whatley, Mrs. Herman Smith, Mrs. Earnest McGuire, Mrs. Lorene Bailey and Misses Wanda Johnson, Carolyn Reeser, Frankie Whatley, Barbara McGuire, Norma Johnson and Kathy Whatley.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Damsker of Tyler, Texas, are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Norman Lefkovits and Mr. Lefkovits.

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Mrs. Cline, mother of Mrs. Jim Davis, following several months stay in Shelby Memorial due to a broken hip, has been transferred to the Shelby Memorial Nursing Home.

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"Gramp" Hendricks, who has been a patient in the Shelby Memorial Nursing Home, is happily greeting his many friends in Columbiana at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Bernice Ticen.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Jones attended a Floral Design display held at Rosemont Gardens in Montgomery last Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Riddle, former residents of Columbiana, spent Sunday in Columbiana as the guests of friends and relatives.

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Mrs. Calvin Green has returned to Columbiana from her home in Paducah, Kentucky, where she was called due to the illness of her mother.

Dr. Charles Thornburg DVM announces the opening of Shelbiana Animal Clinic for the practice of veterinary medicine and complete veterinary services for both large and small animals.

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WILSONVILLE STUDENTS SEE SAMFORD - - (from left) Jerry Hill, Rosemary Cosper, Linda Buchanan and Rev. Frank Sims, chaperone, tour the Samford campus "High School Day" at Samford University last week-end with Steve Wiggins, Samford student. More than 3500 high school visitors toured the Samford campus, attended a band concert and pep rally, talked with faculty members and tasted other aspects of college life. High schoolers were also honor guests for lunch and for the Samford-Livingston football game Saturday afternoon. The Wilsonville students attended with a group from Wilsonville Baptist Church.

Youth revival begins Nov. 14

A week end series of services for the youth of the community will be held in the Columbiana Methodist Church beginning Nov. 14 and continuing through Nov. 16.

The Rev. Charles Alexander of Birmingham will be guest speaker and Mrs. Alexander will assist in the recreational activities planned.

These revival services are sponsored by the M.Y.F. of the Methodist Church and they cordially invite all young people to share the week end inspirational messages and fellowship each evening which will follow the 7 o'clock worship hour.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alton Davis will leave Friday for a ten-day visit with their daughter, Glenda Davis in Philadelphia, Pa.

Montgomery Lokey addresses Vignettes

The October meeting of the Vignette Club was held in the home of Mrs. Karl C. Harrison with Mrs. Oliver Head and Mrs. Helen Reinhardsen as hostesses. The Halloween theme was carried out in decor and refreshments.

Mrs. Harold Harlin presided, and following a brief executive meeting, Mrs. Carlton Franks, program director, presented guest speaker Montgomery Lokey, the club's representative to Boy's State this year.

After a brief devotional on "Praying Hands", Lokey spoke on the values of going to Boy's State and gave a resume of the advantages of attending this organization.

A report on the Rummage Sale held last Saturday proved so profitable that another such project will be held in the early spring.

Guests of the club were Mrs. James Naish and Mrs. Edward Burbank.

The November meeting of the club will be held in the home of Mrs. John Newell.

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Phil Rodney Hildredth, admissions director of Judson College was in Columbiana Nov. 4 for a college program. Mr. Hildredth will visit high schools and church groups in Shelby County. He is a graduate of University of Alabama and of Alabama College. He holds a master's degree from U. of A. Before joining the Judson staff, Mr. Hildredth was a high school guidance counselor and teacher.

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Mr. and Mrs. Barney Isbell have returned home from Jamaica and we are enjoying a lovely bamboo fruit plate they brought us.

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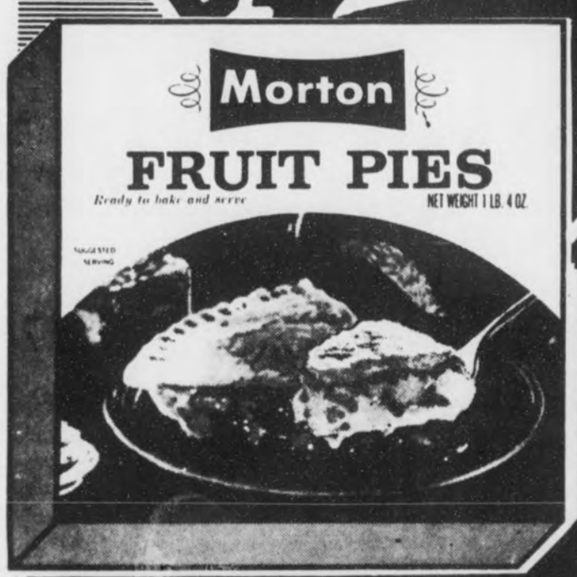

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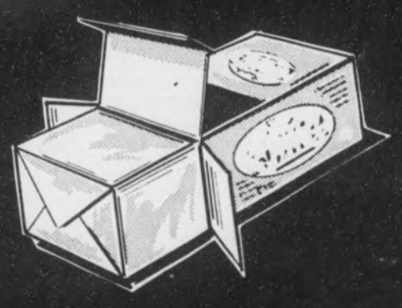

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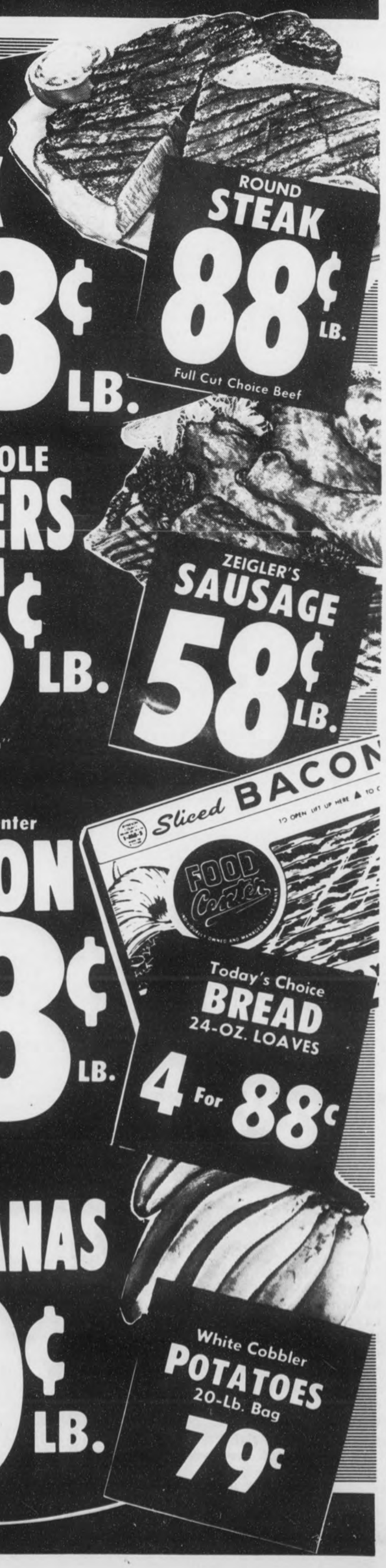

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The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
PROBATE COURT,
October 20, 1969
This day came Eunice Bailey Pickett, Guardian of Suzanne Pickett and files his account, vouchers, evidence and statement for guardian's settlement of his said Guardianship.
It is ordered that the 20 day of November, 1969, be, and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 20 day of October, 1969.
Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
Oct 30, Nov. 6,13, 1969 †106.

Legal Notice
Estate of Opal Lea Seifert Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 24th day of October, 1969 by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
June Seifert Benoskie
As Executrix of the
Last Will and Testament of Opal Lea Seifert, deceased
10-30, 11-6,13,1969. +110.

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Children and Grandchildren
To our many friends and their sympathy shown to us we will forever be grateful.

Card of Thanks
We take this medium to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to friends, neighbors and loved ones for their countless acts of kindness rendered us during the illness and death of our loved one. Especially are we grateful for your sympathetic understanding of our sorrow.
Mrs. Ida Davis and family

LEGAL NOTICE
Ben-Tom Corporation hereby gives notice that they have completed contract with the State of Alabama for construction of Project I-65-1(81)182, I-65-2(29)188 in Autauga, Chilton and Shelby Counties and that the State has set the date for final settlement as November 15, 1969. All claims should be filed at our office, 1237 Dublin Road, Columbus, Ohio 43215, before date set for final settlement.
Ben-Tom Corporation
10-23,30, — 11-6,13,1969. †105.

Legal Notice
Estate of William H. Edwards Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 22 day of October, 1969 by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Estelle Edwards Executrix for Estate of William H. Edwards, dec.
10-30, 11,6,13, 1969 †109

Estate of Rue M. Prince Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 17 day of October, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
s/Bobbie F. Prince
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Rue M. Prince, deceased
Nov. 6,13,20,1969 112† 1

Legal Notice
Estate of Elizabeth Self Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 21 day of October, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Charles A. Self, III
as Administrator of Estate of Elizabeth Self, deceased
Oct.30,Nov.6,13,1969 †107.

LEGAL NOTICE
Nell C. Stansell, Complainant,
VS.
Lester Stansell, Respondent
In the Law and Equity Court of Shelby County, Alabama
CASE NO. 663

NOTICE OF SALE
By virtue of a decree rendered by the Court in the above stated cause on the 31st day of October, 1969, in the Law and Equity Court of Shelby County, Alabama, In Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell for division among the joint owners thereof, to the highest and best bidder for cash at public sale at or in front of the Court House of Shelby County, Alabama, at 11:00 o'clock A. M. on Saturday, December 22, 1969, the real estate to be so sold being situated in Shelby County, Alabama, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:
The SE¼ of SE¼ and the SW diagonal half of the NE¼ of SE¼ of Section 1. Also the NE¼ of NE¼ of Section 12; all being in Township 22, Range 3 West; Also the SW¼ of SW¼ of Section 6, Township 22, Range 2 West, except that part conveyed to Joshua M. Frost by deed recorded in Deed Book 27, page 147, in Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.
Less and except that certain property conveyed to the Water Works Board of the Town of Calera, Alabama, in April, 1957, as shown by instrument recorded in Deed Book 186, page 370, in said Probate Office, containing .32 acres plus easements, and less and except that certain lot and easement conveyed to the Town of Calera, Alabama, in July, 1967, by instrument recorded in Deed Book 249, page 198, all in the Probate Records of Shelby County, Alabama, containing .5 acres, more or less.
Said sale to be made subject to above terms and further terms to be announced at said sale and all subject to order of this court.
WITNESS my hand this the 31st day of October, 1969.
L.G. Fulton, Register, Law and Equity Court of Shelby County Alabama, In Equity
Nov. 6,13,20, 1969 †115.

Reserve District No. 6
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CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION of

Central State Bank

of CALERA, ALABAMA 35040 at the close of business October 21, 1969, a state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS

Cash and due from banks (including $ no unposted debits)	635,426.62
U.S. Treasury securities	1,310,503.41
Securities of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	1,600,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	475,976.28
Other securities (including $6,000. corporate stocks	6,000.00
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	400,000.00
Other loans	2,193.778.21
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	25,738.63
Other assets	6,072.22
TOTAL ASSETS	6,653,495.37

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,143,288.80
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3,338,719.87
Deposits of United States Government	56,647,07
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	542,704.40
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	19,843.94
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$6,101,204.08
(a) Total demand deposits	2,493,186.64
(b) Total time and savings deposits	3,608,017.44
TOTAL LIABILITIES	6,101,204.08

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	23,002.79
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	23,002.79

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Equity capital, total (sum of Items 36 to 40 below)	529,288.50
Common stock-total par value	100,000.00
(No. shares authorized 2,000)	
No. shares outstanding 0	
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	329,288.50
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (sum of Items 34 and 35 above)	529,288.50
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (sum of Items 28, 29, 33 & 41 above)	6,653,495.37

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	6,143,857.53
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	2,464,483.07

I, Janette Littleton, Cashier, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Janette Littleton
We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.
Sol Baer
C. D. Cowart Directors
Roy Downs

State of Alabama County of Shelby ss:
Sworn to and susbscribed before me this 30th day of October, 1969
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NOTICE OF SPECIAL COUNTY ELECTION
TO BE HELD DECEMBER 9, 1969

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special election will be held in Shelby County in the State of Alabama on the 9th day of December, 1969, during the regular hours for holding of elections, at which there will be submitted to the qualified electors of said County for their determination by ballot, the question of whether or not a special county tax of ten cents (10¢) on each $100 of taxable property in Shelby County as assessed for State taxation, in addition to all other taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Alabama (including the special county tax for educational purposes of forty cents (40¢) on each $100 of taxable property in the County authorized at an election held on April 16, 1963, pursuant to the Constitutional Amendment hereinafter referred to) shall be levied for a period of twenty years beginning with the levy for the tax year commencing October 1, 1969, and ending with the levy for the tax year commencing October 1, 1988, and collected for a period of twenty years beginning with collection in the tax year commencing October 1, 1970, and ending with the collection in the tax year commencing October 1, 1989, said tax to be levied and collected for educational purposes in Shelby County in accordance with the provisions of an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama proposed by Act No. 23 adopted at the 1961 Extra Session of the Legislature of the State of Alabama and proclaimed ratified on May 10, 1962.
Said election shall be held at the regular voting places in the County, heretofore established and designated in accordance with law, to-wit:

Voting Places and Location

Beat No.	Box No.	Location
1	1A	Old Board of Revenue Office,Columbiana
1	1b	Board of Revenue, Columbiana
1	2	Shelby, Davis Grocery
1	3A	City Hall, Columbiana
1	3B	City Hall, Columbiana
2		Shelby, Rt. Frank Jordan Farm
3	1A	City Hall, Calera
3	1B	City Hall, Calera
3	2	National Guard Armory, Calera
4	1A	Montevallo, City Hall
4	1B	Montevallo, Ken Terry Chevrolet
4	2	City Hall, Wilton
4	3A	Alabama Power Co. Office, Montevallo
4	3B	Alabama Power Co. Office, Montevallo
5		J.R. Martin Res., Bamford
6		City Hall, Helena
7	1	Saginaw, Camp Br. Civic Cent.
7	2A	Y Building, Siluria
7	2B	Y Building, Siluria
7	3	Alabaster City Hall
8	1	Chesser's Store,Chelsea
8	2	Chesser's Store,Chelsea
9	1	City Hall, Wilsonville
9	2	Blalock's Store, Wilsonville
10	1	City Hall,Harpersville
10	2	Arkwright, Thompson Service Sta.
11		Westover, Archer's Store
12		Community House, New Hope
13		Taff Sheet's Store, Bold Spr.
14		Vandiver, Watson Store
15		Sterrett, Legion Hut
16	1	City Hall, Vincent
16	2	Gas Board Office, Vincent
17	1A	Pelham, City Hall
17	1B	Pelham, City Hall
17	2	City Hall, Alabaster
18		Dunnavant School, Dunnavant
19	1	Union Hall, Maylene
20		Pea Ridge, Mayberry
21		Baird Groc. Ebenzer
Absentee Ballot		Office of Circuit Clerk Shelby Co. Court House
19	2	Dogwood School, Dogwood

By order of the Board of Revenue and Control of Shelby County, Alabama, on October 27, 1969.
s/ C. P. (Red) Walker
Sheriff of Shelby County, Alabama
Oct. 30, Nov. 6, 13, 20, 1969 †111.

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Heart of Dixie

BY ED BLAKE

The twang of the bow string will be joined by the kaboom of shotguns Friday as the gun deer season opens in Shelby County.

Gun hunters will have to sight in on bucks only, but the bow hunter will have a choice of either bucks or does provided he has a special permit and tag for the female deer.

The limit is one buck per day.

I plan to be out at the crack of dawn Saturday morning with those three worn shells of buck shot in the gun. Last Saturday morning was my kind of day for deer hunting. I like those wet mornings with an over cast for stalk hunting. If my usual luck holds out it will probably be dry as a powder house and the deer will hear me coming a mile away on opening day.

Turkey season also opens Friday in Shelby County. Both deer and turkey season will close on January 12.

Goose season opened Monday in Alabama. Prospects of killing a goose in Shelby County are rather slim; however, we had reports last year that some geese were seen on Lay Lake. If your mind is set on killing a goose, regular hunting along Lay Lake may pay off. Migration of geese depends on the cold weather up north, and one of those freezing cold mornings just might bring a goose within range.

Duck season opens on December 17 and there are usually a good many ducks along the Coosa River. Late afternoon is the best time to locate a good place for duck hunting. Ducks come swarming in to roost just before dark and a return to the same spot early the next morning often pays off. If you find more ducks than you can handle, give me a call and I will be glad to join you some morning.

Remember, you must have a duck stamp attached to your hunting license when hunting ducks or geese. The duck stamps are $3 each and can be purchased at any post office.

CHELSEA HIGH SCHOOL F.F.A. OFFICERS - - Front row (l. to r.) David Weldon, vice president, Stanley Watts, secretary; and Mrs. M. N. Humphries, chapter advisor. Back row (l. to r.) are Henry Rooks, treasurer; James Connell, reporter; and Sam Vick, sentinel.

New safety device installed on Coosa

Conservation Director Joe W. Graham announced Tuesday the installation of the first capsule buoy-chain "barrier" safety device in the United States at Logan Martin Dam on the Coosa River.

This new safety device is located some 80 yards below the downstream face of the dam and is designed to keep boaters out of the turbulent tailrace. Many boating accidents occur in this area below power dams on Alabama impoundments.

Water Safety Division Chief Tom G. Shackelford said a second project is scheduled on the Warrior River, upstream from the Oliver Lock and Dam spillway near Tuscaloosa.

The installation of these initial tailrace safety devices is a pilot project sponsored jointly by the U. S. Corps of Enginerrs, the Tennessee Valley Authority, the Alabama Power Company and the Alabama Water Safety Division. If these barriers prove to be an effective safety measure, the cooperating agencies will consider establishing similar devices at other installations where hazards exist.

Additional buoys are positioned immediately in front of the barrier buoys. These buoys read: "No boats beyond this point."

The new safety device is a large chain that stretches from bank-to-bank. The chain passes through hollow buoys about every four feet. The buoys are white with a diamond in international orange, the standard design for such safety signs.

Borg Warner Safety Guide Products of Scottsburg, Indiana, furnished the materials for these water safety projects.

Lady golfers in tournament at Calera club

A ladies golf tournament is underway at the Buxahatchee Country Club at Calera, according to golf chairman, Mrs. Zollie Cowart, Jr.

Teeing off at 8:30 today, at least half of the club's 27 lady golfers are expected to participate in the medal play during the two-day tournament.

Mrs. Billy E. Smith is Ladies' chairman of the club. Committee members are Mrs. Kenneth Holcomb, Mrs. Pat Kelly and Mrs. George Antrobius.

If you have a problem with Alcohol you are invited to attend the A. A. and Al-Anon meetings each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, in the Municipal Building, Alabaster.

Calera Giants win welterweight crown

Calera Giants won the county welterweight football championship last Thursday by defeating the Thompson Cowboys, 14-12.

The Calera 75-pounders finished the regular season with a record of five wins and one loss.

Coach J. B. Vinson said his Giants will meet a team from the Bluff Park League in the Mini-Bowl scheduled for next Tuesday in Calera.

Bobby Joe Phillips is assistant coach and general manager of both Calera welterweight teams.

With our men

Army Pfc. Thomas W. Merrell, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Merrell, Route 2, Columbiana, was assigned as a mortarman with the 1st Infantry Division in Vietnam, Oct. 9.

Airman John H. Wilson V, son of John H. Wilson Jr. of Montevallo, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to Keesler AFB, Miss., for training in communications electronics systems. Airman Wilson, a graduate of Briarcliff High School in Atlanta, Ga., attended Alabama College.

Airman Robert Meadows Jr., son of Robert I. Meadows, 301 Selma St., Montevallo, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to Keesler AFB, Miss.

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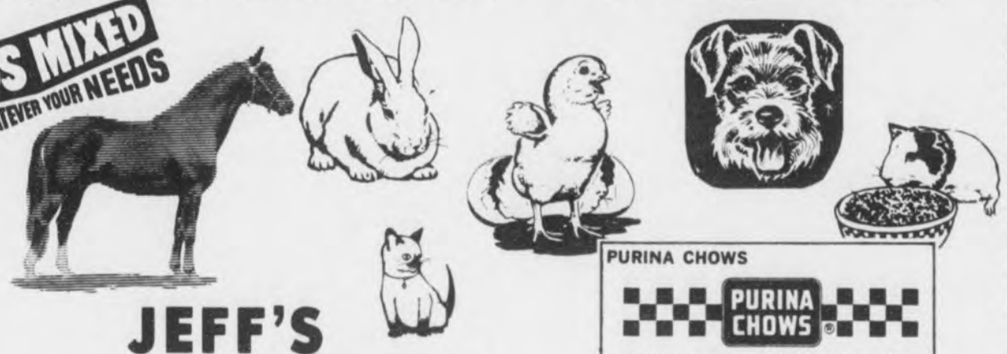

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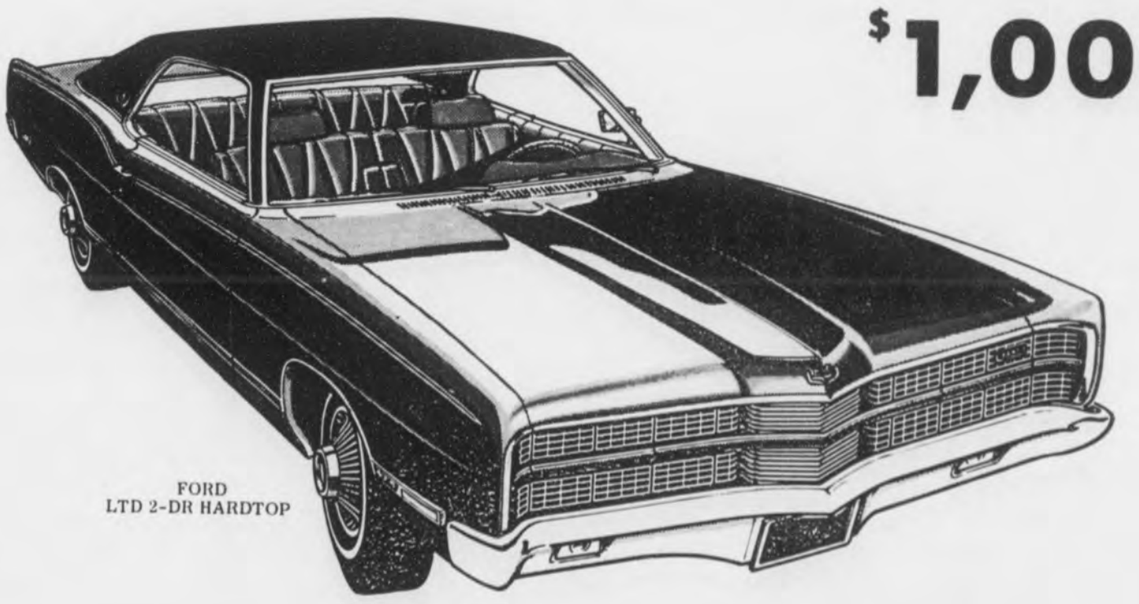

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Good Morning–

Room for an elm tree

By Milton Bird

I met Susie Hill in the hospital at Alabaster. She had been a mighty sick lady for a while, but was on the road back now, and the little lights that played in her eyes jumped out at me.

I never saw a lovely lady who didn't have little lights in her eyes that jumped out at me when she laughed or smiled or just talked. I guess it's a part of being lovely.

The nurse came in and gave Susie a pill and she swallowed it and made a little grunting noise and looked back at me.

"I'd rather have your pills," she said, a little grin running along her mouth.

"There're two things about mine. They won't make you any better, but they taste good."

Outside, in a small waterok, the wind passed, rippling the leaves. "I'm glad there's a tree outside my window," she said. "Even a little tree." And then added, quickly, as if she had almost forgotten it: "I want you to do something for me."

The nurse came back and we waited while she took Susie's temperature. She wrote something on the chart and went away.

"I want you to write about that gorgeous tree in some lady's yard in Columbiana, between town and the public school."

And for Susie Hill, up Westover way, this is what I'll say to a pretty lady about a pretty elm tree in Mrs. Dixie Shealey's front yard.

In a world, Susie, where there are riots and wars and hatred and green and bigotry, there is room, too, for an elm tree. Maybe a trillion elm trees for those who take the time to find them.

I think it's all a matter of heart - - how a person lives, inside, that sets an elm tree apart from the little nagging things that clutter up our world.

So for us, Susie, lets keep on looking for elm trees, no matter how ugly the world gets around us.

Almost 19 million people, age 65 and over, are now protected by the supplementary medical insurance part of Medicare.

MISS JOANNE LOCHRIDGE

Miss Lochridge in pharmacy

Miss Joanne Lochridge, junior at Auburn Universtiy, has recently been accepted into the School of Pharmacy of Auburn University.

Joanne is the daughter of: Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Lochridge, of Huntsville, and the granddaughter of: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil D. Cowart, Calera.

Boat registrations increase 7.7 percent

State Conservation Director Joe W. Graham announced Tuesday that 8,500 new boat registrations were recorded druing the State fiscal year ending September 30. This represents a 7.7 per cent increase in watercraft registration, bringing the total number in Alabama to 118,800.

This increase in boat registrations is the largest for any state fiscal year in the 10-year history of the Water Safety Division. In addition, the 30 boating fatalities recorded during the year were the lowest number per 1000 boats since the Water Safety Division's first year of operation in fiscal 1959-60. Two of the 30 fatalities occurred in a private pond where the Water Safety Division had no jurisdiction.

Water Safety Division Chief Thom G. Shackelford attributes this improvement in the boating safety record to the following three factors:

(1) Impartial enforcement of the Water Safety Laws.

(2) The efforts of dedicated water patrolmen.

(3) An effective water safety education program.

Shackelford noted that, in addition to the 30 fatalities, there were 76 accidents and 38 injuries during the fiscal 1968-69, with $57,600 estimated property damage.

OBITUARY

William L. Gardner

William L. Gardner, a native of Shelby County who had lived in the Columbiana area all his life died Oct. 26. His age was 88 and a half years.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Winnie Leland Gardner, 12 children, 18 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren. His children are: Houston and Max Gardner, Columbiana; Boozer and Lorene Gardner, Gadsden; Spear Gardner and Mrs. Juanity Wyatt, Phenix City; Mrs. Mildred Loggins, Birmingham, Mrs. Docie Lee McBrier, Leeds; McKay Gardner, Montgomery Milton Gardner, Columbus, Ga.; Robert S. Gardner, Headland and Mrs. Nell Burcham, Childersburg.

New Hope News

By Mrs. J. M. Denson

Miss Sharon Pitts has returned to Crestview, Fla. after spending the week end as the guest of her mother, Mrs. Howard Winslett and Mr. Winslett.

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James Boyd Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wright was painfully injured when he fell while playing in a tree near his home. He suffered a broken collar bone and a broken arm.

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Mr. Bill Self has returned to his home in Montgomery after visiting his sister Mrs. Billy Sorrell and family on Cahaba Valley Road.

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Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willis who are proud parents of a baby boy, Charles Junior.

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Under the direction of Mrs. Bill Pittman the matrons in the area are making an assortment of unique gifts to be sold at the bazaar to be held at the Fellowship Hall on Nov. 22.

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Mrs. Ruby Grimes is improving after undergoing surgery at the St. Vincent's Hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bailey have returned from Garlinburg, Tenn. where they spent a delightful week end.

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A delightful affair was enjoyed at the Fellowship Hall Wednesday evening when the Deacons sponsored a Pancake Supper with the proceeds going to Camp Spain.

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Mrs. Fred Smith entertained the Stott Circle of the C.P.W. at her home Tuesday evening. Mrs. Jenny Pittman and Mrs. J. M. Blackwell were on the program.

REVIVAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Revival services will be conducted at the Shelby Church of God November 10-14. Services will begin nightly at 7 o'clock.

The Reverned Charlie Guinn, pastor of the Rainsville Church of God, will be the visiting evangelist. The Reverned Thomas George, pastor of the church, invites the public to attend.

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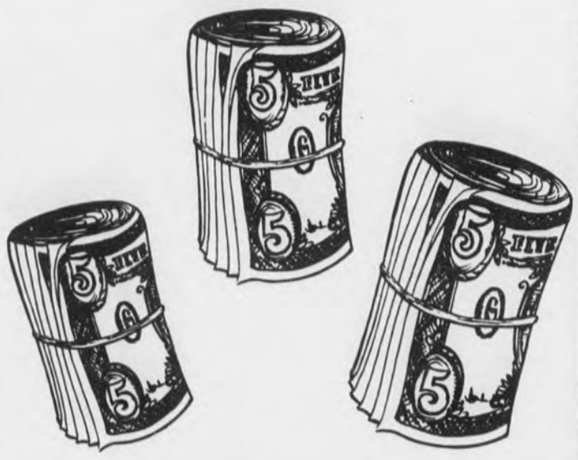

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County Health Department offers variety of services

The Shelby County Health Department regularly offers a great variety of health services.

Many persons are not aware of these services, some of which date back to legislation that was passed decades ago to provide for the health and well being of the people.

Maternity care, both pre-natal and post-natal, is one of the very important services offered at the Health Department.

Services are not confined to the indigent, although the present staff is very busy and prefers that people use private doctors if at all possible.

Smallpox, polio, diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus have become almost unknown diseases in the United States through the work and continuing vigilance of the U. S. Public Health Service.

A dental clinic for indigent patients up to age 10 is conducted by county dentists on a wholly volunteer basis. Patients may be referred through medical channels or the welfare department.

The following is the schedule followed by the Shelby County Health Department.

Maternity Clinic
1st and 3rd Tues., 8-11 AM
Well Baby Clinic
2nd & 4th Tuesday; 8-11 AM
5th Tuesday - No Clinics
X-ray Clinic & Skin Test
Wednesday, 8-11 AM
Immunization Clinics
Thursday 8-11 AM; and 1-4 PM
Health Dept. Columbiana

Friday 9-11 AM Alabaster City Hall

Friday 1-3 PM, Montevallo City Hall

Help stamp out diseases by keeping up your immunizations either by your private doctor or local Helath Department.

Poliomelitis:
Sabin vaccine (oral Polio): First immunization at age 3 months. Second immunization at age 5 months. Third immunization at age one year. A booster on entering school is suggested.

Diptheria, Whooping Cough and Tetanus (3-in-1)DPT:
Earliest age for immunization 3-6 months. 3 injections at invervals of 4 to 8 weeks. A booster is given in one year, then every three years to age 8.

Tetanus:
Two injections are given 4 to 8 weeks apart. A booster is given one year later (after the initial immunization is completed.) Then every 3 to 5 years or after each exposure or injury.
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Smallpox:
Earliest age for immunization 12 months. Revaccinate at age 5 or 6 years. Revaccinate every 5 years and after exposure.

Measles:
One injection is for permanent immunity. Earliest age is one year. The State Health Department offers this immunization to age groups one through twelve years. The aim of the United States Public Health Service is to try to eradicate this disease.

Tuberculosis Skin Test:
This should be done on all preschool children, earlier if tuberculosis exists in the immediate family. Tuberculosis is on the uptrend. Help to protect yourself and your community.

Planned Parenthood Clinic:
Tuesday, 1 – 4 PM.

LINDA ROACH

Miss Roach DAR choice

Miss Linda Roach has been selected as the 1969-70 D.A.R. Good Citizenship Girl at Thompson High School. This honor is awarded annually to a senior girl who has displayed qualities of leadership, service, dependability, and patriotism throughout her high school years. Having attended Thompson High School since the seventh grade, Linda has belonged to the Beta Club, F.H.A., F.T.A., and the annual staff.

Linda has maintained over the years a high academic record in all of her subjects. History and home economics have been her favorite subjects during her high school years. An accomplished seamstress, she makes most of her own clothes.

Linda is active in the U.M.Y.F. at Camp Branch Church. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Roach of Siluria.

First of year deadline for ACP program

All soil and water conservation measures being installed by farmers under the 1969 Agricultural Conservation Program (ACP) must be substantially completed by the end of the year, according to H. C. McDanal, Chairman of the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee.

He urged farmers to complete their conservation work as soon as possible. "Sometimes a man will plan to get the work done in November or December, and then bad weather hold him up. First thing you know it's New Year's Day, the ACP work isn't finished, and the ASC Committee can't approve the Federal share of the costs," Chairman McDanal said.

Under the ACP, the Federal Government shares with farmers and ranchers the costs of conservation practices needed in the public interest. Farmer requests for cost-sharing are administered by the ASC County Committee.

Montevallo News

By Bert Seaman

Members of the Wesleyan Service Guild urge you to do your Christmas shopping early at their bazaar, white elephant sale and flea market which will be held in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church Nov. 6-7 from noon till 8 p.m. and Nov. 8 from 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ballard Sr. have recently returned from attending the International Congress of Radiology held in Tokyo, Japan. While in the Orient, they also visited Hong Kong and Taiwan. On the last day of their trip, Doug slipped and fell dislocating his shoulder. He was admitted to South Highland Infirmary on their return and is now recuperating at home.

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Several members of Explorer Scout Troop 559 brough back their newly acquired shrimp boat from Uniontown, last Sunday. The boat was recently donated to the troop by John H. Roberts to be converted into a pleasure craft. Members of the Scout Troop Committee are looking for a lot to purchase on one of Alabama's lakes where the boat can be docked.

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Peggy Nix, former Montevallo High School student, has recently been elected vice president of Nu Tau Sigma sorority at Lakeland Business Institute in Lakeland, Fla. She is the daughter of Mrs. C. W. Dewberry of Crystal River, Fla. and G. A. Nix Sr. of Montevallo. Peggy is a 1969 graduate of Crystal River High School.

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Mr. Philip Arnold is improving at South Highland Infirmary after suffering a heart attack last week.

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Mr. J. M. "Buddy" Allen entered Shelby Memorial as a patient Tuesday morning.

OBITUARY
Susie Ray Nordan

Mrs. Susie Ray Nordan, 87, of Abbeville, Ala., died October 28 in a Ft. Gaines, Ga., nursing home after a long illness.

Mrs. Nordan was a native of Barbour County but moved to Abbeville, in Henry County 63 years ago. She was the widow of Charlie J. Nordan.

Funeral services were held at the Abbeville First Baptist Church Thursday, October 30, with burial at Abbeville.

Mrs. Nordan was the mother of Clayton O. Nordan, of Montevallo. She is survived by ten children and a number of grandchildren.

Legal Notice
Estate of Lee Chancellor Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 28 day of October, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Elizabeth Chancellor Graham
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CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION, INCLUDING DOMESTIC SUBSIDIARIES, OF THE

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of Columbiana

In The state of Alabama, at the close of business on October 21, 1969 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the currency, under section 5211, U. S. Revised statutes

ASSETS

Cash and due from banks (including $87,780.77 unposted debits)	699,021.51
U.S. Treasury securities	2,597,466.58
Securities of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	699,625.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	559,940.72
Other securities (including $ None corporate stock	82,167.92
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	950,000.00
Loans	2,393,976.43
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	164,079.54
Other assets (including $ none direct lease financing	2,314.67
TOTAL ASSETS	8,148,592.37

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,274,317.65
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3,217,542.88
Deposits of United States Government	297,337.92
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	1,559,419.47
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	30,965.33
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$7,379,583.25
(a)Total demand deposits	3,739,037.17
(b)Total time and savings deposits	3,640,546.08
Other liabilities	163,844.54
TOTAL LIABILITIES	7,543,427.79

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	55,746.11
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	55,746,11

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

No. shares outstanding None	
Common Stock-total par value	150,000.00
No. shares authorized 15,000	
No. shares outstanding 15,000	
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	249,418.47
TOTAL CAPTIAL ACCOUNTS	549,418.47
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	8,148,592.37

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	7,464,479.21
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	2,399,621,621.10

I, Charles M. Ponder, V. P. & Cashier, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Charles M. Ponder

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

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25 years ago–

Handy Ellis story retold

Atticus Mullins who writes for the Montgomery Advertiser, formerly from Shelby County, told a story about Lt. Gov. Handy Ellis in the role of volunteer cotton picker. Mr. Mullins told how on "Cotton Pickin' Day" in Shelby County Mr. Ellis went out and picked 151 pounds as his contribution to the efforts to save Shelby County's cotton crop. This was the day that County Agent A. A. Lauderdale estimated that 150 bales were picked by volunteer workers.

25 Years Ago

Members of the Columbiana Methodist Church met Wednesday afternoon Oct. 4, 1944, for an annual church meeting. A picnic supper was served on the lawn after which a thanksgiving service was held in the interest of obtaining funds for the new church. A total of $5,000 was raised and L. C. Taylor took the opportunity to contribute the first dollar on the second $5,000.

25 Years Ago

The marriage of Miss Mildred Herrod and Sgt. Franklin Atchison took place at the Baptist Pastorium Thursday night Oct. 5, 1944. The nuptial vows were read by the Rev. J. L. Rowe and they were attended by Miss Katherine Herrod and Edwin Rush.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. Marianna Davis entertained at a surprise birthday party for her son, Durwood, Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. W. Y. Johnson. After football practice the honoree found many friends gathered there to greet him on his Sixteenth birthday.

Miss Ellen Ruth Isbell, Mrs. Harold Lewis, Miss Ruth McNeil and Miss Irene Bishop assisted in the festivities of the evening.

JOHN W. ORR

John W. Orr new executive

John W. Orr has joined the New York office of Harshe-Rotman & Druck, Inc., international public relations firm, as account executive. He is a native of Montevallo and the son of Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Orr, Sr.

Orr had been senior account executive, The Softness Group, New York, and before that was with Colgate - Palmolive Co., the National Association of Manufacturers, and the National Broadcasting Co.

He is a member of National Sales Executives and president of the New York chapter, University of Alabama Alumni Association. He is a 1948 graduate of the University of Alabama, where he also did graduate work and was editor of its undergraduate magazine. He lives in New York City.

Harshe-Rotman & Druck is a full-service public relations firm with domestic offices in New York, Chicago, Los Angeles, and Memphis.

Train

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Birmingham on return. The trip will conclude at 6:30 p.m. at the Birmingham Terminal.

Tickets by mail are available from Jim Gibson, 417 N. 20th St. Bessemer, AL 35020, telephone 428-3334.

Engine 4501 is an Ex-Southern Railway steam engine, restored to new life by the Tennessee Valley Rail Museum and the Southern Railway. The Heart of Dixie Railroad Club is sponsoring the excursion. Tickets to the last excursion were quickly sold out.

LEGAL NOTICE

The Shelby County Board of Revenue & Control will accept sealed bids at 10:00 A.M. November 13, 1969 for the sale of one 1965 Ford Pickup (wrecked). Sale will be AS—IS. Pickup may be seen at County Highway Department Shop, Columbiana, Alabama.

The Board of Revenue & Control reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

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New Calera Citizen

Mr. and Mrs. Don Blackerby of Calera, announce the arrival of a son who was born in Baptist Medical center on Nov. 3, 1969. They have named the new arrival Mark Holland Blackerby. The Blackerbys are former residents of Columbiana.

Southern states lead travel business

Travelers in the eleven southern states spent 10.8 billion dollars during 1968 and made the south the number one tourist area in the nation. These facts are reported in a new "first" in regional travel studies prepared especially for the Southern Travel Directors Council by Dr. Lewis C. Copeland, Department of Statistics, College of Business Administration of the University of Tennessee.

The survey, reports the Alabama State Bureau of Publicity and Information, is an in-depth look at the economic contribution made by travelers within the south. The 10.8 billion dollars spent by these travelers represents 29 per cent of the nation's total and was centered in the 200,460 travel busniness concerns who provide jobs for 1,006,690 people in the region. Personal income to people in the region generated by this travel business reached 3.9 billion dollars. In addition, state and local tax revenue produced, totaled 890 million.

Alabama's travel report, released earlier this year, show that expenditures by all travelers in 1968 totaled $454 million. More than $288 million of this figure was spent by the 28.8 million out-of-state guests who visited the State. Dramatic increases have occurred since the breakthrough travel promotion and advertising program of Alabama began just six years ago.

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

Children's Book Week starts about November 15, and that gives us a chance to harp on our favorite theme - - the importance of a personal library for every child. Books, like everything else are expensive, and care should be taken to purchase the ones which are worthwhile and will be cherished by the child, and read many times. The pleasure of ownership is a large part of a child's love for books and reading. It is not too early to shop at the Falcon Book Store in Montevallo for your Christmas gift books. To avoid disappointment please come by or call us soon.

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WILDCAT DOWN - - Shelby County High's Kenny Curtis is rolled to the ground after a short gainer Friday against Calera. Eagles in on the stop are Roy Robinson (34) and Danny Alverson (65). Coming up to assist are Kyle Duncan (52), George Drake (72) and Roland Horton (71).

Plans to appeal–

Three day jury trial gives Harmon 30 years

One of the longest jury trials in recent memory was conducted last week in Shelby County Circuit Court.

Defendant in the case was Joseph R. Harmon, being tried for a robbery at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William V. Adams of Rt.1, Columbiana on September 3, 1968.

Court-appointed attorney Larry W. Morris of Alexander City entered a plea of not guilty by reason of insanity on behalf of the defendant.

Morris insisted on the right to question each of the prospective jurors. Selection of the jury required most of the day Wednesday.

Testimony was heard on Thursday from members of the Adams family, a psychiatrist from Bryce Hospital and a psychiatrist and testing specialist from Hillcrest Hospital.

The jury spent Wednesday and Thursday nights at the Clara-Neal Motel at the direction of Judge Kenneth Ingram. They failed to reach agreement until late Friday night, after the judge had returned to his home in Ashland. The judge and attorneys returned and about 10 p.m. heard the jury's verdict of guilty with a recommendation of a 30-year sentence.

Harmon has said he will appeal to the Alabama State Supreme Court. He still faces charges of burglary, rape and grand larceny stemming from incidents at the Adams home.

His companions on that night, Brad Salster and Mike Wallace are already serving terms at Kilby.

Harmon's mother, stepfather and grandmother, from Knoxville, Tennessee, were in the courtroom for the proceedings.

The jury was composed of Mrs. Frances Caswell, Westover; Solan Southern, Vincent; Eugene Howard, Sterrett; Connie Standifer, Alabaster; Robert Whittaker, Sterrett; Morris Mims, Rt.2 Montevallo; John H. Minshew, Rt.1 Maylene; Lewis Bearden, Rt.1 Marvel; Woodroe Polk, Rt.1 Marvel; Mrs. Olivia Eddings, Rt.1 Marvel; Eugene McDonald, Rt.2 Sterrett; and Frederick Anderson, Helena.

50% larger–

Alabaster store remodels, expands

P and T Food Center in Alabaster reopened today a remodeled and larger store.

According to James S. Gould and Jerry D. Walker, co-owners and managers of the store, 4,000 additional square feet of sales area have been added which makes the store now 50 per cent larger.

The store was closed three days this week so that new tile floors, a new ceiling and additional equipment could be installed.

J. H. Denham established P and T ("pay and take") Grocery on Main Street in Alabaster in 1940. The new store was Shelby County's first completely self-service store operating on a cash and carry basis.

On Januray of 1960, the store was moved to its present location and the name was changed to P and T Food Center.

Gould and Walker, sons-in-law of J. H. Denham, said the store will continue to operate as it has in the past under the policy adopted by their father-in-law: "We try to give our customers the very best service that we possibly can. We have been associated with our customers for about 45 years and have been serving some of them that long. And, at any time we have been able to accommodate one of our customers, we have tried to do just that."

Gould has been with the store since 1957 and Walker joined the business in 1966.

CALERA SKELETON - - Mrs. Jim Duncan, Kyle Duncan and PTA vice president Mrs. Gary Watts examine a human skeleton at the Calera High School open house. The PTA sponsored the meeting Monday night in the science room.

Shelby County merchants ready for holiday season

The horn of plenty is running over in Shelby County stores.

As local residents begin to plan for the Thanksgiving and Christmas seasons, the merchants of the county are offering a bounteous supply of goods to make life both easier and happier for everyone.

The underlying theme of local merchants is to provide goods and services locally to combat the urge some people have to drive to Birmingham or other places to shop.

Population growth has resulted in several fine shopping communities in the county with a wide variety of merchandise in a wide range of quality and price.

Competition between local merchants is growing more keen at the same time, resulting in an advantage to the consumer by way of competitive prices.

A brief tour of Shelby County stores this week revealed merchants have tried to anticipate the holiday season with gifts from dolls to sports cars.

A favorite novelty this year is a cornbread skillet retailing around $2.39. Merchants report a fad is going on for the skillet which is divided into eight sections.

The favorite gift item for men - the eternal necktie - will be up to five inches wide this season. Already available in most clothing stores are the four inchers, with the five inch tie soon to arrive.

Pants dresses and hose in all colors are expected to be popular this season and county stores are keeping stocks well supplied.

Double-breasted coats and shirts with French cuffs for men and girls are other items that are coming on strong in the gift-giving departments.

One store has already sold out of white fake fur coats, so popular is this fabric among the teen-agers.

An amusing item full of nostalgia in county stores is a Big Ben clock, just like the one every person over 35 remembers from his childhood. The new one has the same old-fashioned face with large numerals that is easy to read from every part of a room.

It's possible to buy a horse collar for $5 or for $35 in the county, and there are also Italian made alligator print shoes.

WHERE'S SUPPER? - - Mrs. Tera Mae Baker of Harpersville promises supper will be coming soon to this lucky pig who lives in one of the most modern pens in the county. A slatted floor over a lagoon is the latest thing in hog parlor architecture. Her son Tony adjusts the automatic feeding device. (Additional photos by John E. Jones and story by Joel Thompson on page 12).

Hawkins free, Russell sentenced

Two all-male all-white juries decided the fate of two Negro men in separate Circuit Court trials this week.

On Monday Joe Hawkins, accused of assault with intent to murder by Robert Jones Jr. of the Almont community near Montevallo was set free after the jury deliberated about 20 minutes.

Testimony in the court indicated that a knifing had occured during a party at which a considerable amount of liquor was consumed. Jones reportedly spent three months in a hospital recovering from his wound.

An unusual aspect of the case was the recurring argumentation between District Attorney James H. Sharbutt and defense attorney Sherrill Hancock. Judge Ingram finally admonished both of them, "You've argued enough in this case. Confine your remarks to the evidence."

Sharbutt pleaded with the jury for a conviction. "Help those people down there around Montevallo. They have a law enforcement problem as evidenced by the testimony here today." He also said, "(the state) have to take the witnesses as they come. We'd like to have Sunday School teachers and preachers whose veracity would be unquestioned, but we have to use the witnesses who were there."

Members of the jury were Weaver Johnson, Harpersville; James R. Wyatt, Alabaster; George W. Baker, Rt. 2, Wilsonville; Milton Terrell, Wilton; Kermit H. Roberson, Rt. 2, Calera; Curtis H. SNyder, Calcis; William J. Lawrence, Calera; James Woods, Rt. 1, Maylene; Barber Hubbard, Rt. 1, Maylene; James R. Tate, Harpersville, Johnnie Cee Bishop, Rt. 1, Helena, and Sidney Partridge, Rt. 1, Sterrett.

On Tuesday, six of the same men were selected for the jury trying Bobby Joe Russell of Rt. 1, Vincent on a charge of second degree murder.

The charge stemmed from the death of Willie Brown after a fracas on January 24, 1968, in Brown's home.

Russell was found guilty and a sentence of 10 years was recommended.

Those serving on both juries were Baker, Terrell, Roberson, Snyder, Woods and Bishop. The other six on the Russell case were Jimmy R. Howard, Vandiver; James A. Northcutt, Rt. 1, Marvel; James R. Tate, Harpersville; Joe Tidmore, Columbiana; V. J. Fulmer, Wilsonville, and Thomas C. Berryhill, Rt. 1, Vincent.

Leading UM seniors will be honored during Elite Night program, Nov. 22

Leading seniors at the University of Montevallo have been selected to top honors as Senior Elite and Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

Elite Night, held annually in Palmer Hall auditorium, is one of the school's oldest traditions. Students selected as senior elite are chosen on the basis of scholarship, leadership and contributions to their class and to the university.

The honored group includes 20 Senior Elites and 25 Who's Who students. Seven seniors received double honors, being named to both groups. All will be formally recognized during annual Elite Nite ceremonies at the Montevallo campus Saturday evening, Nov. 22.

The student Who's Who is published nationally by the Randall Publishing Co. Students are selected for listing in the biographical dictionary by a committee of faculty members, administrators and fellow students, and are chosen for outstanding achievement in leadership and academics.

Senior Elites are selected by their major professors as the top student in their particular academic department.

Named to both Senior Elite and Who's Who honors are: Amelia Ann Griffin, biology, Hueytown; Janis Standridge, physical education, Anniston; Dan Cooper, political science, Thorsby; Edgar Torbert, mathematics, Greensboro; Jane Doswell, home economics education, Hayneville; Charles D. Wood, history, Huntsville; and Ginger Germany, social work, Saraland.

Others named to the 36th annual student Who's Who are: Peggy Jean Hill, Columbiana; Robert Altman, John Amari, Susan Boyer, James P. Cole, James Houghton, Charles G. Kelly, Kittilax Kridakorn, Martha Earle Owens, Jane Sparks, Birmingham.

James Dennis, James T. Hermecz, Fairhope; Margaret Faye Dozier, Thomasville; William G. Godwin, Tallassee; Janis Bliss King, Dorothy Ester Gaskin, Mobile; Gerry Dane Mitchell, Pell City; and William T. Sumner, Duncanville.

Chosen for Senior Elite honors are: Robert Teague, business administration, Ethel Beach, foreign languages, Sue Goggins, home economics merchandising, Montevallo.

Glenda Ann Harp, secretarial administration, Charles Joseph Taylor, speech, Birmingham; Kathleen Madden, English, Jo Ann Williamson, physics, Fairfield; Judy Ellis, economics, Midfield.

Martha Grace Whigham, Biology, Prattville; Helen Hunt, speech correction, Centreville; Carol Still, elementary education, Lanett; Lynne Evans, music, Delta; Nancy Cargile, chemistry, Fayette.

Red Cross Bloodmobile in Columbiana Nov. 19

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be in Columbiana on Wednesday, November 19.

James T. Davis, donor recruiting chairman urges everyone between the ages of 18 and 66 to come to the Methodist Church between the hours of noon and six p. m. to contribute a pint of blood.

Many lives are saved each day through the unselfishness of those who are willing to give blood through the Red Cross Blood Program.

FREE FIRE ANT POISON - - Charles Martinez Rt. 1, Leeds, happened by the county extension office Monday and was among the first to receive a pound of Mirex, a fire ant poison, being given free by the pest division of the USDA. Extension Farm Agent Joel Thompson, (l) explains the program to Martinez who is manager of Shoals Creek Angus Ranch.

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

Superintendent of Schools Elvin Hill informs the Reporter that the Maylene Community Center Corporation has requested the Maylene school property. Legal papers have been prepared and are ready to go to Montgomery for the governor's signature, Hill said.

Trustees of the school, which was closed this year for lack of enrollment, are James Lindsay, Donald Sims and Jack Brantley, according to Hill.

The county school board gives away school property when it is requested by a non-profit community corporation. Transfer of the Vandiver and Mayberry school property to community organizations has already been completed, Hill said.

A year ago the Dogwood and Camp Branch schools were turned over to community groups.

Hill said he had not informed the School board of the Maylene group's application and thus Board Chairman Lavon Moore did not know of it last week when he talked with the Reporter.

The county Board of Revenue is to meet Nov. 12 with the Talladega County Board of Revenue to discuss the possibility of making a toll charge of 25 cents for automobiles that use the Coosa River ferry connecting the two counties. At present the cost of operating the ferry runs between $9,000 and $10,000 per year for each county, according to Shelby County Probate Judge Conrad Fowler.

Shelby County officials have sought the toll in the past, but the Talladega County board has not voted in favor of it. The two groups plan to discuss a charge by the month for regular users of the ferry, which would be less than the 25 cent toll for those who seldom use it.

Thousands of Alabama veterans, widows and dependent parents received with their VA check on November 1, 1969, an income questionnaire in the form of an IBM key punched card, together with a window envelope, Walter C. Head, Jr., director of the Alabama Department of Veterans Affairs, said today.

These questionnaire forms are sent only to veterans and widows receiving pension, and dependent parents receiving death compensation, and dependent parents receiving Dependency and Indemnity compensation.

Bill Clark, Veterans Service Officer for Shelby County, whose office is located in the Courthouse in Columbiana, urges these veterans, widows, and dependent parents to bring their card and window envelope to his office so that he can assist them in properly completing the card. Clark said that it is absolutely essential that the card and envelope received with the check by used since the questionnaire care has the address of the Veterans Administration office to which it must be sent.

Also, Clark said that such questionnaires must be completed and returned to the VA before January 15, 1970; otherwise, payments will be discontinued and it is possible that an overpayment may be created for failure to return the card.

His office hours are 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., Monday through Friday.

356 accidents investigated

Colonel Floyd H. Mann released the following statistics for Shelby county so far in 1969. Your State Troopers have investigated 356 accidents resulting in 53 injuries and 13 deaths. For the same period in 1968 your troopers had investigated 314 accidents resulting in 112 injuries and 9 deaths.

VINCENT PRUNING PROJECT - - Learning to care for ornamental plants under the direction of Jack Farr, Jr. Boys 4-H Club teacher-sponsor (l.) are Glenn Richey and Steve Wade. Glenn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James O. Richey. Steve is president of the Vincent Jr. 4-H Club and is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Robert E. Wade. All are from Vincent. (Photo by John E. Jones)

Everyday Players present 'The Book of Job' at U of M

"THE BOOK OF JOB", a unique dramatic production by the Everyman Players will be presented as the second event on this year's concert series at the University of Montevallo on Monday evening, November 17.

Featured at two World's Fairs, "THE BOOK OF JOB" features actors appearing as living mosaic figures dressed in costumes of red and gold, blue and purple. Mosaic make-up masks the faces of the actors and Elizabethan English of the Authorized Version is the language spoken.

This production has toured throughout the United States, Canada, Britain and South Africa with performances in such famous cathedrals as St. Paul's, St. Edmundsbury and Southwark.

"THE BOOK OF JOB" has been presented each July and August since 1959 at Pine Mountain State Park Amphitheatre, Pineville, Kentucky. The play has enjoyed two New York runs, three international tours and the Montevallo performance is a part of its third national tour.

Critics have been enthusiastic. Life Magazine calls it "A reverent but dazzling play."; the Chicago Daily News stated, "It's a magnificent performance - - rich in dramatic variety."; the London Times called it "- - a triumph of production."

"THE BOOK OF JOB" was designed and adapted for the stage in 1957 by Orlin and Irene Corey. The Corey's professional company, the Everyman Players, has gained an international reputation by extensive tours and hundreds of reviews from around the world.

During their undergraduate days, the Coreys were students of W. T. Chichester at Baylor University, Waco, Texas. Chichester is now Director of the University Theatre at the University of Montevallo.

"THE BOOK OF JOB" will be presented in Palmer Hall Auditorium in Montevallo Monday evening, November 17. Curtain time is 8:15.

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'U.S.A. Day' observed on Montevallo campus

This is "U.S.A. Day" at the University of Montevallo.

A variety of patriotic activities have been planned to give Montevallo's 2,200 students an opportunity to express themselves on Vietnam and peace.

The day's activities were planned and are being sponsored by the University of Montevallo Young Republican Club.

The first formal event of the day will be a flag raising ceremony that will take place on the campus quadrangle, beginning at 9:50 a.m. A flag presented to the University on Founders' Day will be flown for the first time. The flag is a gift to the University from the U. S. Air Force and is one that was flown over the Capitol Building in Washington, D. C.

After the national anthem, the University Wind Ensemble will play a concert on the quadrangle.

Patriotic music will be played from the University Carillon tower following a moment of silence at 11:50.

Throughout the day red, white and blue ribbons will be given to students and faculty from a central distribution point located in the University's student union building.

Petitions supporting President Nixon's plan for peace will be made available to all students wishing to sign them. The petitions bearing the signatures will be mailed to the President later this week.

The day's activities will conclude with ceremonies beginning at 5:00 p.m. Ceremonies will include a Recall of the Flag followed by the lighting of a Flame of Dedication to America. The gas flame will burn throughout the night.

Tom Howell is President of the Montevallo Young Republicans.

County raises $2,533 in cancer fund drive

Shelby County raised a total of $2,533.76 in the 1969 crusade of the American Cancer Society, with the Alabama Division again "bettering its best" by raising $429,000.

Jack Dean of Columbiana, was chairman of the crusade for this county.

State Crusade Chairman Charles H. Payne of Birmingham expressed appreciation to county crusade chairmen, leaders and workers for their leadership and work in the crusade, and to Alabama citizens, businesses, industries, and institutions who contributed to the American Cancer Society.

ACS conducts its annual fund-raising and educational crusade each April, and ends its fiscal year on Aug. 31. Throughout the year, the society carries on a continuing program of education to encourage adults to have annual health checkups and to learn cancer's warning signals.

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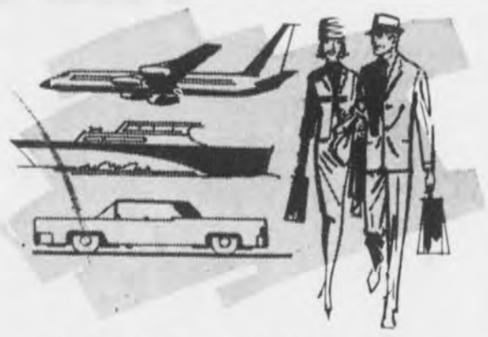

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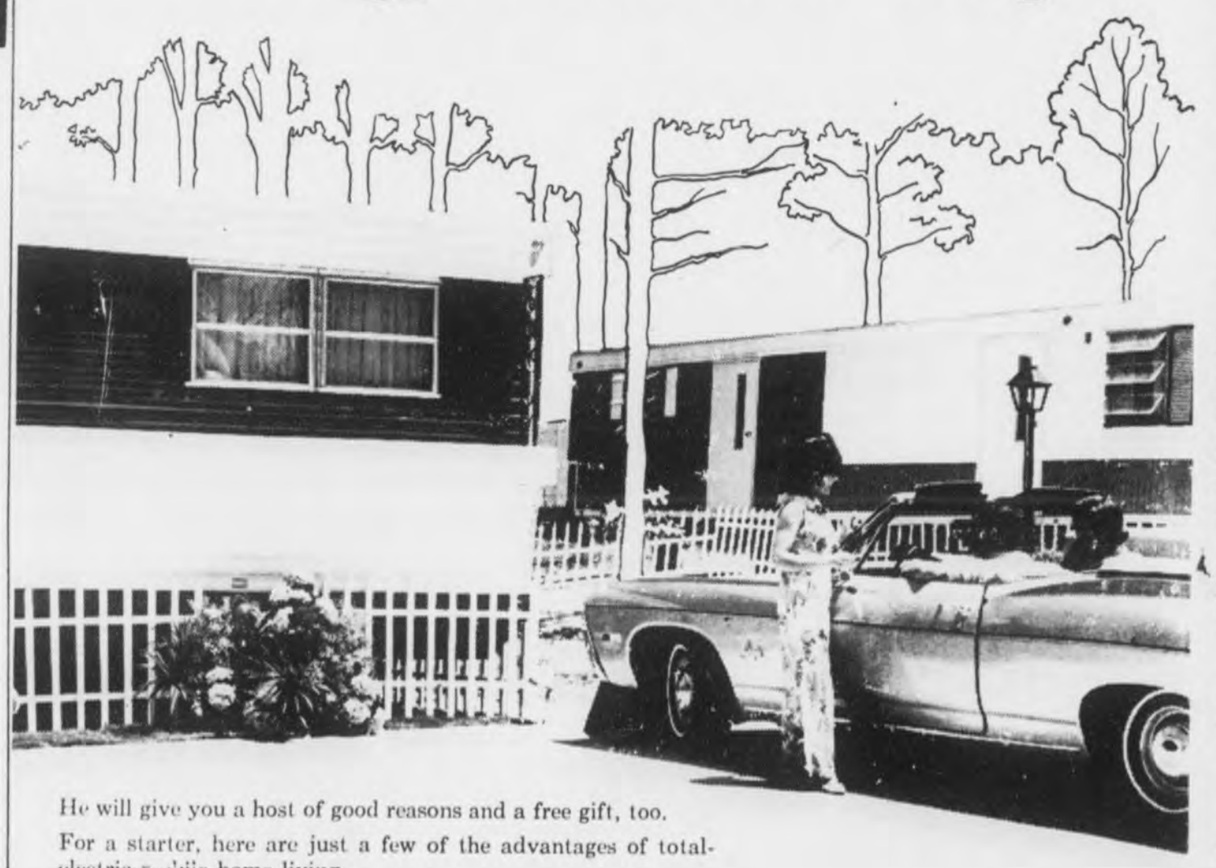

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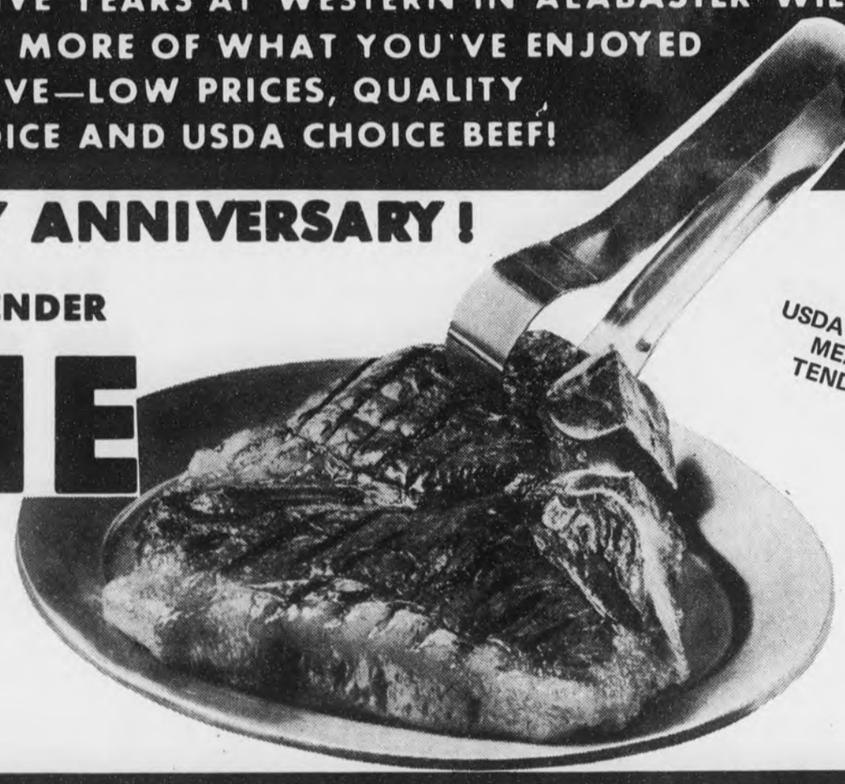

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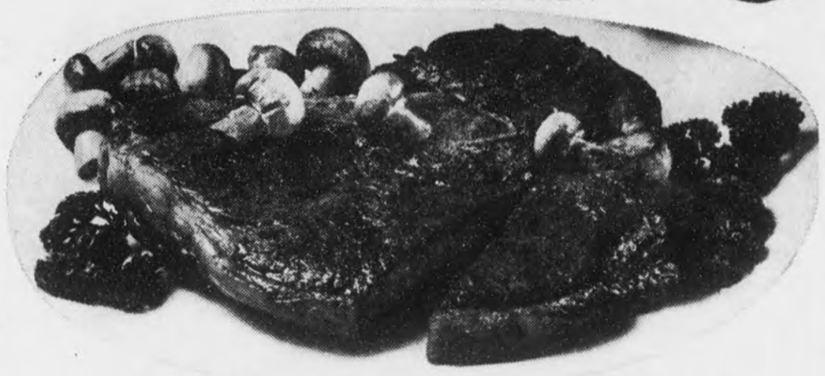

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VICTORIA ANN WINSLETT
. . . engaged to Gary O. Gray

Miss Winslett to wed Lt. Gary O. Gray

Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Winslett of Montevallo, announce the engagement of their daughter Victoria Ann and Gary O. Gray, Lieutenant, United States Army, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gray of Forkland, Alabama.

The wedding is planned for 5:00 p.m., November 22, at Montevallo Presbyterian Church.

Miss Winslett is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Winslett; Mrs. Janie Jones of Jackson, Alabama and the late Mr. William M. Jones. She is a graduate of Alabama College and is currently a teacher at Chelsea High School.

Lt. Gray is the grandson of Mrs. Irma Gray of Montevallo and the late Mr. Otis Gray; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Farnworth of Miami, Florida. He is stationed at Fort Bragg, N. C., where he is a member of the Fort Bragg Rifle Team.

Tag deadline Saturday

May we again remind you that Saturday is your last day to procure an auto tag without an additional penalty? Despite the mail service, and the extra clerks provided by the officials, there are hundreds of people who have put off this "tag-trip" to Columbiana until the last day. Long lines and hours of waiting will doubtless again "slow down" the annual procedure. At this writing there are approximately 4,000 auto owners who have not "paid the price" for free-wheeling over Shelby County's highways now colorfully and brilliantly aflame with a gorgeous display of autumnal beauty.

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The Rev. N. F. Greer, secretary of Baptist State Executive Board in Montgomery, was the guest speaker in the First Baptist Church last Sunday due to the absence of the Rev. Raymond Scroggins. Dr. Scroggins is holding a revival in the Baptist church in Fort Payne.

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SOCIETY NEWS and PERSONAL MENTION

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Christmas plans underway

It is a bit early perhaps to begin talking about Christmas but in browsing around Main we find many people getting ready for the annual event. For instance, new and varied articles are being prepared by the Good Neighbor Club as they make ready for their annual bazaar. We understand that these members will sponsor various projects looking toward raising funds and chartering a bus and going on a trip when Spring comes tripping over Mt. Dixie.

The workers on the Crismon Tree at the Methodist Church are busily engaged in completing this new idea in Columbiana. Gaines Hyche at the Baptist Church is planning a Festival of Christmas Music featuring various choirs now in rehearsal under his direction. We hear the Jaycees are not as active as they once were, but we hope they will take a new shot in the arm and get going again real strong. This is definitely a worthwhile organization.

Kiwanians are planning to let us know at an early date just how beneficial the last Shelby County Fair was which will also let us know how many scholarships were netted from the proceeds of this annual event.

Stores are replete with every kind of toy imaginable - - and whats more - - speaking of rushing the season - the department stores have already placed their orders for their Spring merchandise and are advertising pre-holiday sales in order to make room for an early display of the fashions for the summer months. Things are buzzing at a pretty fast clip - - and if you want to keep up the pace - - better get in step.

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An Appraisal

It is not always flattering to "see yourself as others see you" - - For instance, several weeks ago at a certain club meeting, a guest speaker in a certain town had been widely publicized. However, after his address, comments tossed around the coffee cups the next morning went as follows: "That man can dive deeper into his subject than anyone I have ever heard" - - "Yes, remarked another fellow - - "and he can stay under longer" - - "Yes" remarked a third, "and come up drier"!

This is just a tip to future "bookings" on speakers for special occasions. Better hear 'em before booking 'em!

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The Rev. Travis A. Warlick, a full time Conference Missionary Secretary, spoke in the Columbiana Methodist Church Sunday morning at the eleven o'clock worship hour.

Preparations have been completed for the Youth Revival in this church scheduled for Friday evening through Sunday, Nov. 14-16. There will be a Fellowship hour observed after each evening service for the young people of Columbiana. A cordial welcome awaits you.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spivey have returned home from Tifton, Ga., where they were guests of their daughter Mrs. Pierson West and Mr. West. During their stay, the West family entertained with a dinner party in honor of Mr. Spivey's 75th birthday.

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Mrs. Dottie Walton Livingston, a former resident of Westover, currently employed with the State Department of Health, has purchased a home owned by the Homer Waltons located next to their residence on College Street. Mrs. Livingston plans to remodel the house and make her future home in Columbiana.

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Congratulations are in order this week for Peg Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hill, a senior at Montevallo University, upon her recent listing in "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities". Miss Hill is also among the finalists for the "Miss University of Montevallo" honor; and is up for the final selection of Senior Class Favorite.

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The Rev. and Mrs. Monroe Lewis of Huffman, former residents of Columbiana, during the time Mr. Lewis served as the pastor of the Columbiana Methodist Church, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ozley.

Thanksgiving services at First Baptist Church

The annual Community Thanksgiving Service will be held in the First Baptist Church this year and the Rev. Burl Oliver of the Columbiana Methodist Church will be the guest speaker. Gaines Hyche, Minister of Music for the First Baptist Church, will present his Sanctuary Choral group in appropriate numbers for this season. The public is urged to attend. Collection, as usual, will be donated to the Christmas Fund for needy families with children who - - otherwise - - would not be able to participate in the joys the Yuletide brings to more fortunate ones.

Make a ring around this date - - Wednesday evening, Nov. 26, at 7 o'clock and make your arrangements to be present.

Downtown lot leased for additional parking

One of the most progressive steps forward taken by Mayor Bob Bolton and his councilmen, is the leasing of the Turner lot - - formerly the Curb Market - - thereby making available more parking space for automobiles. The need for this parking facility is obvious, and when the lot is properly marked, this space will accommodate 25 or 30 cars.

In addition to this service, the approach into Columbiana will certainly present a more favorable view of the commercial section of our town; and - - as "first impressions" - - are "lasting ones" - - this new parking facility should greatly improve our civic image.

George Wallace to speak following Calera parade

Members of the alert Calera Jaycees are staging the opening of Yuletide festivities in Calera by hosting a Christmas Parade on Dec. 13. Holding the spotlight of interest will be a dinner in the High School lunchroom beginning at 5:45 P. M. when a delectable menu will be served after which Ex-Gov. George C. Wallace will address the assemblage.

Watch for representatives of this chapter of Jaycees, purchase your ticket and share this occasion with them.

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Betty Kendrick, secretary for Columbiana Housing Authority, is a believer in the "do it yourself" theory - - that is - - if you can't get things done when you want them done. Last week, she repainted the entire outside of her home located in Phillips Circle.

BUNNY MAE WELDON
. . . engaged to Donald M. Cox, Jr.

Miss Weldon plans December wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Quincey Ambus Weldon of Chelsea, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Bunny Mae to Donald Milroy Cox Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Cox Sr., of Corinth, Miss.

Miss Weldon is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Weldon and the late Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crane. She is a graudate of Jacksonville State University and is currently employed at the University of Alabama Medical Center.

Mr. Cox's grandparents are: Mrs. L. B. Vance Sr., and the late Mr. L. B. Vance, Sr., and the late Mr. and Mrs. James W. Cox. He is a graduate of Birmingham Southern College where he was a member of Kappa Alpha social fraternity. He is presently employed by a local accounting firm in Birmingham.

The wedding is planned for Dec. 21, 1969 at the Liberty Baptist Church in Chelsea.

PTA to meet Tuesday

A meeting of parents and teachers at Shelby County High School has been called for November 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium.

A visitation period will precede the meeting, beginning at 7 o'clock in each home room, according to Mrs. Don Knight.

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A Correction

Last week we incorrectly stated that G. W. Seale of Columbiana had "purchased" the agency of Standard Oil Co., from H. H. Bearden - - Mr. Seale tells us that he was "appointed" agent and that the word "purchase" - - was wrong - - So -- we beg pardon and hasten to get the correct wordage for the transaction.

Miss Davis weds Nov. 4

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Davis Jr., in Pelham, furnished the setting for the marriage of their daughter, Beverly Ann Davis and James Harold Traxler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Traxler of Vera Beach, Florida on the evening of November 4, at seven o'clock.

Mr. Traxler is a member of the U. S. Air Force and is leaving at an early date for an assignment in Thailand. The bride is a senior at Thompson High School in Siluria.

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Glad to learn that Mrs. Travis Cox is recuperating satisfactorily in Shelby Memorial following surgery last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gordon are spending the week end in Mobile as the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Jerry Parker and Mr. Parker.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Jones spent Sunday in Montgomery attending a special Floral Designing display held in Rosemont Gardens.

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New Inductees

Oct. 20 was a memorable day for Larry Patterson, and James K. Johnstone II, who were inducted into the U. S. Marine Corps; and for Horace M. Farmer and Andrew A. Thornburg, who donned the uniform of the U. S. Army.

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Friends are offering sincere sympathy to Mrs. Harold Harlin this week as they learn of the death of her father which occurred in Miami, Fla. last Saturday. Funeral services were conducted from his former home in Elizabethtown, Kentucky, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Harlin have returned to Columbiana after attending the funeral service.

'Pop's' Workshop to Close!

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Four-legged bombs graze Shelby County pastures

(Editor's note: We try to print articles of wide general interest. The following deals specifically with safety problems in the dairy industry and presumably the dairymen of Shelby County already know about them. However, the National Safety Council has written in such an amusing manner, we print it in the hope that people who never get closer to the dairy industry than picking up milk in paper cartons on their doorstep will enjoy reading about it.)

Everyone knows about the incendiary tendencies of Mrs. O'Leary's cow as a result of the great Chicago fire.

Few, however, know that bovines are four-legged bombs.

To be more precise - - and as delicate as possible - - a certain by-product of the dairy industry produces no less than four gases, at least one of which is highly explosive.

Now, most persons might find this to be an esoteric - - perhaps almost non- existent - - problem.

Not so, says W. J. Fletcher of the National Safety Council's Farm department.

Gases from manure pits, Fletcher says, have caused both human and animal deaths.

In fact, an explosion caused by one of these gases - - methane - - is known to have literally lifted a dairy barn from its faoundations.

Fletcher - - who was born and raised in farm country - - says that in the good old days the only safety precaution necessary with manure was to watch your step.

Urban sprawl and a labor shortage, Fletcher says, have changed all that.

Today's farmer, he says, relies more and more on confinement feeding - - that is, you keep the cows in the barn - - and the pit storage of manure.

The manure, he explains, drops through slots in the barn floor directly into storage pits below.

Disposal is not required for several months, which helps to drastically cut labor costs.

All this would seem like progress, particularly to anyone who has ever had to shovel manure with a pitch fork.

Unfortunately, however, potentially hazardous gases - - primarily ammonia, carbon dioxide, methane and hydrogen sulphide - - can, and frequently do, build up to dangerous concentrations.

Some of these gases, particularly hydrogen sulphide, are poisonous, and, among other things, Fletcher advises persons working in or around manure pits to use - - are you ready for this? - - self-contained air breathing apparatus, the same SCUBA equipment as used by underwater sports enthusiasts.

The situation might seem humorous, Fletcher says, but when you consider the hazards of each of the major gases involved you begin to realize the situation isn't particularly funny:

Ammonia, lighter than air, is highly irritating and absorbed readily in water but is easily removed by ventilation.

Carbon dioxide, heavier than air, is not detectable by smell, but a tankful of it will suffocate a person if he stays in the area, passing out before he knows what's wrong.

Methane also causes suffocation but usually rises and escapes a building even without ventilation. It is explosive and can cause considerable damage if ignited.

Hydrogen sulphide has a rotten egg smell and is poisonous. As little as 500 parts per million will restrict breathing and may make artificial respiration necessary.

Levels as high as 800 parts per million of hydrogen sulphide have been measured at slat level over a manure pit. It is heavier than air and almsot always present over a manure pit.

Hydrogen sulphide tends to paralyze the diaphragm.

Fletcher says any closed space may be gas-suspect - - silo pits, septic tanks, even well pits and warns that agitation of pit contents will release large quantities of gas.

All tanks, Fletcher cautions, should be treated as though they contain explosive gas. That is, no matches or other open flames should be permitted.

The NSC agricultural engineer makes the following specific recommendations for manure pit work:

* Never work alone.
* Use a lifeline and make sure there is power enough to lift a victim clear of the tank.
* If you must go inside a tank, ventilate the tank before entering it and during the work.
* Test for combustible gases and oxygen level with a miner's lamp or other testing device, not with an open flame.
* Use (as mentioned above) self-contained air breathing apparatus (SCUBA) if in doubt.

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Legal Notice
Estate of Elizabeth Self Deceased.
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Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 21 day of October, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Charles A. Self, III
as Administrator of Estate of Elizabeth Self, deceased
Oct.30,Nov.6,13,1969 †107.

LEGAL NOTICE
The Shelby County Board of Revenue & Control will accept sealed bids at 10:00 A.M. November 13, 1969 for the sale of one 1965 Ford Pickup (wrecked). Sale will be AS—IS. Pickup may be seen at County Highway Department Shop, Columbiana, Alabama.
The Board of Revenue & Control reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.
11-6,13, 1969. †114.

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FOR SALE: 1967 Chevrolet pickup. Low mileage excellent condition. $1495. Call 663-7419. 11-13,c.

FOR SALE: New 6'x8' metal walk-in cooler. Used three months. Temperature controlled for freezer or floral use, etc. Original cost, $1,500, will sell for $975. Call 669-6307. 11-13,c.

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Card of Appreciation
The family of Ivy Lee Kelley, of Montevallo, wish to express their heart-felt gratitude and appreciation to their friends and neighbors for the food, flowers and many other acts of sympathetic understanding expressed during our recent bereavement.

Legal Notice
In the Law and Equity Court of Shelby County, Alabama
Case No. 663
Nell C. Stansell, Complainant,
VS.
Lester Stansell, Respondent

NOTICE OF SALE
By virtue of a decree rendered by the Court in the above entitled cause on the 31st day of October, 1969, and by decree of the court entered on November 10, 1969, in the Law and Equity Court of Shelby County, Alabama, In Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell for division among the joint owners thereof, to the highest and best bidder for cash at public sale at or in front of the Court House of Shelby County, Alabama, at 11:00 o'clock A. M. on Saturday, November 22, 1969, the real estate to be so sold being situated in Shelby County, Alabama, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:
The SE¼ of SE¼ and the SW diagonal half of the NE¼ of SE¼ of Section 1. Also the NE¼ of NE¼ of Section 12; all being in Township 22, Range 3 West; Also the SW¼ of SW¼ of Section 6, Township 22, Range 2 West, except that part conveyed to Joshua M. Frost by deed recorded in Deed Book 27, page 147, in Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.
Less and except that certain property conveyed to the Water Works Board of the Town of Calera, Alabama, in April 1957, as shown by instrument recorded in Deed Book 186, page 370, in said Probate Office, containing .32 acres plus easements, and less and except that certain lot and easement conveyed to the Town of Calera, Alabama, in July, 1967, by instrument recorded in Deed Book 249, page 198, all in the Probate Records of Shelby County, Alabama, containing .5 acres, more or less.
Said sale to be made subject to above terms and further terms to be announced at said sale and all subject to order of this court.
WITNESS my hand this the 10th day of November, 1969.
L. G. Fulton, Register,
Law and Equity Court of Shelby County, Alabama, In Equity
Nov. 13,20, 1969 †118.

Legal Notice
Administrator's Settlement Notice
The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
PROBATE COURT,
November 5, 1969
This day came Bionnie Lenora Vanderslice, Administratrix of Edward Duran Vanderslice and files his accounts, vouchers, evidence and statement for final settlement of his said Administration.
It is ordered that the 16th day of December, 1969, be and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 5th day of November, 1969.
Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
11-13,20,27, 1969 †117

Legal Notice
Estate of Opal Lea Seifert Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 24th day of October, 1969 by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
June Seifert Benoskie
As Executrix of the
Last Will and Testament of Opal Lea Seifert, deceased
10-30, 11-6,13,1969. +110.

Legal Notice
Estate of William H. Edwards Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 22 day of October, 1969 by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Estelle Edwards Executrix for Estate of William H. Edwards, dec.
10-30, 11,6,13, 1969 †109

Legal Notice
Pursuant to the provisions of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, notice is hereby given that the Shelby County Advertising Corporation licensee of Class C broadcast station WBYE, Calera, Alabama is required to file with the FCC, no later than January 2, 1970, an application for renewal of its license to operate station WBYE, on 1370 kilocycles.
The officers, directors and owners of 10% or more of the stock are Ralph W. Sears, president; Marcia M. Sears, vice president and Marion P. Jones, secretary-treasurer.
Members of the public who desire to bring to the Commission's attention facts concerning the operation of the station should write to the FCC, Washington, D. C. 20554, not later than February 2, 1970. Letters should set out in detail the specific facts which the writer wishes the Commission to consider in passing on the application. A copy of the license renewal application and related material will, upon filing with the Commission, be available for public inspection at WBYE's studios located on Alabama Highway 25, Calera, Alabama between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p. m.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL COUNTY ELECTION
TO BE HELD DECEMBER 9, 1969

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special election will be held in Shelby County in the State of Alabama on the 9th day of December, 1969, during the regular hours for holding of elections, at which there will be submitted to the qualified electors of said County for their determination by ballot, the question of whether or not a special county tax of ten cents (10¢) on each $100 of taxable property in Shelby County as assessed for State taxation, in addition to all other taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Alabama (including the special county tax for educational purposes of forty cents (40¢) on each $100 of taxable property in the County authorized at an election held on April 16, 1963, pursuant to the Constitutional Amendment hereinafter referred to) shall be levied for a period of twenty years beginning with the levy for the tax year commencing October 1, 1969, and ending with the levy for the tax year commencing October 1, 1988, and collected for a period of twenty years beginning with collection in the tax year commencing October 1, 1970, and ending with the collection in the tax year commencing October 1, 1989, said tax to be levied and collected for educational purposes in Shelby County in accordance with the provisions of an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama proposed by Act No. 23 adopted at the 1961 Extra Session of the Legislature of the State of Alabama and proclaimed ratified on May 10, 1962.
Said election shall be held at the regular voting places in the County, heretofore established and designated in accordance with law, to-wit:

Voting Places and Location

Beat No.	Box No.	Location
1	1A	Old Board of Revenue Office,Columbiana
1	1b	Board of Revenue, Columbiana
1	2	Shelby, Davis Grocery
1	3A	City Hall, Columbiana
1	3B	City Hall, Columbiana
2		Shelby, Rt. Frank Jordan Farm
3	1A	City Hall, Calera
3	1B	City Hall, Calera
3	2	National Guard Armory, Calera
4	1A	Montevallo, City Hall
4	1B	Montevallo, Ken Terry Chevrolet
4	2	City Hall, Wilton
4	3A	Alabama Power Co. Office, Montevallo
4	3B	Alabama Power Co. Office, Montevallo
5		J.R. Martin Res., Bamford
6		City Hall, Helena
7	1	Saginaw, Camp Br. Civic Cent.
7	2A	Y Building, Siluria
7	2B	Y Building, Siluria
7	3	Alabaster City Hall
8	1	Chesser's Store,Chelsea
8	2	Chesser's Store,Chelsea
9	1	City Hall, Wilsonville
9	2	Blalock's Store, Wilsonville
10	1	City Hall,Harpersville
10	2	Arkwright, Thompson Service Sta.
11		Westover, Archer's Store
12		Community House, New Hope
13		Taff Sheet's Store, Bold Spr.
14		Vandiver, Watson Store
15		Sterrett, Legion Hut
16	1	City Hall, Vincent
16	2	Gas Board Office, Vincent
17	1A	Pelham, City Hall
17	1B	Pelham, City Hall
17	2	City Hall, Alabaster
18		Dunnavant School, Dunnavant
19	1	Union Hall, Maylene
20		Pea Ridge, Mayberry
21		Baird Groc. Ebenzer
Absentee Ballot		Office of Circuit Clerk
		Shelby Co. Court House
19	2	Dogwood School, Dogwood

By order of the Board of Revenue and Control of Shelby County, Alabama, on October 27, 1969.
s/ C. P. (Red) Walker
Sheriff of Shelby County,
Alabama
Oct. 30, Nov. 6, 13, 20, 1969 †111.

Legal Notice
Guardian's Settlement Notice
The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
Circuit Court of Shelby County, Alabama
Equity case No. 4544
This day came Inez Henry, Guardian of John L. Henry, a person of unsound mind, and files her account, vouchers, evidence and statement for partial settlement of his said Guardianship.
It is ordered that the 2nd day of December, 1969, at 10:00 A.M., and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 5th day of November, 1969.
s/ L. G. Fulton
Register of Circuit Court of Shelby County, Alabama
11-13,20,27, 1969 †116.

Estate of Rue M. Prince Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 17 day of October, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
s/Bobbie F. Prince
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Rue M. Prince, deceased
Nov. 6,13,20,1969 112† 1

Legal Notice
Guardian's Settlement Notice
The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
PROBATE COURT,
October 20, 1969
This day came Eunice Bailey Pickett, Guardian of Suzanne Pickett and files his account, vouchers, evidence and statement for guardian's settlement of his said Guardianship.
It is ordered that the 20 day of November, 1969, be, and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 20 day of October, 1969.
Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
Oct 30, Nov. 6,13, 1969 †106.

Notice of Election,Beat 12
Shelby County, Alabama
A petition filed by more than twentyfive electors who reside in Beat 12 and who own an interest in real estate in said Beat, having been filed in this office on 5 November 1969. Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in Beat 12, Shelby County, Alabama, on December 9, 1969, at which time the qualified electors in said Beat will vote on the question: "Do you wish the authority of the Shelby County Planning Commission, its master plan and the zoning regulations, heretofore prepared by said Commission to apply to Beat 12, Shelby County, Alabama?"
Said election is called pursuant to Act No. 816 of the Regular Session of the Legislature of the State of Alabama, 1965.
This the 10 day of November 1969.
Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate
Nov. 13,20,27,1969 †119.

Legal Notice
Estate of Lee Chancellor Deceased
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 28 day of October, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Elizabeth Chancellor Graham
Executrix of the Estate of Lee Chancellor, Deceased
11-6,13,20, 1969. †113.

LEGAL NOTICE
Ben-Tom Corporation hereby gives notice that they have completed contract with the State of Alabama for construction of Project I-65-1(81)182, I-65-2(29)188 in Autauga, Chilton and Shelby Counties and that the State has set the date for final settlement as November 15, 1969. All claims should be filed at our office, 1237 Dublin Road, Columbus, Ohio 43215, before date set for final settlement.
Ben-Tom Corporation
10-23,30, — 11-6,13,1969. †105.

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Would you believe that they migrate to Shelby County all the way from Mitchell Bay, Ontario, Canada.

We wouldn't know this fact if it had not been for one of Wilsonville's BB gun sharp shooters, Keith Wilder who lives out on Route 1, Wilsonville.

One afternoon in early February, Keith went hunting in the pasture behind his house and bagged a cowbird. He examined the bird and found a tag attached to the bird's leg.

John Jones, extension farm agent, assisted Keith in reporting the banded bird and recently they received information about the bird from the U. S. Department of Interior.

Keith's bird was banded near Mitchell Bay, Ontario, on July 16, 1967 by Dr. M. I. Dyer of Sandusky, Ohio. The bird was estimated to be two years old when banded.

According to the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the federal department which directs the bird banding operation, the band recoveries provide valuable information on migration routes, mortality and other subjects important in the conservation of migratory birds. Through banding of birds we learn many facts about the behaviour and life histories of over 800 kinds of North American birds, according to the U. S. Wildlife Service.

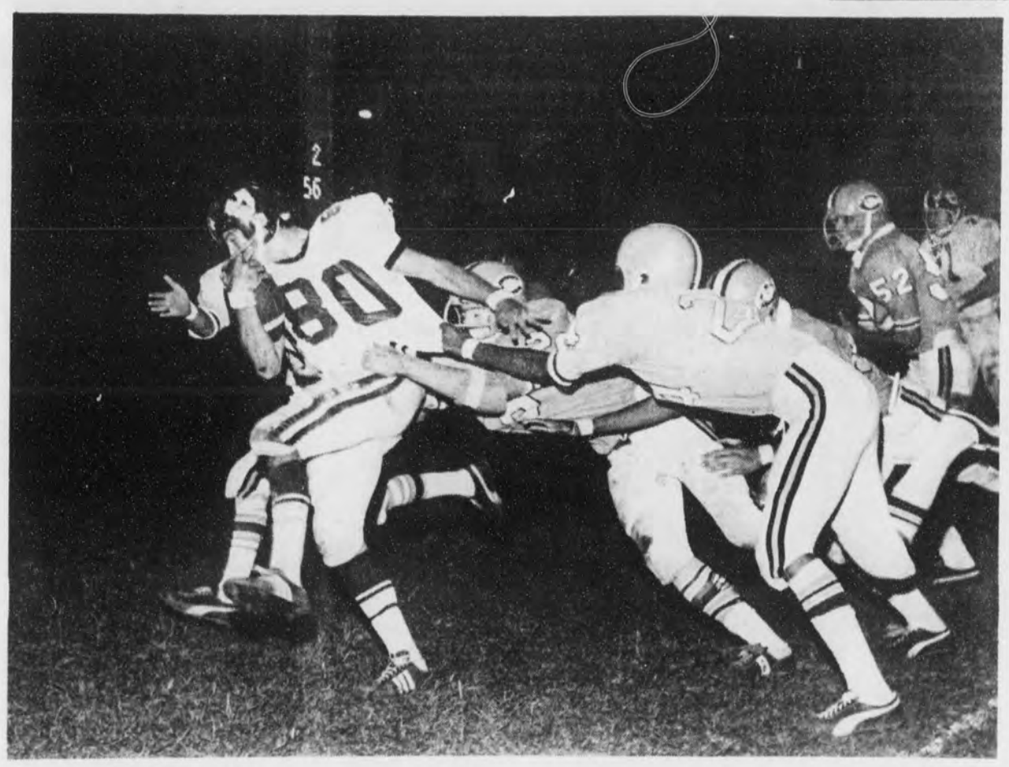
Many of the North American birds migrate as far as Siberia, Japan and Africa, recovered bands have indicated. One Pintail duck banded in Canada was taken in England 18 days later.

Banding has revealed that most birds live less than two years. However, a Caspian Tern was recovered 26 years after banding, a Blue Martin, 14 years and a Blue Jay and Chimney Swift, 13 years after banding. Several Mallards and Pintails have survived 20 years. Banding has indicated that Albatrosses continue to breed at an age of at least 30 years.

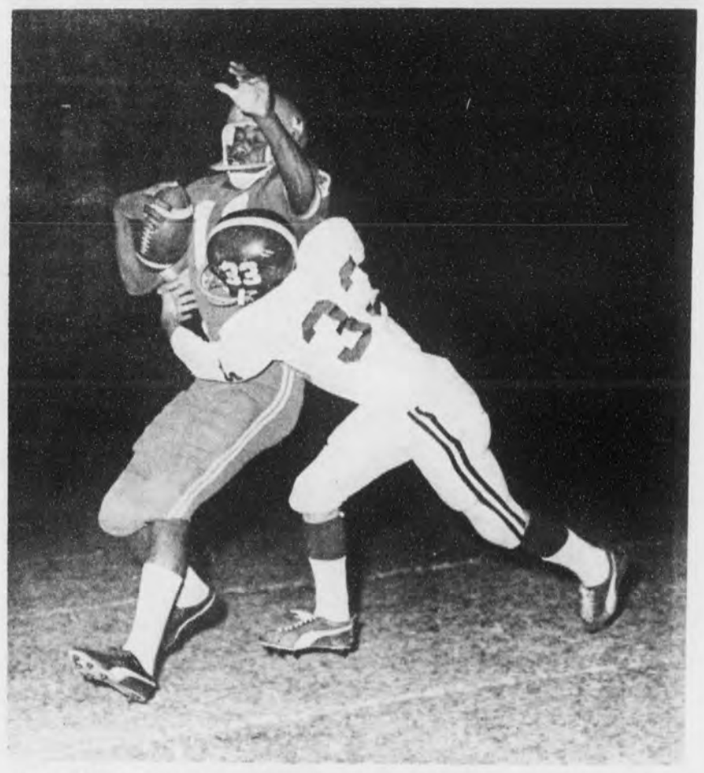
The wildlife service reports that over 19 million birds have been banded and a million or more are being added each year.

Keith's male Brown Head Cowbird is one of more than a million birds that have been recovered and being studied by the wildlife service.

Check your birds closely for bands and if you bag a banded bird, do as Keith did - - report it.



STRAINING FOR YARDAGE - - Shelby County High's Larry Bailey (80) stretches for that extra yard after moving deep into Calera territory. Calera's Rick Plaice hangs on to Bailey's waist as other Eagle defensemen move in to assist on the tackle. Shelby County High downed the Eagles, 26-0 in Calera Friday night. (Photo by Ed Blake)



WALTZING TOWARD SIDELINE - - An Oak Grove defensive halfback moves up to ride Montevallo Quarterback Anthony Staffney out of bounds. The Bulldogs came from behind to defeat Oak Grove, 15-14.

Wildcats, Bulldogs share county football crown

BY ED BLAKE

Shelby County High and Montevallo High locked horns in an 8-8 deadlock this football season and now as the season ends, both share the crown as county champions.

The Wildcats and the Bulldogs finished the county circuit with identical records of four wins and one tie. Vincent High finished in third place with a county record of three wins and two losses, both losses were issued the Yellow Jackets by Montevallo and Shelby County High.

Calera High completed the season against county opponents with a record of two wins and three losses. The Eagles earned the fourth place finish with victories from Thompson High and Chelsea High.

Thompson High of Siluria occupies the fifth position in the final county standings with a record of one win and four losses. Thompson defeated Chelsea for its lone win of the season.

Chelsea High went winless in the county action and finished sixth.

Shelby County High completed its 1969 season Friday night with a 26-0 win over Calera. The victory boosted the Wildcats' record to eight wins, one loss and one tie - - the best season record among the county teams.

Larry Ingram placed the Wildcats on the scoreboard first with a three yard run. The point after failed. Allen Barnes added a second touchdown on a 12-yard run and again the PAT failed.

Ingram scored again on a 30-yard run and Larry Bailey ran over for two additional points.

Larry Strickland scored the Wildcats' final touchdown of the season on a five-yard run. The PAT was not good.

Calera High will play at Maplesville Friday night to complete the Eagles' season. Calera now has a 3-6 record.

Montevallo came from behind in the final period to edge visiting Oak Grove, 15-14.

Oak Grove went ahead 8-0 on the final play of the first period, but the Bulldogs came back moments later with a touchdown and a two-pointer. Anthony Staffney scored the touchdown on a two-yard plunge and passed to Roger Bice for the two points.

Oak Grove regained the lead in the fourth period, but was unable to add the extra points. With six minutes remaining, Montevallo's Roy Goggins scored from the seven to tie the score at 14-14. Goggins kicked the extra point for the winning margin. Montevallo finished the season with a 7-2-1 record.

A 28-0 win over Jemison boosted Vincent High's record to 8-2 for the season. Paul Partridge scored first for Vincent on a 20-yard run. Terry Johnson scored the second tally on a 60-yard dash. Ricky Vick passed to Ricky Berryhill for the points after.

Harold Garrett passed to Ruben Riggins for another touchdown. Garrett kicked the extra point. Gary Clinkscale brought in the Jackets' final touchdown on a 10-yard run. Garrett again kicked the extra point.

In other games involving county teams, Winterboro defeated Chelsea, 36-0 and Pell City downed Thompson, 35-6.

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Elected by the freshman class, Miss Jacobs is a graduate of LaFayette High School. She is following a major program in liberal arts at Lipscomb.

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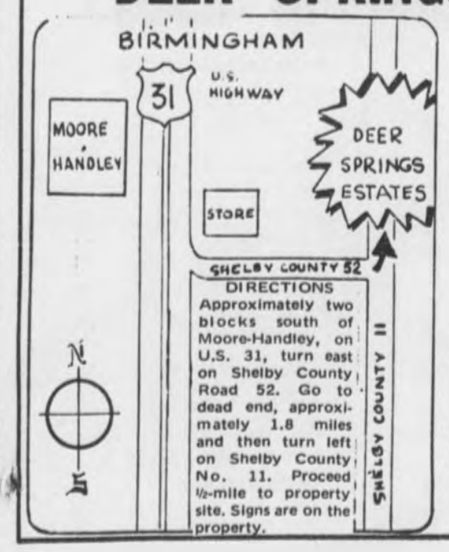

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Westover plans subdivision

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

Plans for a subdivision in the Westover area are in the making, with two homes already completed and sold. Mr. Roy Grantham, a local building contractor has bought about 40 acres of land on Highway 280 West and plans to build 40 or 42 houses in this area. These homes are to be government financed.

Mrs. Bonnie Legacy has recently moved into the home which she bought, and Mr. Earl Littlefield, a policeman of Homewood, has bought the other home. He is just waiting for water connections to be made before he moves in.

We are all proud of this step forward which Mr. Grantham has taken, as he has already built several homes in this area, and we know that they are assets to our community. I think that all of our citizens should take for their slogan, "Watch us Grow", and work toward that goal.

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On last Thursday November 6, six very fine and ladies met in the home of Mrs. Frank Walton to celebrate a birthday. All of these ladies are sisters and are the daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ray. The day set for this get-to-gether was the birthday of the eldest sister, Mrs. Mamie Green, who came from her home in Fultondale. Other sisters present were: Mrs. Sadie Walton, Mrs. Janie Green, Miss Lucile Ray, Mrs. Ruby Gowers, and Mrs. Ollie Bowman. I don't know about their respective ages, but I got the word that there were 79 candles on the cake.

Four generations of Mrs. Mamie Green were present. They were Mrs. Green, Mrs. Mavis Tennyson, Mrs. Sandra Champion, and little Miss Tena Champion.

Among the other guests were Mrs. Effie Hughes, of Birmingham, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruton Bentley, of Chelsea. There were 14 adults and 9 children present for this gathering. Just whom should be designated as hostess or hostesses, I don't know, but I think all would agree that either of these ladies could easily assume this role.

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Mrs. James D. Wright, the former Beth Lee was the honoree at a miscellaneous shower last Friday night, at Mt. Signal Church. The center table was tastefully decorated with a punch bowl filled with lime ice, surrounded with purple mums. Many useful and attractive gifts were received and opened by Mrs. Wright. Several interesting games were enjoyed.

The hostesses for this occasion were Mrs. Alma Burton, Mrs. Louise Wilder, and Mrs. Madi Walton.

James Wright was called into service shortly after his marriage, and is stationed at Fort Bragg, N.C. He is a member of the Green Beret Division of the Army Reserve

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Guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Robert Lee last Friday evening for a dinner party were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. South, and Bonnie South; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gamble, and Susan Gamble; and Mrs. Paul McCool, all of Pleasant Grove; Mrs. Garry Mabrey, of Hueytown; Mrs. Robbie South, and Robin South, of Birmingham; and Mrs. Jerry South of Fairfield.

OBITUARY
Claude Thomas Allen

Mr. Claude Thomas Allen, 66, of Rt.1, Siluria died on Nov. 4.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Frances H. Allen, three sons, Thomas M. Allen, James E. Allen and Cecil L. Allen, all of Alabaster; two daughters, Mrs. E. G. Farlow of Columbus, O., Mrs. O. B. Davis of Alabaster; ten grandchildren, four sisters and three brothers.

Funeral services were held at the Central Methodist Church in Siluria with interment in Jefferson Memorial Gardens South.

Rev. John Wallace officiated.

OBITUARY
Mrs. Dolly Rasco

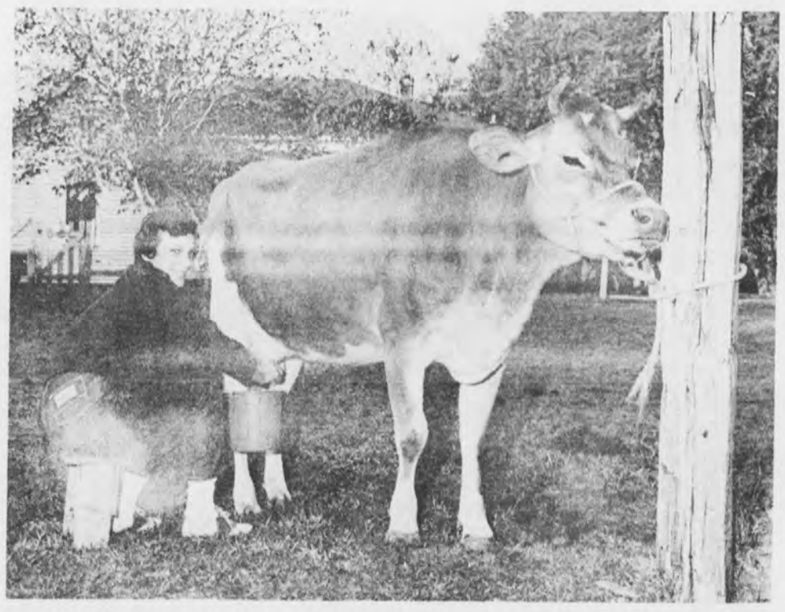
Mrs. Dolly Rasco died at a nursing home in Birmingham last Thursday, November 6. Mrs. Rasco was a native of Lincoln, but had lived most of her life around Harpersville and Westover. She is survived by two sons, Barney Brown, of Memphis, Tenn., and Leonard Rasco, of Birmingham; one daughter, Mrs. Mary Cassels, of Birmingham; three grandchildren; and eight greatgrand children. Three brothers, Wheeler and Herschel Gwin, of Westover, and Grover Gwin, of Wilsonville; and one sister, Mrs. Jessie Wyatt, of Pell City.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. J. C. Crim, at the Union Methodist Church, with burial in the Union Cemetery.

DAR to meet in Montevallo

The DAR will meet Monday, Nov. 17 at 7:30 p.m. at the student center, University of Montevallo. Guest speaker will be Dr. James Folsom, director of Veterans Hospital, Tuscaloosa.

This is an open meeting which the local DAR chapter has invited the Shelby County Mental Health, Veterans Organizations and Veterans Auxiliaries to co-sponsor. The public is cordially invited, according to Mrs. Sara Redfield of Saginaw, publicity chairman.



SHADES OF YESTERYEAR - - Marsha Lefkovtis of Columbiana finds her 4-H project more work than usual these days. When the cow gave birth, she tried to find someone who wanted to milk the cow and keep the milk. Nobody seemed interested so she has the job twice a day now after the calf gets his fill. She has even churned butter, just like in the good old days.

1969 Census of Agriculture available first of December

Information about the 1969 Census of Agriculture is expected to be available in all county ASCS Offices by December 1, according to H. C. McDanal, Chairman, County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

Mr. McDanal said in late November the Bureau of Census in Washington will send to all county ASCS offices an information packet containing a reference handbook, and introductory letter, and a sample questionnaire. Information in the packet will help county office employees answer questions from farmers about the Agricultural Census.

The Chairman said farmers will receive the 1969 Agricultural Census questionnaire by mail on or about January 1, 1970. The Questionnaire should be filled out and mailed back to the Census Bureau not later than February 15.

Chairman McDanal said farmer cooperation in this census is very important because decisions that will lead to improved farm programs must be based on reliable facts and those facts can only be obtained through a nationwide census of all farms and ranches.

Spaghetti dinner in Alabaster

Alabaster Chapter OES, Alabaster will serve their annual spaghetti dinner Friday, Nov. 14th at the Masonic Hall in Alabaster.

Serving time will be 11:00 A.M. – 1:30 and 5:00 - 7:00 P.M. A small charge will be made. Plates will be delivered if so desired.

Louise Hoskins, Secretary, urges everyone to attend and enjoy good food and fellowship.

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Health, medical care costs continue to climb at high rate

By Edmund R. Beckwith,Jr.

Our **National expenditures** for health and medical care continue to clinb at a rate more than 12 percent and the total now tops $50 billion a year. The biggest parts are hospital costs which account for 42 percent of the total and physicians' fees which make up 23 percent. Less important are the other factors: dental care, eye glasses, drugs, nursing home care and appliances. These amount to the remaining 35 percent of the total.

Crux of the hospital problem is a daily cost per patient above $56 on the average and beyond $100 a day in some institutions. Greatest savings will come either from keeping people out of the hospital altogether or from **earlier discharge**. The question revolves around how to do either of these without decreasing the quality of care. On both, there are encouraging developments:

Blue Cross is giving close study to the provision of **diagnostic services** without the need to admit the patient to the hospital. A balance has to be found between savings from keeping the patient out of bed versus a possible increase in demand for diagnostic services.

As usual, the physician will make the decision on amount of service demanded and can make or break the success of the proposal. If only one person in fifty could be handled as an **outpatient**, hospital admissions would be decreased more than half a million a year and more than $50 million could be saved.

Even more dramatic, current studies indicate that nearly one-sixth of hospital patients are medically dischargable on any given day but are not sent home because there is no one to tend to the usual chores of fixing the meals and keeping the household running. At hourly rates of $2.50 for a homemaker, an eight-hour day costs $20 against the $56 hospital day. A national saving of $4 million a day is available with the bonus of creating more than 200,000 paying jobs for both men and women if **homemaker services** were increased.

Against the hospital daily average cost of $56 a day, nursing home care is just under half as much. While there has been a boom in **nursing home construction**, the nation appears still about 175,000 beds short of its need. If these could be built at maximum speed, a daily saving of more than $4 million could be made.

The federal government has just ordered that patients hospitalized under **government programs** be rechecked for the possibility of discharge two days earlier than has been the case. A potential saving of nearly 15 percent exists in relation to patients covered by these programs.

To be able to send patients home with reasonable homemaking services available and to release patients a day or two earlier would take some of the heat off the need to build new beds which are expected to cost more than $50,000 each before 1975.

Two other straightforward efforts are being made that would further reduce the demand for hospital care:

Last year, there were more than 71,500 children under five years of age involved in **accidental poisonings.** Drug products, cleaning agents, paint products and pesticides were the most frequently involved agents. Most of the 71,500 children wound up in hospitals for varying lengths of time. Study in Tacoma, Washington, showed that by putting safety closures on drug products the accident rate was reduced from 58 poisonings among 12,000 children to only 5 among a slightly larger number.

And, efforts to involve some 40 million children in vaccination against **German measeles** may reduce the demand for medical care. In the epidemic of 1964–65, there were more than 12.5 million cases of that disease. These led to 5,000 therapeutic abortions; 20,000 infants suffering some type of congenital effect; 2,000 infant deaths; the financial cost was more than $1 billion.

The overall prospect is that we have many different means to make substantial reductions in hospital **costs** without reducing the **quality** of care for those who need it.

OBITUARY

Mildred E. Kimbrough

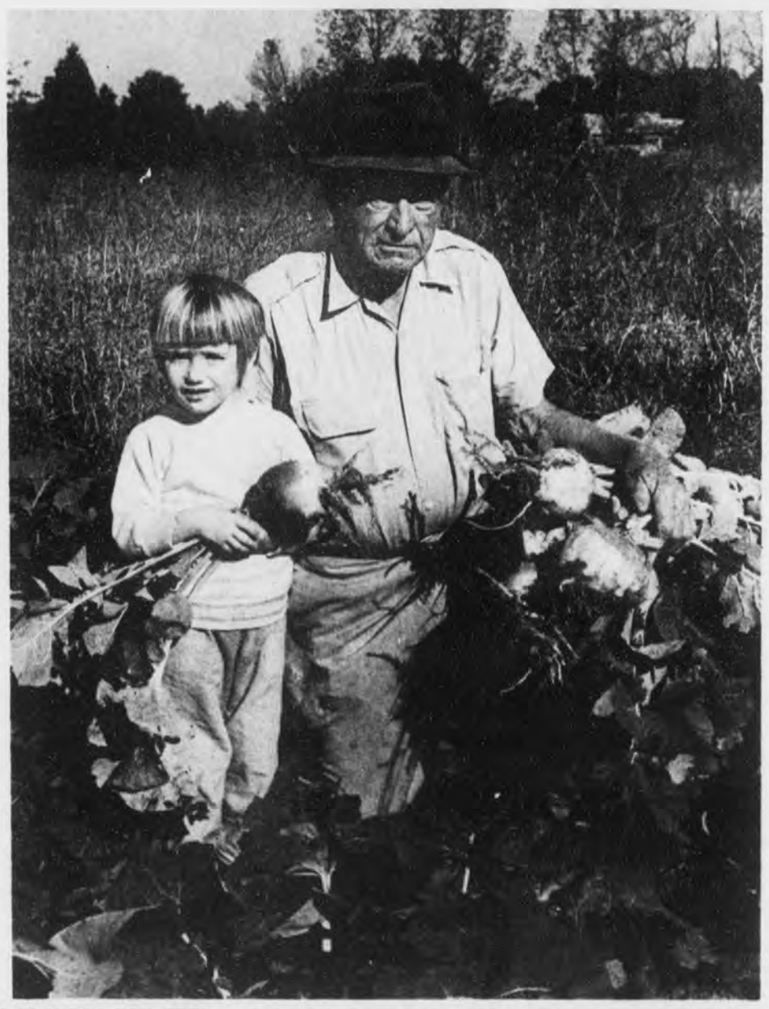
Mrs. Mildred E. Kimbrough, 67, of Montevallo, died October 31 at South Highlands Infirmary in Birmingham.

A native of Wilcox County, Mrs. Kimbrough lived in Selma for 24 years before moving to Montevallo in August of 1968.

Mrs. Kimbrough was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Montevallo, the WSCS and the Eastern Star.

Survivors include four daughters: Mrs. J. Agee Kelly, Montevallo; Mrs. J. Carroll Phillips, Mobile; Mrs. Benny Sumrall, Houston, Texas; and Mrs. Eugene Esco, Lake City, Florida. She is also survived by one son, Franklin D. Kimbrough, Jr., of Foley, Alabama; three sisters, two brothers, twelve grandchildren and seven great- grandchildren.

The social security office nearest you has free pamphlets and publications for your information.



GARDENING FOR FUN - - Jack Vick, Four Mile, and his great grand-daughter Karen Johnson display a bunch of rutabagas taken from his garden. Jack is retired and is now gardening for the fun of it, but he has found gardening to be profitable as well as enjoyable. He has a one acre garden in collards, turnip greens, rutabagas, mustard and onions from which he is now selling. Karen is the daughter of Edwin and Patsy Johnson, Wilsonville. (Photo by John E. Jones)

County Council of PTA's to hear talk on adolescence

The County Council of P T A's will hold its regular meeting Tuesday Night November 18th, 7:00 p.m. at Calera High School. The guest speaker, Dr. D.G. Harris, Professor of Psychology, Livingston University will speak on adolescence. Dr. Harris is an outstanding educator, speaker and an authority in applied psychology.

Other distinguished visitors will be Mrs. Edwin Griffis, first vice- president of the Alabama Congress of PTA's and Mrs. Henry Shaffner, director of district five.

Mr. Herman Moore, Council President invites all parents and interested parties to attend this meeting and hear Dr. Harris. Thos attending are assured of an evening of informed discussion beneficial to all.

Despite the increasing need for household workers, the number of people so cmployed has dropped from 1.9 million in 1960 to less than 1.7 million in 1968. To satisfy the need for more household workers, the U. S. Department of Labor is conducting experimental projects in seven cities to determine if the field of household employment can be upgraded sufficiently to make a more attractive occupation.

Doctor in the Kitchen®

by Laurence M. Hursh, M.D.
Consultant, National Dairy Council

SOUR CREAM

Sour Cream — today's most sophisticated dairy food — originated, as far as I can determine, in Central Europe. Old World, hard working people, particularly in the Slavic nations, loved sour cream. But the product decades ago was admittedly a sturdier delicacy.

Nowadays, the sour cream that has swept American in popularity is a lower fat product than the old, and velvety smooth, dependable and glamorous. Today's dairy sour cream (and in many markets, a new product called sour half-and-half is also available) appeals to homemakers, career girls and masculine chefs alike. It is enjoyed at home and also is one of the delicacies of eating out. What business man, after all, has not almost regularly had sour cream on his baked potato.

Other Uses

Well, sour cream is also delicious floating on chilled tomato juice, or as a topping on chocolate ice cream. It also graces salads and adds tang to meats, fish, gravies and as an ingredient in pies and fruit dishes. It is, in fact, hard to find a food with which sour cream won't go.

Now for some details: Sour cream is not something that just happened to sour and is left over. It is specifically processed from sweet table cream. Its flavor is specifically controlled and you can depend upon it to taste the same each time you use it. Your great grandmother's sour cream, by contrast, was cream that simply was allowed to sour and its flavor was never the same twice, and not always good.

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Thus today's sour cream is a tribute to dairy technology — a dependable product. As for calories, sour cream qualifies as a low fat product. It does well indeed when compared to other foods used similarly. Sour cream is only 30 calories per tablespoon whereas salad oil is 125, salad dressing 65, french dressing 60, and whipped cream 55. Sour half-and-half (which is still lower fat) is only 22 calories per tablespoon.

What about yogurt which steadily increases in popularity? Well, it can be used similarly to sour cream as a topping or a dip. And if you stick to plain yogurt, rather than the flavored kind, you can save even more calories per cup. Plain yogurt made from partially skim milk (read your labels) is 112 calories per cup. Yogurt made with whole milk is 140 calories per cup.

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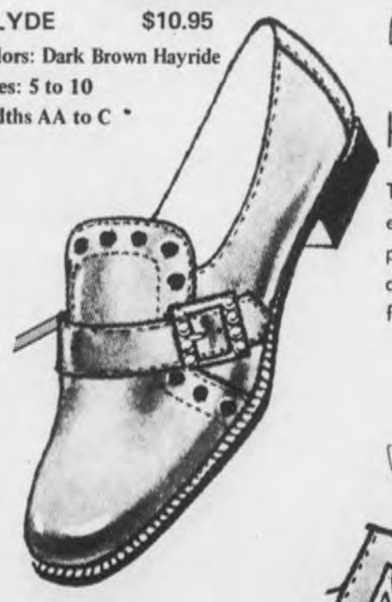

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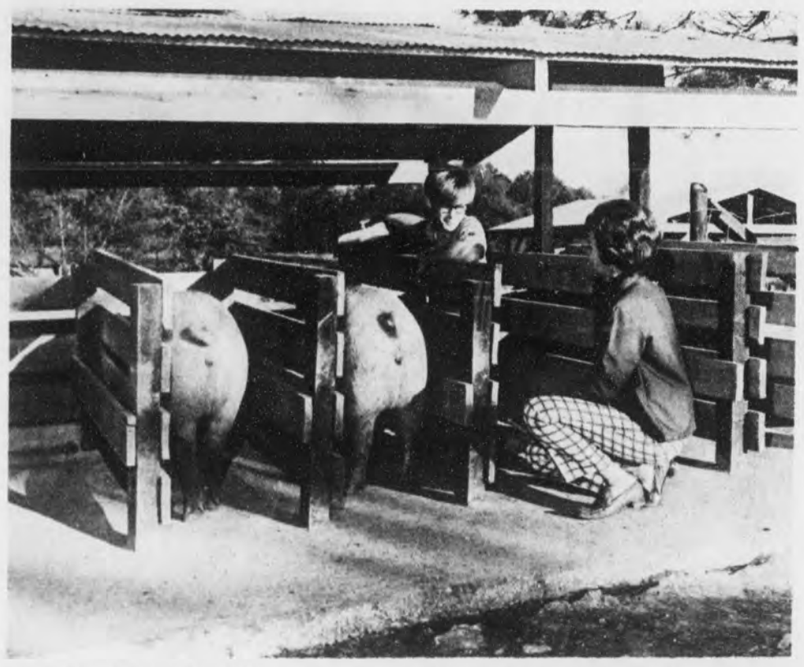

PRIVATE DINING ROOMS - - Each sow has her own place to eat at Mrs. Tera Mae Baker's farm near Harpersville. Feed is poured in measured amounts so the hogs get the prescribed amount every day and won't get too fat. Note the concrete floor for easy cleaning.

ADJUSTING CHUTE - - Mrs. Baker and her son Tony adjust the chute from their modern hog barn to load the hogs for market. The barn floor is made of slats. All refuse from the hogs falls through the slats into a lagoon which extends the length and width of the barn.

...Hog production fast growing enterprise

By Joel Thompson
Extension Farm Agent

One of the fastest growing enterprises in Shelby County today is the hog business. There are more pure-bred breeders, feeder pig producers and farmers producing top hogs than ever before. As farmers continue to increase in the hog business, more and more hogs are produced on concrete floors and on slatted floors. Concrete slats spaced one inch apart are used as the floor and are constructed directly over a lagoon. Droppings and waste fall through the one inch spacing in the floor to the lagoon below, eliminating labor needed for cleaning a concrete or wooden floor. A better insect and disease control program can be maintained on this type of operation, also.

A good example of this modern and up-to-date top hog operation is that of Mrs. Tera Lee Baker and her two sons, of Harpersville. About one year ago Mrs. Baker got interested in the hog business, and studied all phases of the hog finishing business. She decided to go with the slatted floor program after this study.

Mrs. Baker constructed 20 slatted floor pens 16'x20' that would provide her with a capacity to grow out 400 top hogs at one time. She has put one batch of hogs through the finishing lot and has refilled most of it for a second time.

Mrs. Baker and the sons are very pleased with the operation up until now. They say that the slatted floor saves them a lot of time and that she and the boys have enjoyed the new venture.

Mrs. Baker buys her pigs at the feeder pig sale in Clanton each month. The next regular sale will be held November 20 at the sale barn in Clanton.

Any farm with pigs for sale on this date should contact the County Agent's office at 669-6313 or 669-6631 this week if you have not already done so.

Farm interest rates land banks' concern

"With credit being one of the farmers most significant cost items today, we are doing everything possible to hold down interest rates on long term Land Bank loans."

This was the statement of Warner L. Burner, Vice Pres. of the Federal Land Bank with the officers and directors of the Federal Land Bank Association of Gadsden. He said, "The Primary purpose of the Land Bank is to provide farmers with the credit they need on terms suited to those needs and at the lowest possible cost consistent with sound business practices."

Mr. Bruner added that the Land Bank's source of loan funds is from the sale of bonds in the nation's financial centers and that the latest issue cost over 8½ percent.

"With the average cost of loan funds to the Bank higher than the average interest being received on loans, the wisdom of building reserves is paying off for farmers who are borrowing on mortgage security."

The Federal Land Bank Association of Gadsden has over $7,300,000.00 in loans outstanding and serves Calhoun, Cherokee, Clay, Cleburne, Coosa, Etowah, Randolph, Shelby, St. Clair, and Talladega Counties.

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County farmers wage warfare on boll weevil population

The county's boll weevil population will be hard-pressed to make it through the winter. Three times last month all the cotton fields in the county were sprayed with guthion from airplanes.

Farm Extension Agent Joel Thompson told the Reporter the program is called "dipause weevil control." The idea is to kill the vegetation the boll weevil usually feeds on before he goes into hibernation for the winter. By spraying three times at intervals just before frost, the boll weevil, in theory, connot find enough to eat to last him through the winter.

St. Clair and Talladega Counties carried on the spray program at the same time, to prevent healthy boll weevils from crossing county lines next spring.

Thompson said every cotton farmer in Shelby County participated in the program, which was supervised by W. M. Clark and Thompson of the county extension office and by federal and state officials who supervised for contamination.

There are approximately 90 farm families who still raise cotton in the county, although the vast majority of the acreage is planted by only a few farmers. The farmers paid for the spray program themselves, Thompson said.

One advantage of the program is that it will delay the first poison spraying next spring. Thompson said that he hopes the guthion program will be repeated for the next two years. By that time, he predicts the boll weevil will be a rarity in the county.

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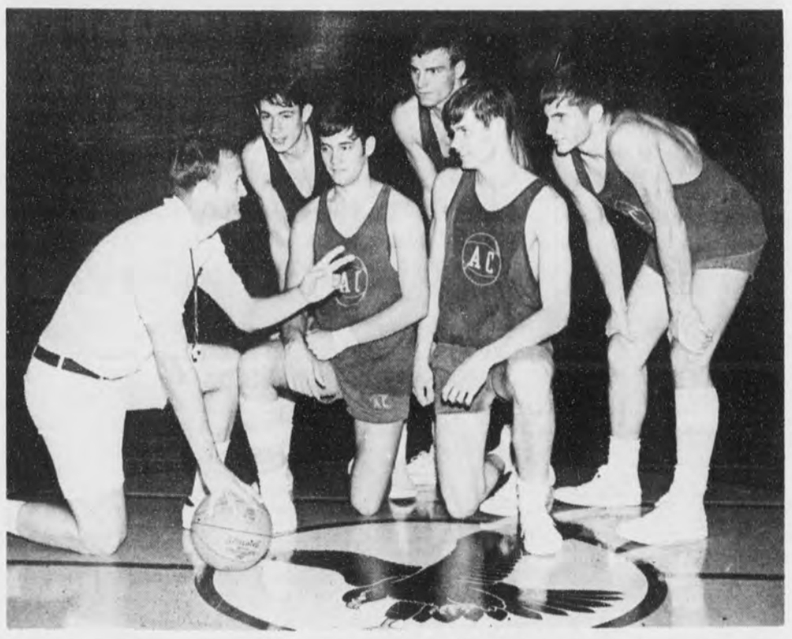
University of Montevallo basketball team launches 22-game schedule Saturday night



FALCON FROSH - - University of Montevallo basketball coach Bill Jones (left) gives Falcon freshmen some hardcourt basics prior to the Saturday night season opener against Columbus College in Montevallo. First-year players are: (l-r,front), Howard von Hagel, Birmingham; Bill Good, Oregon, Ill.; (standing), Steve Cowart, Huntsville; Dave Conway, Thorsby; and Larry Lough, Gadsden. (U of M Sports Photo)

Short on experience, medium on heighth and long on spirit - - that's the pre-season assessment of Coach Bill Jones' 1969-70 basketball squad at the University of Montevallo.

The Falcons launch a 22-game schedule Saturday night, Nov. 15, in a home stand against rugged Columbus College of Georgia.

It will be the initial outing for a Falcon squad with Jones at the helm. The former Marion Military Institute coach joined the staff at Montevallo last year and was promoted to the head coaching slot earlier this year.

Graduation cut into the Falcon ranks, leaving Jones with only three returning lettermen - - seniors Bill Roundtree (6-6), Wetumpka; Larry Long (6-1), Anniston; and Capt. Herman Watts (6-4), Union Springs.

With this threesome, eight transfer players with court experience and five "fast-maturing freshmen," the Falcon mentor is enthusiastic about the upcoming season.

"We're looking pretty good in practice at this point," Jones said, adding that his team is "in good physical condition with only a few minor injuries to be cleared-up."

He said his '69 Falcons have "the greatest enthusiasm I've seen since I've been coaching."

"The returning lettermen are looking good, they knew we were expecting leadership from them, and we're getting it - - in fact, we're getting it from all our seniors," Jones declared.

"We feel confident that the players will make the grade academically - - " this vital part of the game being on most coaches' minds now as mid-semester grades draw near.

"You never really know until grades are out, but we're keeping a close check and we've got a bunch of good students helping and encouraging each other along."

Commenting on individual players, Jones cited senior forward Al O'Brien (6-4) of Chicago as probably the best athlete at Montevallo.

"He's smart, and he has amazing 'get-away' speed on the fast break," Jones said. He noted that the former Tulane player "gets the job done and is one of the seniors providing real leadership because of his maturity."

Jones had a good word also for a trio of juniors - - forwards Jim Golden (6-5), Ozark; James Hobbs (6-6), Athens; and guard Mike Newell (6-1), Hueytown. Golden [illegible] boards well, Jones said, and Hobbs is a good team man who moves [illegible] well with speed. Newell's strong suit is the outside shot - - he has been hitting consistently [illegible] feet out.

All three are transfer students: Golden from Enterprise Jr. College, Hobbs from Cal Tech in Pasadena, and Newell from Auburn U.

Other junior college players Jones is counting on in the coming campaign are guard Lonnie Edwards (6-1), Starkville, Miss.; Jim Clark (6-1), Ohatchee; Eddie [illegible] (6-1), Sprott, and [illegible] Hansell Gunn [illegible] Point, Miss.

Yet another transfer student Jones is expecting [illegible] Falcons along [illegible] (6-4), who came to Montevallo from Birmingham [illegible] University of South Alabama.

Described by Jones as the "best 'take-charge' guard I have ever seen," Tunnaway will not be eligible to play until the second semester, according to Alabama Collegiate Conference rules.

Jones' freshman crew includes guard Larry Leach (6-2), Gadsden; forwards Howard von Hagel (6-4), Birmingham; Dave Conway (6-5), Thorsby; Steve Cowart (6-4), Huntsville; and [illegible] Bill Good (6-8), Oregon, Ill.

The Falcon coach said his freshman squad is progressing nicely - - - "They haven't 'proved' yet but they will, probably this year if they continue to mature at their present pace."

As for chances for a winning season, Jones said much will depend on how his Falcons can perform on the backboards.

"We're short, as conference competition goes, and that means we simply have to work harder to come up with the rebounds," he said. He sends his charges through rigorous drills regularly in an effort to make up the heighth difference with his competition.

This year's schedule includes matches with the seven other Alabama Collegiate Conference teams, plus nonconference tilts with Columbus, LaGrange, Birmingham-Southern, and a new opponent this year - - Tennessee Temple of Chattanooga. All games are on a home-and-home basis.

In addition to regular season play the Falcons will appear in the Hubbard Classic at Bremen, Ga., on Dec. 19-20, and in the ACC tournament Feb. 19-20-21 in Montgomery.

Falcon home games will be played in Myrick Hall on the Montevallo campus, with a 7:30 p.m. tipoff time.

The season home schedule is: Nov. 15, Columbus College; Nov. 24, Birmingham-Southern; Dec. 2, Jacksonville State; Dec. 6, Livingston State; Dec. 13, Troy State; Dec. 16, Athens College.

Jan. 10, St. Bernard College; Jan. 13, Florence State; Jan. 24, LaGrange College; Feb. 7, Tennessee Temple; Feb. 10, Huntingdon College.

Road games are: Nov. 18, Tennessee Temple; Nov. 22, LaGrange College; Dec. 10, St. Bernard College; Jan. 8, Athens College; Jan. 17, Jacksonville State; Jan. 19, Columbus College; Jan. 31, Florence State; Feb. 3, Livingston State; Feb. 5, Huntingdon; Feb. 12, Birmingham-Southern; Feb. 14, Troy State.

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Shelby County Health Dept.
BIRTHS
September 1969

Girls

Mr. and Mrs.
Jerry C. Blaine — Montevallo
Fate Bryant — Columbiana
James E. Bussell — Siluria
Jasper W. Carden — Shelby
Charles H. Champion — Harpersville
Rubin W. Cobb — Jemison
James A. Cohill — Siluria
James L. Creel — Centreville
Gary C. Crowson — Columbiana
John Devould — Wilton
James E. Hall — Alabaster
John L. Hancock, Jr. — Siluria
Clayde D. Hughes — Calera
Vernie Dwight Joyner — Calera
Jimmy D. Thompson — Pelham
George F. White — Siluria
Jesse C. Whitfield — Columbiana

Boys

Mr. and Mrs.
Lester M. Atkisson — Birmingham
Floyd E. Boothe — Alabaster
Royth Chancellor — Wilsonville
Eugene E. Darden — Aldrich
James D. Davis — Sterrett
Johnnie P. Glass — Calera
Roger Dale Hamm — Harpersville
Edward Isbell — Siluria
Jimmie L. Jordan Sr. — Wilsonville
Richard M. Lowery — Columbiana
Thomas R. Poe — Columbiana
Billy Ray Ross — Calera
Grady Scott — Siluria
Raymond Smith Jr. — Calera
John T. Smith, Jr. — Calera
Alvin Earl Swift — Alabaster
T. J. Wakefield — Calera
D. C. Wood — Columbiana

DEATHS
September, 1969.

Allbritton, Jack C. — Mt. Olive
Crane, Olivia J. — Chelsea
Crocker, James I. — Birmingham
Fulmer, Robert F. — Birmingham
Isbell, Sammie M. — Leeds
Keef, Gerald — Birmingham
Roberts, John H. — Uniontown
Trott, Houston — Leeds

October 1969
BIRTHS

Girls

Mr. and Mrs.
Herbert E. Allred — Harpersville
Abraham Davis,Jr. — Columbiana
James T. Hall — Saginaw
Anderson E. Hamrick, Jr. — Helena
Ronnie J. Jones — Columbiana
Larry Wayne Jones — Siluria
Arvin V. Jones — Leeds
Joe H. Littleton — Saginaw
Bobby J. Lucas — Columbiana
Keith R. Mims — Randolph
Charles E. Williams — Brierfield
Larry E. Wyatt — Bessemer

Boys

Clarence D. Bearden — Wilton
J. Edwin Blake — Montevallo
Louis John Campo — Montevallo
Wafford Britton Carden — Calera
Willie F. Datcher — Harpersville
Charles E. Gaddis — Maplesville
Mose Wesley Gaiters — Saginaw
Earnest E. Glass — Calera
John C. Hughes — Montevallo
James F. Jackson — Randolph
Larry Johnson — Wilsonville
Ronald R. Kirchner — Alabaster
Jessie H. Lovett — Siluria
Clyde Marlon Mills — Alabaster
Floyd McCord — Montevallo
Joel Neuman — Siluria
Dale Monroe Payton — Alabster
Kenneth R. Pickett — Wilsonville
Sherill Wayne Ramsey — Wilton
William Swift — Alabaster
Ocie L. Tanniehill — Alabaster
Bobby Eugene Wyatt — Calera

October 1969
DEATHS

Allen, Wiley — Marvel
Braddock, Sarah E. — Columbiana
Brasher, Grace — Siluria
Coston, Baby Boy — Siluria
Culver, Byrd N. — Calera
Davis, Manning — Wilsonville
Edmonson, Gladys — Columbiana
Gardner, William L. — Columbiana
Glasscock, Arthur V. — Shelby
Kelley, Henry — Harpersville
Killingsworth, Louise G. — Montevallo
Martin, Hezkiah — Alabaster
McCuller, Arnold — Columbiana
Moore, Manley Vann — Leeds
Nannini, Marie — Marvel
Olderson, Della T. — Birmingham
Pearson, William A. — Bessemer
Underwood, Paschel H. — Montevallo
Walker, Joseph Elam — Alabaster
Wallace, Earnest C. — Vincent
Wells, Lewis A. — Shelby
Williams, Daisy S. — Montevallo

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

In first order of importance, I just tell you that the beautiful imported calendars from Sormani are in. Those of you who have been waiting for them will want to get by soon to make your selection, for they will go fast. We added a few Advent Kalendars this year, which of course, you will need to have before December first; they are utterly fascinating! Included in Christmas stock at the Falcon Book Store in Montevallo will be Kathryn Windham's new book - - "13 Alabama Ghosts and Jeffrey"; we shall also have "Alabama Heritage" with special Christmas pricing. New things arrive daily, so come in soon and often.

CAHABA VALLEY SPONSORS NEW CLUB - - (L to R) Pres. Glenn Norman of Green Valley-Hoover Club accepts club banner from Pres. Orbie Mays of the sponsoring Cahaba Valley Civitan Club.

Cahaba Valley Club serves as sponsor

Civitans from clubs throughout the Alabama Central District welcomed the new Green Valley-Hoover Club members into a greater fellowship and community service opportunity Monday night, Nov 3, at Berry High School.

The speaker for the banquet ladies night event was Frank Bulgarella, director of club development, Civitan International.

The new club is sponsored by the Cahaba Valley Club of Shelby County led by President Orbie Mays. He was assisted by district extension chairman Howard Seale and Lt. Governor F. E. Leonard, Sr.

Rudolph Hubbard, Exec. Sec., Civitan International Vice-Pres. Curtis Hunt of Huntsville and immediate past Dist. Gov. Bob Maxwell were on hand for the festivities.

Mrs. Peeples

Mrs. Peggy Peeples, employed by the Bethea Corporation in Pelham is making arrangements to join her husband, who is in the service in Germany.

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Seaborg on Science

The Experimental City

By Glenn T. Seaborg, *Chairman*
U. S. Atomic Energy Commission

Think of a city where there are never any traffic jams, where there is no pollution or smog, where public facilities for shopping, education and recreation are easily accessible and uncrowded and where all citizens enjoy the most modern housing conditions and personal conveniences. These are only a few of the goals of a group of farsighted men who have conceived, and are planning to construct America's first "Experimental City."

Dr. Seaborg

Among those innovations planned for the Experimental City is a transportation system that would eliminate all automobiles within the city limits. Inner-city travel would be by motorless, driverless, noiseless, semi-private pods computer-controlled so passengers would travel non-stop to their destinations. Moving sidewalks, moving platforms and other wheelless systems may also be part of the fare-free system.

The Experimental City would be made pollution-free by utility tunnels carrying away liquid and gaseous wastes, as well as many solids, to processing plants where much of the material would be reclaimed.

All the latest communications technologies would be designed and built into the city, its substructure wired with coaxial cables to every point where an outlet for video-phones, computers, facsimile machines or any other electric or electronic utilities might be needed.

A large portion of the Experimental City—perhaps an area two miles in diameter—might be domed and climate-controlled.

Housing design and construction would take advantage of many innovations from that of inflatable buildings to modular construction and structures with adjustable walls, floors and ceilings.

Perhaps the most important idea in the conception of the Experimental City is that it will be planned and built with human needs as paramount considerations.

LAST GAME OF SEASON - - Football fans from Columbiana watch their Shelby County High School team in the final game of the Wildcats' season. The Wildcats downed the Calera Eagles 26-0 to wrap up an impressive season of eight wins, one loss and one tie. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

County health department tests heaters for carbon monoxide

Carbon monoxide from unvented or improperly vented gas appliances can cause illness and death. Are your heaters spewing forth this potentially deadly gas?

Frank Sloan of the Shelby County Health Department says there are probably several thousand homes in the county in which this is happening, and urges people to take advantage of a testing service offered by the Health Department.

Sloan said that tests made in previous years showed that about 50% of all appliances tested were emitting carbon monoxide, many in very dangerous amounts.

While unvented space heaters and improperly vented heaters are the appliances principally involved, almost anything which burns fuel can produce carbon monoxide, including coal stoves and furnaces, oil burning appliances, and charcoal grills. Complete venting of unburned gases to the outside is the only way to remove the hazard.

Carbon monoxide is colorless, odorless, and tasteless, which are some of the reasons why it is so dangerous, and special devices are needed to detect it. **The Shelby County Health Department is one of the few county health departments in Alabama which has such testing equipment.**

Persons wishing to have their homes tested may call the Health Center, Columbiana, 669-2171. There is no charge for this service.

University of Montevallo hosts novice debate tournament

Twenty five novice debate teams from six southern states will gather on the campus of the University of Montevallo this weekend to participate in the seventh annual UM Novice Debate Tournament.

Mrs. Sally Rigsby a member of the speech department faculty at UM and tournament director has indicated that more than 100 individual debaters will be present for the two day event.

Teams from Alabama, Florida, Tennessee, Mississippi, Kentucky and Georgia will participate.

Debate topic is, Resolved that the Federal Government should share a specific percentage of the income tax revenues with state governments.

First, second and third place trophies for affirmative and negative teams will be awarded.

The Shelby County Bar Association will award a trophy to the best individual speaker.

Amendments

Thirty-four amendments to the constitution of the State of Alabama will be voted on by the electorate in the election of December 9. The full text of these amendments is published in this week's edition of the Shelby County Reporter. They will be re-printed in three additional issues before election day.

Montevallo News

By Bert Seaman

Lance Corporal and Mrs. Thomas Donaldson of Beaufort, S. C. were here over the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnston.

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Mrs. E. H. Turnock returned last week from a five week visit with her daughter Mrs. Lewis Pridgen and her family in Baltimore, Md. and her son and his family, the E. H. Turnocks of Pittsburg, Pa.

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Dr. and Mrs. D. R. McMillan attended the southeast section of the American Physical Society meeting held in Gainesville, Fla. Nov. 5-8.

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Mr. and Mrs. Terry Arnold and family enjoyed a visit from Terry's brother, Rev. Frank Arnold and his family from Montgomery on Tuesday.

Miss Lovelady tea honoree

Miss Sandra Lovelady, bride-elect of Warren Bailey, was honored at a bridal tea on Oct. 16 at the home of Mrs. Edwin Stone in Helena.

Greeting the guests were Mrs. Edwin Stone, Mrs. John R. Lovelady, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Virginia Bailey, mother of the groom.

Assisting in receiving were Mrs. Rual Stark, Mrs. Frank Donaldson, Miss Beverly Stone and Mrs. Joe Davidson.

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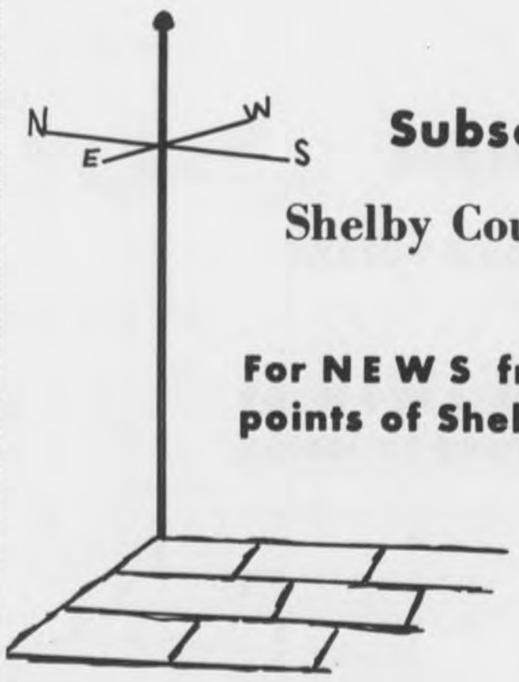

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Lt. Aldon M. Garrett makes first solo flight at Pensacola

Marine 2nd Lt. Aldon M. Garrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aldon H. Garrett of Route 2, Montevallo, has made his first solo flight at Saufley Field, Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Pensacola, Fla.

Pvt. Thomas W. Merrell is now serving in Viet Nam with the famous "Big Red One" 1st Infantry Division. He is with a unit known as the "Black Scarves" operating two large mortar guns atop a large mountain two and a half miles from their base camp at Dan Tieng on the Cambodian Border.

Thomas is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Merrell, Rt-2, Columbiana and is a graduate of Shelby County High School.

LT. ALDON M. GARRETT

Marine PFC Rance Galloway, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Galloway, Jr. Rt-2, Montevallo is stationed in DaNang. Before he left for service he was employed by Ken Terry Chevrolet as a mechanic.

Army Sergeant Steven A. Jews, 21, was assigned September 15 to the Third Infantry Division near Schweinfurt, Germany, as a squad leader.

His wife, Otis, lives on Route 1, Harpersville.

U. S. Air Force Sergeant Rondal E. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Anderson, Rt. 2, Montevallo, is on duty at Da Nang AB, Vietnam.

Sergeant Anderson is a radio operator in the 20th Tactical Air Support Squadron, a unit of the Pacific Air Force, headquarters for air operations in Southeast Asia, the Far East and Pacific area.

The sergeant, who previously served at Maxwell AFB, is a 1965 graduate of Montevallo High School. His wife, Linda, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Hosmer, Alabaster.

A $100 a week average net income may sound like a good income to many people, but to some it only means that they are living at or under the Federally established poverty level. A man and wife with six children living in the city or a farm couple with ten children would be considered "poor" by these standards were they making only $100 week net income.

Nominations sought for hall of honor

The public is being asked to submit nominations for the Alabama Newspaper Hall of Honor for the first time in the history of the program.

The Hall of Honor was established by the Alabama Press Association in 1959 as a means of recognizing outstanding former newsmen for their service to the journalism profession and for their service to the state.

Thus far, 24 have been chosen for the recognition. Plaques honoring their memory hang in the north reading room of the Ralph Brown Draughon Library at Auburn University, actual site of the Hall.

Jesse Culp, Editor, The Sand Mountain Reporter, chairman of the 1970 HOH selection committee, said his group would receive nominations from the public through November 15.

The nominational should be addressed to the Alabama Press Association, P. O. Box 1948, University, Alabama 35486.

They should include considerable background information about the individual being nominated and a photograph if one is available.

Culp said rules of the recognition provide that nominees must have been active in the newspaper business in Alabama and that they must have been deceased for at least five years.

Two former newsmen will be selected, Culp said.

EYE CATCHING MAJORETTES AT S.C.H.S. - - Pulchritude, pep and personality describe the Majorettes of SCHS with the marching band this year. Each in her own inimitable manner have contributed a vitally important part toward making this band, under the direction of Bill Parrish an outstanding presentation at each football game. They are, reading from left to right: Glenda Lightsey, Rebecca Joiner, Ramona Bristow, Trinket Shaw, Kathy McElroy, Christy Parrish, Joan Rasco, Jeannie Turner, Karen Morris. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

Thompson players select 'Up the Down Staircase'

"Up the Down Staircase" is the dramatic production chosen for fall presentation by Thompson High School.

This play will be presented Thursday, November 20, at 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium and all proceeds will go to the Junior Class Prom.

"Up the Down Staircase" is the Dramatic Publishing Company's adaptation of the book by Bel Kaufman, and it gives an in-depth look into classroom situations.

The young teacher, Sylvia Barrett, played by Linda Hamner, finds that she is the most involved person in the school - - involved in the start of a romance, near war with a "discipline-over- everything" administrator, but most of all involved in the unexpected, sometimes heart-breaking, but more often tremendously funny problems of her students.

One critic described it so well, "...the kind of 'funny' that hurts." Another said, "Seldom has a humorous work at the same time been so important."

The play is being sponsored by Mrs. Gail Daniel. The student director is Karen Johnson.

Fizz biz booms in Shelby County

The bubble, sparkle and fizz business is setting new records in Shelby County.

The amount of soda pop being consumed is at an all-time high. So is the amount of money being spent in that direction.

According to the latest figures, it is estimated that local residents are drinking such beverages at the rate of 349 eight-ounce bottles a year per person.

Elsewhere in the United States, the average is 331 per capita.

In the past year it added up to a total of 12,145,000 bottles for the local population as a whole. And this was exclusive of bulk drinks sold at soda fountains and lunchrooms.

By way of comparison, it was considerably more than was downed in the area ten years ago. The total at that time was 6,087,000 bottles.

The increase, a hefty 100 percent, was greater than in many sections of the country.

The figures for the local area were developed from data released by the Department of Commerce and by the soft drink industry. They show the rate of consumption nationally and in each regional area.

The reports reveal that soda pop consumption varies along geographic lines. People living in the southern part of the country, where temperatures are generally higher year-round, drink much more, on average, than those in the north.

In the matter of flavor, too, regional preferences are quite marked. In the northeast, cola-type beverages represent about 40 percent of the demand, with ginger ale, root beer, citrus drinks and the like making up the remainder.

In the south, by way of contrast, some 70 percent of the calls are for cola drinks.

An idea of the amount of money that goes for soda pop in Shelby County is indicated by the figures. They show that local residents spent an estimated $1,287,000 for such beverages in the past year. Ten years ago it was 4487,000.

Nationally, the outlay for the 66 billion bottles of pop consumed in the past year came to a cool $7 billion. Teenagers and those in their early 20's were the biggest users.

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Moonshine retards growth of infants

Three members of the faculty of the University of Alabama in Birmingham issued an alert to physicians in the southeastern United States to test expectant mothers for possible lead poisoning whenever a history of drinking moonshine whiskey is suspected.

The warning is based on observations which indicate that lead exposure in the fetus may be responsible for some cases of growth retardation prior to birth, and failure to grow at a normal rate, after birth.

Dr. Paul A. Palmisano, who heads the team of physicians, said, "Conclusive proof of our observations has not been established, but in observing a ten-week-old child of a woman with a history of drinking untaxed 'moonshine' whiskey, for instance, we found evidence of nervous system disorders, intrauterine growth retardation, and postnatal failure to thrive."

Further tests revealed that the infant's body contained an abnormally large amount of lead, as did her mother's body.

Science has already observed that women employed in lead trades often produce children who are small, weak and neurologically damaged. It has also been shown that toxic lead exposure in young women has a serious effect on reproduction and pregnancy, often causing sterility or early spontaneous abortion.

"We expect, eventually, to show proof of our suspicion that high lead deposits within a woman who drinks moonshine will probably cuase defects in her child's physical condition," said Dr. Palmisano.

He added, "If we could get the word out to mothers, about the danger of lead poisoning from drinking moonshine whiskey, we would be doing them and ourselves a great service. So far there are too few things we can do to prevent pre-birth damage to children."

In a 16-month period, 26 women were admitted to University Hospital in Birmingham with lead poisoning as the result of chronic drinking of illegal whiskey.

More than 50% of this country's moonshine contains high concentrations of lead. The alert issued by the doctors is aimed particularly at the Southeast. Some 17,000 stills are confiscated each year in that part of the U. S.

Dr. Palmisano is assistant professor of pediatrics at the University of Alabama School of Medicine and assistant professor of pharmacology, University of Alabama Medical Center.

Participating in the studies with him are Dr. Raphael C. Sneed, resident in pediatrics, and Dr. George Cassady, associate professor of Pediatrics and director of the Newborn Division, Department of Pediatrics, UA School of Medicine.

PAM MOORE

Pam Moore Chelsea queen

Miss Pam Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LaVon Moore of Chelsea, was elected as Homecoming Queen of Chelsea High School for 1969-70.

Pam is a varsity cheerleader for the Hornets; Business Manager of the Chelonet, school yearbook; treasurer of the "C" Club; senior class reporter; member of F.H.A.; and represented Chelsea as a representative to the Freedom Forum at Harding College.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Etna Minor

Funeral services were conducted November 5 in the Fourmile Baptist Church for Mrs. Etna Minor 74 who died in Shelby Memorial Hospital on Monday morning, Nov. 3, 1969. The Rev. Joe Stone and the Rev. Horace Grizzle officiated.

Mrs. Minor was a lifelong resident of Shelby County and a dedicated member of the Fourmile Baptist Church. She was a resident of Columbiana at the time of her death.

Surviving are two sons: Homer Minor of Birmingham; and Horace Minor of Mobile; one daughter, Mrs. Ailene Seale of Columbiana; seven grandchildren; three great grandchildren; two brothers and four sisters.

Interment in Fourmile Cemetery adjoining the church. Bolton-Brown Service, directing.

Many handicapped workers are benefiting by technological advances in the modern working world, where skill means more than muscle. For example, a polio - paralyzed engineer runs a computer for an aircraft company, although he works from a wheelchair and sleeps in an artificial respirator.

25 years ago--

Blitz Hits Club formed in Columbiana

"Blitz Hits" a variety of dramatic skits and musical numbers sponsored by Marianna Davis and Virginia Nichols was presented at SCHS last Friday night with local talent. The program proved successful and a "Blitz Hits" club was formed.

25 Years Ago

Circuit Court is in session this week, Judge W. W. Wallace, presiding. The docket now stands with 11 state cases and nine civil cases.

The Grand Jury was organized Monday for the term. J. T. Nivens of Chelsea, foreman, and Jim Gibson, bailiff. Other members of the grand jury are: O. P. Ray, Dewey McDonald, Simon Blackerby, W. B. Smith, R. E. Kendrick, A. Z. Collins, Perkins Wheeler, Floyd Miles, Milton Jeter, Guy Turner, E. B. Hughes, John Clark, Walker Partridge, J. P. Lybrand, Charlie White, and Woodrow Kincaid.

25 Years Ago

A partiotic service was impressively observed by the Rev. J. M. Holland in the Columbiana Methodist Church last Sunday during which time the Gold Service Star was raised in a loving tribute to Cpl. Jack Collins recently reported "killed in action".

25 Years Ago

Community Night, under the direction of Beth Yates, Recreation Director of Sylacauga was held in the SCHS auditorium Friday evening which opened the Sixth War Loan Drive for the county. There were 150 people who attended and pledged their support in Columbiana.

25 Years Ago

Gov. Sparks last week appointed Offie Stinson, Democratic nominee to membership on the Board of Revenue from first District to succeed Hoyt Blalock who resigned. Mr. Stinson won the nomination in the May Primary Election over Blalock.

25 Years Ago

Woodrow Elliott, principal of SCHS announces that the Stamps Quartette of Gospel Singers and the Speer family from Montgomery will appear in concert in the auditorium of the school next Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

25 Years Ago

Probate Judge L. C. Walker reminds all auto owners that Nov. 15 is the deadline for purchasing a tag without having to pay a penalty.

25 Years Ago

Verna Hobbs, 17-year old 4-H-er is an outstanding member of the Wilsonville 4-H Club.

25 Years Ago

Hyman Glenn, formerly associated with Yellow Front Store in Columbiana has resigned to accept a position in Birmingham with the Western Auto Co.

25 Years Ago

Arthur Davis of Birmingham is spending this week with relatives and friends in Columbiana.

25 Years Ago

P. O. Luck, a widely known attorney who has distinguished himself as a leader in numerous progressive and patriotic drives throughout Alabama, has been appointed Shelby County Chairman of Alabama War Finance Committee. The announcement came from State Chairman Ed Leigh McMillan. Luck succeeds Dr. T. H. Napier.

25 Years Ago

The first report of the cotton census report shows that 367 bales of cotton were ginned in Shelby County from the crop of 1944 prior to Sept. 16 as compared with 1448 bales for the crop of 1943.

25 Years Ago

The Baptist Training Union will hold its first meeting for the Association at Bethel Church Sunday, Oct. 15, at 2:30 P.M.

25 Years Ago

Twenty-two people in Shelby County died of cancer during 1944.

25 Years Ago

Miss Marie Brown and little sister, Brenda, are visiting their grandparents in Ecru, Miss.

25 Years Ago

Shelby High won the football game Friday night over Vincent with a score of 27-0. This game closed the season. Capt. Billy Martin made two touchdowns. Shelby High's record stands for the season at five wins and 3 losses.

25 Years Ago

Warren Duke, who is working in Oxford this summer, spent the week end in Columbiana with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Duke.

25 Years Ago

J. W. Kennerly, of Montevallo, has just received a patent on a machine to grade examination papers. He has served as the head of Physical Science Department at AC for the past 24 years.

25 Years Ago

The 92nd session of the Shelby County Baptist Association will meet in the regular annual order on August 29-30. Kirk Lucas is moderator and W. W. Elliott is the clerk.

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Good Morning

By Milton Bird

I saw in the paper where folks had put razor blades in apples, giving them to little boys and girls who came around on Halloween night.

I guess that's like shooting a bluebird on a nest, or pulling up a whole violet patch on the side of a hill.

Or worse, a whole lot worse.

I wonder what He thinks, who made the bluebird and the violet patch and the little boys and girls, when He looks down from up there and sees folks, made in His own image, doing things a dog wouldn't do, or a cow, or an old gray mule.

I don't know how it is where you live. But I know how it is where I live. It's about the nicest day of the year.

They usually start about supper time, just a little while after we turn the front porch light on to make the way safer for little hurrying feet. And it goes on till a little after nine.

I guess, all over, little folks are pretty enough to eat. And when they get all dolled up in their Halloween togs, and tiptoe in with their paper sacks, it just about takes a fellow's breath.

That's how it is in our neighborhood. It's the one time of the year when a walking and talking doll will light a little candle in your room for a few pieces of candy, and figure they got the best of you when you have cheated them all to pieces.

But this year, with all the joy and laughter that came our way, there was sadness, too, that hung around long after all the little goblins had gone.

I guess because one of our favorite little girls didn't come around to see us this year. You see, she slipped out of our lives a little while ago and went to live in the sky.

But up there in the big sky, where the stars are, and the moon, and the big fluffy clouds, I think little boys and girls play trick or treat where the angels live.

And I just know, somewhere beyond the stars, little Lisa Porter, with her bright eyes shining, walked where the angels live tonight, lighting little candles for all to see.

VA offers aid to widows

Veterans widows were reminded today that if they have a limited income they may be eligible for a Veterans Administration pension.

Under current law, according to Neil R. Smart, Manager, Montgomery VA Regional Office, qualified widows of wartime veterans who have died of causes not related to their service are eligible if their income is no more than $2,000 or if they have no children, and no more than $3,200 if they do.

If a widow does not qualify for a pension because of a higher income or because she remarries, her children may still be eligible to receive pensions.

Pensions are based on need, Smart explained. Compensation is paid to the survivors of veterans who die of service - connected causes, and the income of the survivor has no bearing on eligibility or the amount paid.

CLOTHING FOR ACCIDENT VICTIMS -- V. B. Gaydon of the Columbiana police force and a member of the Fellowship of Christian Law Officers of Shelby County looks over some of the clothing donated to the organization. At present, the group has need of childrens' clothing, for families whose homes have burned or who have experienced other misfortunes.

Christian Law Officers collect clothes for needy children

State Trooper Robert Kendrick of Calera, president of the Fellowship of Christian Law Officers of Shelby County, announces that the organization is launching a drive for children's clothing.

The group has furnished clothing and household items for the past year and a half to families in the county whose homes have burned or whose need is great.

Kendrick says they have enough adult clothing at present, but would welcome donations of children's articles in wearable condition.

The organization meets regularly in Columbiana in the city hall building and the clothing they have on hand is stored there.

Anyone who might care to contribute clothing is asked to call Trooper Kendrick or notify any law enforcement officer in the county. Household articles such as beds and stoves are also needed from time to time, Kendrick said, but the group has no place to store such big items. Persons who have household furnishings to contribute are asked to notify law enforcement officials who will in turn check the needs in the county and arrange for transportation.

Often law enforcement people know of families who have suffered fires or other accidents and thus they are in a good position to help.

No. 1

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE
GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Special Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"1. General supervision of the public schools in Alabama shall be vested in a state board of education, which shall be elected in such manner as the legislature may provide.

"2. The chief state school officer shall be the state superintendent of education, who shall be appointed by the state board of education and serve at its pleasure. The Authority and duties of the superintendent of education shall be determined by the state board of education according to such regulations as the legislature may prescribe. The superintendent of education shall receive an annual salary which shall be fixed by the Legislature of Alabama and shall be paid from the state treasury in installments as the salaries of other state officers are paid.

"3. The Legislature shall enact appropriate laws to implement or enforce this article of amendment.

"4. The provisions of Articles 5 and 14 of the Constitution of Alabama as amended in conflict with this article are expressly repealed. However, this amendment shall not be so construed as to affect the election or term of the state superintendent of education chosen before it becomes valid as a part of the Constitution."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 2

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

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"The Legislature may enact appropriate legislation authorizing and providing for the following persons to register to vote by mail, if they prossess the qualifications of an elector and are not disqualified from voting under the Constitution and laws of Alabama, namely, members of the armed forces of the United States, persons employed outside the United States, and the spouses and children of such persons, provided, however, that such persons shall be entitled to register only in the counties where they were residents prior to entering the status which makes them eligible for such registration."

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WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The State of Alabama is authorized to become indebted for the purpose of financing the work required of the Alabama State Docks as the local sponsoring agency for the improvement in Mobile Harbor, Alabama, known as the Theodore Ship Channel project or for additional improvements for the Alabama State Docks and in evidence of the indebtedness so incurred to issue and sell, in addition to all other bonds of the State, interest bearing general obligation bonds of the State not exceeding four million dollars ($4,000,000) in principal amount. The full faith and credit and taxing power of the State are hereby pledged to the prompt and faithful payment of the principal of the bonds and the interest thereon.

"The Alabama State Docks Department (which term as used herein shall be construed to include any other agency of the State they may succeed to said Department's functions) shall, subject to the provisions of the bond order relating to the sale of the $10,000,000 principal amount of general obligation seaport facilities bonds of the State of Alabama dated March 1, 1964, pledge and use so much of the revenues derived from its seaport facilities as may be necessary to pay at their maturities the principal of and interest on said bonds, and may pledge, agree to use, and use so much of said revenues as the said Department with the approval of the Governor may determine shall be necessary or desirable to build up and maintain reserves for the payment of said principal and interest for the maintenance, replacement and improvement of its seaport facilities. The proceeds from the sale of any such bonds shall, after payment of the reasonable and necessary expense of their issurance, be set aside in a special fund in the State Treasury and shall be paid out to the Alabama State Docks Department upon authorization by the Governor and shall be held by the said Department in a special trust fund and therefrom disbursed to pay the reasonable and necessary costs required of the Alabama State Docks as the local sponsoring agency for the improvement in Mobile Harbor, Alabama, known as the Theordore Ship Channel project or to pay the reasonable and necessary costs of constructing, dredging of approaches thereto and equipment of works of internal improvement for use and operation as a part of additional State Docks facilities; provided that, if said Department shall have issued any notes in anticipation of the sale of bonds for any of said purposes, then so much as may be necessary, not exceeding $2,000,000, shall be used to retire or fund said notes.

"The Alabama State Docks Department is hereby vested with full authority, subject to the provisions of the bond order relating to the sale of $10,000,000 principal amount of general obligation seaport facilities bonds of the State of Alabama dated March 1, 1964, and except as limited herein, to prescribe the terms of the bonds and to provide for the issuance and sale thereof. The bonds may be sold, executed and delivered at any time and from time to time, may be in such forms, denominations, series and number, may be of such tenor and maturities, may bear such date or dates, may be in registered or bearer form either as to principal or interest or both, with rights of conversion into another form, may be payable in such installments and at such place or places, may bear interest at such rate or rates, payable and evidenced in such manner, and may contain provisions for redemption at the option of the State to be exercised by the State Docks Department at such date or dates prior to their maturity and upon payment of such redemption price or prices, all as shall be provided by the said Department in the order or orders under which the bonds are issued. The principal of each series of bonds shall mature in annual installments in such amount as shall be specified in the authorizing order or orders, the first of which installments shall mature not later than one year after the date of the bonds of such series and the last of which installments shall mature not later than twenty years after the date of the bonds of the same series. The largest installment of principal and interest maturing on each series of the bonds in any one year shall not exceed twice the preceding smallest installment of principal and interest maturing thereon in any prior year. None of the bonds shall be sold for less than face value plus accrued interest thereon to the date of delivery. The bonds shall be sold only at public sale or sales, either on sealed bids or at auction, after such advertisement as may be prescribed by the said Department to the bidder whose bid reflects the lowest net interest cost to the State computed to the respective maturities of the bonds sold; provided that if no bid deemed acceptable by the said Department is received all bids may be rejected.

"The bonds shall be signed in the name of the State by the Governor and countersigned by the State Docks Director, and the Great Seal of the State of Alabama or a facsimile thereof shall be impressed, printed or otherwise reproduced thereon and shall be attested by the signature of the Secretary of State; provided, that facsimile signatures of any one or any two (but not all) of said officers may be reproduced on any of such bonds in lieu of being manually signed thereon. Coupons attached to the bonds and representing installments of interest thereon shall be signed with the facsimile signature of the State Treasurer, which facsimile signature shall constitute due and sufficient authentication of said coupons.

"All bonds issued under the provisions of this amendment, together with the interest income thereon, shall forever be exempt from taxation in this State.

"The authorization to incur debt and issue bonds contained in this amendment shall supersede and take the place of any authorization for Alabama State Docks Department to issue revenue bonds granted by act of the Legislature in effect on the effective date of this amendment.

"The provisions of this amendment shall be self-executing and authorization from or other action by the Legislature shall not be a prerequisite to the issuance of bonds hereunder."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 4

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Any provision of the Constitution of Alabama or amendments thereto to the contrary notwithstanding, the legislature may be appropriate laws authorize the state to engage in works of internal improvement by fulfilling the requirements of local contribution, participation and cooperation now or hereafter established by the United States in connection with the construction and maintenance of a navigable waterway (herein called "the waterway") between Montgomery and Gadsden and to the Alabama-Georgia boundary.

"The legislature may by appropriate laws authorize the state to become indebted, and in evidence of such indebtedness, to sell and issue its interest-bearing bonds, in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $10,000,000, for the purpose of enabling the state to discharge obligations at any time authorized by the legislature to be undertaken in connection with the waterway project; provided that the expenses incurred in connection with the sale and issuance of the bonds may also be paid from the proceeds thereof. Bonds evidencing the herein provided for indebtedness may be issued as direct general obligations of the state, and the state may pledge its full faith and credit to the prompt payment of the principal of the bonds and the interest thereon. The herein provided for indebtedness shall not be construed to prohibit or limit appropriations from the general fund of the state which from time to time may be made for the purpose of enabling the state to discharge obligations at any time authorized by the legislature to be undertaken in connection with the waterway project.

"The legislature may by appropriate laws establish a public corporation and may confer upon it, in addition to all other necessary powers, full power to undertake the obligations that the state is permitted under the foregoing provisions of this amendment to undertake in connection with the waterway project. The legislature may from time to time appropriate money from the general fund of the state to be expended by such public corporation and may also authorize the herein provided for general obligation bonds of the state to be sold from time to time under the supervision of such public corporation; provided, that all moneys received by such public corporation from the state, whether as appropriations from the state's general fund or as proceeds of the sale of the state's bonds, shall be expended, except for reasonable administrative expenses, in discharging obligations that the state is permitted under the foregoing provisions of this amendment to undertake in connection with the waterway project, and shall have directed such public corporation to undertake in its stead.

"Nothing herein shall authorize the legislature to establish any such public corporation to acquire by purchase, license, lease, condemnation or otherwise a hydroelectric project (or any part thereof) heretofore or hereafter licensed by the Federal Power Commission under the Federal Power Act of June 10, 1920, Public Law No. 280, 66th Congress, 2nd Session, and amendments thereto, or any such project (or any part thereof) otherwise authorized by act of Congress."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 5

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"When authorized by appropriate laws passed by the Legislature, the State of Alabama may, in promoting and aiding the commercial flow of agricultural products within the State or in aid of commerce and use of the waterways of the State, at a cost not exceeding $10,000,000, engage in works of internal improvement by promoting, developing, constructing, maintaining and operating within the State or along navigable streams and waterways now or hereafter existing within the State all manner of elevators, facilities, warehouses, docks, water and rail terminals and other structures and facilities and improvements needful for the convenient use of the same; provided that any such works or improvements shall always be and remain under the management and control of the State through the Alabama State Docks Department or other State governing agency and shall become part of the inland waterways facilities of the State. When authorized by appropriate laws passed by the Legislature, the State may, in addition to all other bonds of the State, become indebted in an aggregate principal amount of not exceeding $10,000,000 for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this amendment and may cause to be issued its general direct obligation bonds for the repayment of such indebtedness and interest thereon and pledge the faith and credit of the State thereto."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 6

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Amendment CCLXIX proposed by Act No. 274, H.297, Regular Session 1967 is amended so that said Amendment CCLXIX shall read as follows:

"Amendment CCLXIX. A. In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution of Alabama, any county or any incorporated municipality within the state which supports, jointly supports, or proposes to support a public library is hereby authorized to levy and collect a special tax of not less than five cents nor more than fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property within such County or municipality as assessed for state taxation. The proceeds of all such taxes shall be used exclusively for public library purposes; provided, that the rate of such tax and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the county or municipality and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election.

"B. Upon petition signed by two hundred or more qualified electors of any county to the court of county commissioners or like governing body, or upon a petition signed by two hundred or more qualified electors of any municipality to the governing body of such municipality, said court of county commissioners or governing body of said municipality shall order an election to be held at the time and for the rate specified in said petition to determine whether a special tax shall be levied for public library purposes within said county or said municipality; or, upon the request of any library board created pursuant to Article 4, Chapter 7, Title 55, Code of Alabama 1940, as amended, to the court of county commissioners or like governing body, or the governing body of any municipality, said court of county commissioners or governing body of said municipality, shall order an election to be held at the time and for the rate requested by the said public library board to determine whether or not a special tax shall be levied within any county or within any political subdivision of the county in which said board has control over public library services or joint services.

"C. Elections under this amendment for county public library purposes shall be held at the same time any other general or special election is held in which the voters of the entire county are qualified to vote, and elections under this amendment for municipal library purposes shall be held at the same time any other municipal election is held.

"D. If authorized by the vote of the majority of the qualified electors voting in any such election called for the purpose, the county or city governing body, as the case may be, shall levy and collect in addition to all other taxes authorized by law, a special annual ad valorem tax at the rate prescribed and approved by the electors voting in the election. If the majority vote at any election held hereunder is not in favor of the levy of the tax, or if at any such election the special tax shall be voted at a rate of less than fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property, then the governing body of the county or city, as the case may be, may from time to time thereafter call other elections hereunder on the levy of the special tax or on the increase of the rate thereof, up to but not exceeding a total amount of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars of taxable property, and must call any such election at the next general or special county-wide election or next municipal election, as the case may be, next following the receipt of the petition or request of the library board. Provided, however, that not more than one election upon the levy or upon the increase of the rate of the special tax shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months. After the special tax shall have been levied for a period of three years, the governing body of the county or city, as the case may be, may from time to time thereafter call other elections hereunder on the question of the discountinuance of the tax or a reduction on the rate thereof, upon the payment in full of all obligations then outstanding, if any, and when a reduced rate will provide sufficient revenue for the purposes for which the tax was levied. If the majority of electors participating in the election vote in favor of the discontinuance or reduction in the rate of the tax, as the case may be, such discontinuance or reduction shall become effective for the tax year next succeeding the tax year in which such election is held. Provided, that not more than one election for the discontinuance or reduction in the rate of the special tax shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months. All such elections shall be called, held and conducted in the same manner as are elections proposing the special tax."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 7

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature shall have power to divest the State of Alabama of title to that certain sixteenth section of school land described as follows: Section 16, Township 4 South, Range 2 West, St. Stephens Meridian, in Mobile County, and may provide for the grant of such lands and the income therefrom to the board of trustees of the University of South Alabama."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 8

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature of Alabama may hereafter by the adoption of general, special or local law provide for the establishment of a pension fund or retirement system or systems for the benefit of persons regularly employed as, or enrolled as volunteer, fire fighters by any municipality, political subdivision or governmental agency of the State of Alabama, any provision of the Constitution or laws of the State of Alabama to the contrary notwithstanding; and may provide certain funds therefor by the levy or assessment of additional taxes on the gross annual premium receipts on all policies of fire, lightning, extended coverage, inland marine and allied lines and windstorm insurance written by persons, firms, corporations, associations, or aggregations of underwriters on property in the State of Alabama; and may provide for the membership of any such persons who were regularly employed as, or enrolled as volunteer, fire fighters, who had contributed to and had been admitted to membership in any state pension or retirement system for such fire fighters or were receiving pensions or retirement benefits from such fund prior to the adoption of this amendment. Any State Fire Fighters Pension Fund heretofore established pursuant to legislative enactment is validated, confirmed and ratified by this amendment to the Constitution of Alabama."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 9

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the constitution and laws of Alabama, the governing body of any county in which there is a state junior college shall have the power to levy and collect a special school tax not to exceed five mills on each dollar of taxable property in the county, for the support and maintenance of the state junior colleges in such county, upon the request of the state board of education, provided the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall first have been submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the county and approved by a majority of those voting at such election. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held and conducted in accordance with general laws providing for county school tax elections. The proceeds derived from any such tax shall be used and expended for the amortization of bonds issued for capitol outlay purposes and for the general operating expenses of the junior college."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 10

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Special Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of

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Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may from time to time, by general or local laws, fix, alter, and regulate the costs and charges of courts in Barbour County, and regulate the fees, commissions, percentages, allowances, and compensation to be charged or received by the probate Judge and the sheriff of Barbour County, and may place the sheriff on a salary basis and provide for the fees charged or collected by him to be paid into the county treasury from which his salary shall be paid."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 11

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to any taxes now authorized or that may be hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, each school district in Calhoun County, except the school district comprising the City of Anniston, shall have the power to levy and collect for public school purposes in such district an annual special ad valorem tax on the taxable properties in such district at a rate not exceeding in any one year five mills on each dollar of the value of the said property as the same shall be assessed for state taxation; provided, that before the levy of any special tax authorized in this paragraph, there shall be submitted to the electors of the district in which the tax is proposed to be levied, at a special election called for that purpose in the said district, the question of whether the said tax or any part thereof shall be levied, the rate thereof, the time it is to continue (which shall not exceed thirty years), and the purpose thereof, and the said tax shall be authorized at such election by a majority of the qualified electors of the district voting at such election; provided further, that if a majority of the qualified electors of any of the said districts participating in the election on the ratification of this amendment shall vote for the ratification of this amendment, then the approval of this amendment as expressed by the vote in said district in favor of its ratification shall, of itself, authorize the levy and collection of the said special tax for public school purposes in that district for a period of thirty years commencing with the levy for the tax year for which taxes will become due and payable to the said district on the October 1 next following the date of the said election on the ratification of this amendment.

"Elections on the question of the levy of a district tax under the provisions of this amendment may be held at any time and from time to time, provided, that if at any such election held after the ratification of this amendment the proposal to levy the tax so submitted should be defeated then the proposal may not be submitted at another election held in the same district within one year from the last election held under this amendment. Each such election held after the ratification of this amendment shall be called and held, the results declared, and the tax levied and collected in the same manner as now or hereafter provided by law in the case of school district taxes authorized by Amendment III to the Constitution of Alabama, except that no county-wide tax shall be required as a condition precedent for a district tax under this amendment.

"The funds arising from the district tax herein authorized to be levied in each school district shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the school district in which such district tax is levied. Nothing in this amendment shall be deemed to prevent the consolidation of any two or more school districts in Calhoun County in accordance with the applicable provisions of general law."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 12

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Governing body of Covington County shall have power to levy and collect annually a special school district tax not exceeding fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in school districts number 1 and 2, Covington County, as assessed for state taxation, for public school purposes, provided the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the districts and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election. Such tax shall be in addition to all other taxes provided for by law. The funds arising from such special district tax levied and collected by the county shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the public schools in said districts. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held, and conducted in relation to the levying of special school district taxes under the third amendment to the Constitution.

If a majority of the qualified electors of school districts number 1 and 2, Covington County, who participate in the election on the adoption, then the approval of the amendment as expressed by such vote shall of itself authorize the levying of the special tax provided for herein at the maximum rate specified for a period of not exceeding twenty years."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 13

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The governing body of Colbert County shall have power to levy and collect annually a special school district tax not exceeding one dollar on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in school districts number one and number two in Colbert County, as assessed for state taxation, for public school purposes, provided the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the districts and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election. Such tax shall be in addition to all other taxes provided for by law. The funds arising from such special district tax levied and collected by the county shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the districts. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held, and conducted in the same way that elections are called, held, and conducted in relation to the levying of special school district taxes under the third amendment to the Constitution."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 14

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Each school district of Lawrence County shall, subject to authorization at an election in such district as hereinafter provided, have power to levy and collect a special district tax, at a rate not exceeding five mills on each dollar (being equivalent to 50 cents on each $100) of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in such district for public school purposes therein, which special tax shall be in addition to all taxes now authorized or that may hereafter be authorized by the Constitution of Alabama to be levied in such district; provided, that no tax shall levied under this amendment unless the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue, and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the district in which the tax is proposed to be levied and shall have been authorized by a majority of the qualified electors voting at the election at which the submission is made. Each election held under this amendment shall be called and held, the ballots canvassed, the results declared, and the tax levied and collected in the same manner as is now or may hereafter be provided by law in the case of school district taxes authorized by Amendment III to the Constitution of Alabama, except that no countywide tax shall be required to be levied as a condition precedent to either the authorization of levy of a district tax under this amendment. The holding of one election shall not preclude a later election in the same district under the authority of this amendment. The proceeds of any special district tax authorized by this amendment shall be expended solely for public school purposes in the district in which the tax shall be levied.

"The County Bord of Education of Lawrence County may from time to time, without the necessity of any election, change the boundaries of any school district at any time existing in the county, or consolidate any two or more school districts therein, if the taxes authorized to be levied for public school purposes in all of the territory in such district after such change of boundaries or consolidation is effected shall be at the same aggregate rate and for the same duration of time; provided, that nothing contained herein shall be construed to impair or permit the impairment of the obligation of any contract created with respect to any securities theretofore issued with respect to any such school district. The provisions of the preceding sentence shall not be deemed to abridge any existing power conferred on the said County Board of Education by any existing law, but shall be in addition thereto."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 15

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The court of county commissioners, board of revenue or like governing body of Dale County shall have the power to levy and collect a special property tax in addition to all other taxes, now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, of not exceeding one-half of one per cent on the value of the taxable property in the county situated outside the corporate limits of Ozark, as such property was assessed for state taxation during the preceding year, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for educational purposes, but may be pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness issued for public school purposes, which pledges shall take priority as provided in such bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof and the time such tax is proposed to be continued, shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the county residing outside the corporate limits of Ozark, and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Elections on proposals to levy this tax on the property in the county situated outside the corporate limits of Ozark shall be called and held in the same manner as now provided by law for an election on the school district tax authorized in Amendment III, Article XIX, of the Constitution of Alabama. The tax on property situated outside the corporate limits of Ozark shall be collected in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as the taxes of the State are collected, and the revenues derived from such tax shall be used solely for school construction and other educational purposes in the territory of the county outside the corporate limits of Ozark.

"The City of Ozark shall likewise have the power to levy and collect a special property tax, in addition to all other taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, of not exceeding one-half of one per cent on the value of the taxable property situated within the corporate limits of the city, as assessed for state taxation during the preceding year, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for educational purposes, but may be pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness issued for public school purposes, which pledges shall take priority as provided in such bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof and the time such tax is proposed to be continued, shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the city and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Elections on proposals to levy this tax on property situated within the corporate limits of Ozark shall be ordered, and held in the same manner as provided by the law applicable to municipal corporations for elections to authorize the issuance of municipal bonds. The additional tax authorized by this amendment to be levied on property situated within the corporate limits of Ozark shall be collected in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as other taxes levied on property by the City of Ozark are collected, and the revenues derived from this tax shall be used solely for school construction and other educational purposes within the limits of the City of Ozark.

"If any proposal to levy a tax hereunder is defeated in any election, subsequent elections thereon may be held at any time.

"This amendment shall be self-executing."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 16

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The court of county commissioners, board of revenue or like governing body of Etowah County shall have the power to levy and collect a special property tax, in addition to all other taxes, now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, of not exceeding one-half of one per cent on the value of the taxable property in the county situated outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla, as such property was assessed for state taxation during the preceding year, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for educational purposes, but may be pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness issued for public school purposes which pledges shall take priority as provided in such bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof and the time such tax is proposed to be continued, shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the county residing outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla, and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Elections on proposals to levy this tax on the property in the county situated outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla shall be called and held in the same manner as now provided by law for an election on the school district tax authorized in Amendment III, Article XIX, of the Constitution of Alabama. The tax on property situated outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla shall be collected in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as the taxes of the State are collected, and the revenues derived from such tax shall be used solely for schools and other educational purposes in the territory of the county outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla.

"If any proposal to levy a tax hereunder is defeated in any election, subsequent elections thereon may be held at any time.

"Nothing contained in this amendment shall be construed to authorize the levy and collection of an additional tax on property situated within the corporate limits of the Cities of Gadsden or Attalla.

"This amendment shall be self-executing."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO 17

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may from time to time, by general or local laws applicable to or operative in Tallapoosa County, fix, regulate, and alter the fees, commission, allowances, and salaries, includng the method and basis of their compensation, to be charged or received by the judge of probate, sheriff, tax assessor, tax collector, and clerk and register of the circuit Court of Tallapoosa County; and may place any or all of such officers on a salary and provide for the fees, commissions, allowances, and percentages collectible by such officers to be paid into the treasury from which their salaries are paid. Provided, that no law changing the method or basis for compensating such officers shall become effective unless it is approved by a majority of the qualified electors of the county who vote thereon at a referendum election held for such purpose."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 18

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"It is hereby proposed that Amendment CLXXV to the Constitution of Alabama, as submitted December 2, 1961 and proclaimed ratified December 18, 1961, and amended by Amendment CCLX submitted November 8, 1966 and proclaimed ratified November 17, 1966, be further amended by striking out the last sentence in said Amendments CLXXV as amended and inserting in lieu thereof the following sentence:

"The proceeds of any special district tax authorized by this amendment shall be expended for the support of education only in the special district or separate district in which the tax is levied."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 19

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section 1. In addition to any taxes now authorized, or that may be hereafter authorized, by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, there is hereby levied a special school tax of one dollar on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in the School Tax District of the City of Oneonta, Blount county, to be used soley for public school purposes; provided the levy of said tax shall first have been approved by the qualified electors of the School District as hereinafter provided.

"Section 2. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Oneonta who vote thereon vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment when it is submitted, the additional tax provided for in Section 1 shall be levied and collected without any other election having been held thereon. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City Oneonta who vote thereon vote against its approval, the tax shall not be levied unless the rate of the tax, the time is is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been again submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Oneonta and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Subsequent elections may be held at intervals of not less than one year and shall be called, held, conducted, paid for, and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in Constitutional Amendment III; provided, however, that it shall not be a condition precedent to any election on the school district tax herein provided for or to the levy and collection of such tax that a like or any other county-wide school tax be being levied and collected in Blount County.

"Section 3. In the event the special school tax herein authorized shall be approved as herein provided and the Board of Education of the City of Oneonta anticipates the proceeds therefrom by issuing securities payable, in whole or in part, out of such proceeds, the provisions of Sections 220, 221 and 224 of Title 52 of the Code of Alabama of 1940 shall not apply to any such securities."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 20

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may from time to time, by general or local law, provide for the transfer of the duties, or a part of the duties, of one county officer of Talladega County to another officer of such county; or consolidate any two or more offices of such county into one county office and provide for the abolition of the office or offices left without duties, or create a completely new office in such county and transfer to such office a part of the duties of each of several other offices without abolishing any office in such county; provided that the officer or officers to fill the offices involved will be compensated for the performance of the duties of their offices by a salary fixed according to law."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 21

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur or December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section A. As used in this amendment the following terms shall be given the following respective meanings:

"County" means Mobile County.

"Special tax" means the annual ad valorem tax at the rate of ½ of 1 per centum (equivalent to 5 mills on each dollar) of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county authorized to be levied by the county by the amendment known as Amendment XVIII to the Constituion of Alabama, as amended by the amendment to the Constitution known as Amendment CLII, and also provided for in the amendments to the constitution known as Amendments C, CXXII, CLI, CXCIII and CXCV.

"Section B. Mobile County is hereby authorized to issue from time to time its bonds, not exceeding $3,000,000 in aggregate principal amount, of which $1,000,000 in principal amount shall be issued for the purpose of acquiring, providing, constructing and equipping a building for use as a Juvenile Detention Home for the county in conjunction with the Juvenile Court of the county, and $2,000,000 in principal amount shall be issued for the purpose of acquiring, providing, constructing and equipping additions and improvements to the county courthouse building in the county; provided, that if all of the proceeds from the bonds issued for either of the said purposes shall not be needed for the purpose for which they were issued then the balance not so needed may in the sound judgment of the governing body of the county be expended for the said other purpose. The aggregate principal amount of all bonds at any time issued under this amendment, when added to the aggregate principal amount of all bonds at any time issued under this amendment, when added to the aggregate principal amount of all then outstanding bonds theretofore issued by the county under any other amendment to the Constitution of Alabama that are payable from or secured by the special tax shall not exceed 6½ per centum of the assessed valuation of the taxable property situated in the county as assessed for state taxation for the state tax year next preceding that during which any bonds herein authorized shall be issued.

"No bonds may be issued under the authority of this amendment until after the question of the issuance of such bonds shall have been submitted to the qualified electors of the county at an election called for that purpose by the governing body of the county and a majority of the said qualified electors voting at the said election shall have voted in favor of the issuance of such bonds; provided, that if a majority of the qualified electors of the county participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment shall vote for the adoption thereof, then the approval of this amendment expressed by the said vote in favor of its adoption shall of itself authorize the issuance of the bonds provided for in this amendment and no additional election by the electors of the county shall be required to authorize the issuance of the said bonds. If the majority of the qualified electors of the county participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment should not vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment, or if the majority of the qualified electors of the county voting at any election called by the governing body of the county under the provisions of this amendment should not vote in favor of the issuance of the bonds proposed at an election so called, the governing body of the county may from time to time call other elections hereunder on the issuance of such bonds, but not more than one such election shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months. Any such election called by the governing body of the county shall be called, held, conducted and canvassed, and may be contested, in the manner and within the time provided by the then existing general laws of Alabama pertaining to elections on the issuance of bonds by counties.

"The bonds issued hereunder shall be general obligations of the county for the payment of the principal of and interest on which the full faith and credit of the county shall be irrevocably pledged, and in addition thereto there shall be irrevocably pledged for payment of the said principal and interest so much of the special tax as may be necessary to pay the said principal and interest at their respective maturities, each such pledge to be on a parity with all valid pledges of the special tax at any time heretofore or hereafter made, to such extent as shall not impair the obligation of any then existing valid prior pledges.

"The principal of each series of bonds issued under the amendment shall mature in annual installments, the first of which installments shall mature not later than three (3) years after the date of the bonds of that series and the last of which shall mature not later than thirty (30) years after the date of the bonds of that series; provided, that the maturities of each series of bonds issued under this amendment shall be arranged so that (a) no annual installment of principal of the bonds of such series maturing during any fiscal year of the county shall be more than four times as great as the smallest installment of principal of the same series maturing during any prior fiscal year, and (b) the aggregate amount of principal and interest that will mature in any one fiscal year with respect to that series of bonds, and also all other bonds theretofore issued by the county and then outstanding that are payable out of or secured by a pledge of the special tax, shall not exceed the amount of the proceeds collected from the special tax during the then next preceding tax year. Except as herein otherwise provided, all bonds issued under this amendment shall be issued in accordance with, and shall be subject to, the provisions of the general laws of Alabama existing at the time of the issuance of such bonds respecting the sale, execution, issuance and redemption of bonds by counties. The indebtedness evidenced by the bonds issued under this amendment or under any other amendment to the constitution which are payable out of or are secured by a pledge of the special tax shall be in addition to and shall not be charged against the limitation on the indebtedness of the county provided for in Section 224 of the constitution.

"So long as the principal of or interest on any of the bonds issued under this amendment remains unpaid, the governing body of Mobile County shall continue the levy of the special tax at such rate as may be sufficient to pay the said principal and interest at their respective maturities; provided, that the total rate of the specialtax that may be levied and collected for payment of the said bonds and all other bonds payable out of or secured by a pledge of the special tax shall not exceed 4-½ mills on each dollar of the assessed valuation of all properties subject to taxation by the county as assessed for state taxation and that the said rate of 4-½ mills on each dollar of the said assessed valuation shall be reduced for each tax year for which the special hospital tax authorized in Paragraph G of the amendment to the constitution known as Amendment No. CXCV shall have been levied at a rate exceeding 1 mill on each dollar of the taxable property in the county, any such reduction to be by ½ mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county or by rate of millage equal to the rate by which the said special hospital tax levied for that tax year exceeds one mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of such taxable property, whichever shall be the lesser reduction. The provisions of this paragraph shall be applicable, however, only to such extent as shall not impair the obligation of any pledges of the special tax heretofore made for the benefit of any bonds issued by the county prior to the adoption of this amendment.

"The provisions of this amendment shall be self-executing, and authorization from or other action by the Legislature shall not be a prerequisite to the issuance of bonds hereunder or the levy of the special tax for payment thereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 22

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur or December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"A. As used in this amendment the following terms shall be given the following respective meanings:

"County" means Mobile County.

"Special tax" means the annual ad valorem tax at the rate of ½ of 1 per centum (equivalent to 5 mills on each dollar, of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county authorized to be levied by the county by the amendment known as Amendment XVIII to the Constitution of Alabama, as amended by the amendment to the constitution known as Amendment CLII, and also provided for in the amendments to the constitution known as Amendments C, CXII, CLI, CXCIII and CXCV.

"B. Commencing with the levy for the tax year beginning October 1, 1969 (for which tax year the special tax will become payable on October 1, 1970) the special tax shall be levied annually by the governing body of the county on the assessed valuation of all property subject to taxation by the county, as assessed for state taxation for the next preceding year, at the following rates for the following respective purposes:

"(a) ½ mill on each dollar (equivalent to 1-20 of 1 percent) of the said assessed valuation shall be levied for the general purposes of the county to be paid into and disbursed by the governing body of the county out of the general fund of the county; and

"(b) 4-½ mills on each dollar (equivalent to 9-20 of 1 percent) of

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said assessed valuation shall be levied for payment of the principal of and interest on all bonds of the county heretofore and hereafter issued that are payable out of or secured by a pledge of the special tax; provided, that the said rate of 4-½ mills on each $1.00 of the said assessed valuation shall be reduced for each tax year for which the special hospital tax authorized in Paragraph G of the amendment to the constitution known as Amendment No. CXCV shall have been levied at a rate exceeding 1 mill on each dollar of the taxable property in the county, any such reduction to be by ½ mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county or by rate of millage equal to the rate by which the said special hospital tax levied for that tax year exceeds one mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of such taxable property, whichever shall be the lesser reduction."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 23

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Any provision of the Constitution of laws of the State of Alabama to the contrary notwithstanding, any muncipality in Pickens County, or any one or more of them, shall have full and continuing power and authority, after an election held in accordance herewith, to do any one or more of the following:

"1. To purchase, construct, lease, or otherwise acquire real property, plants, buildings, factories, works, facilities, machinery and equipment of any kind.

"2. To lease, sell for cash or on credit, exchange, give and convey any such property described in subdivision 1 above, to any person, firm, association or corporation.

"3. To promote local industrial, commercial or agricultural development and the location of new industries or businesses therein.

"4. To become a stockholder in any corporation, association or company.

"5. To lend its credit or to grant public moneys and things of value in aid of, or to, any individual, firm, association, or corporation whatsoever.

"6. To become indebted and to issue and sell interest bearing bonds, warrants (which may be payable from funds to be realized in future years), notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness, to a principal amount not exceeding fifty percent of the assessed value of taxable property therein as determined for state taxation, in order to secure funds for the purchase, construction, lease or acquisition of any of the property described in subdivision 1 above or to be used in furtherance of any of the other powers or authorities granted in this amendment. Such obligations or evidences of indebtedness may (in addition to any pledge or pledges authorized by subdivision 8 of this amendment) be issued upon the full faith and credit of the muncipality or may be limited as to the source of their payment.

"7. To levy and collect annually, in addition to all other taxes now authorized or permitted, a special tax or taxes of not exceeding two percent on the value of all taxable property therein as determined for state taxation, in the same manner as other county or muncipal taxes are levied and collected. Such tax may be upon all property in any municipality in Pickens County or upon all property in any district the boundaries of which the governing body of such municipality shall describe and which it shall determine to be specially improved and benefited by any proposed use or expenditure of the proceeds of such tax.

"8. To pledge to the payment of any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness the annual proceeds from any such special tax or taxes and to obligate itself irrevocably to continue to levy and collect such taxes annually until such obligations or evidences of indebtedness are paid in full and to pledge thereto any rental or sales proceeds of property leased or sold by it.

"9. To create a public authority or corporation having such powers, managed and governed by such board or governing body and subject to such limitations as the governing body of any municipality in Pickens County may impose, by approving and filing a certificate to that effect in the office of the judge of probate or the secretary of state, or their respective successors in function, and to delegate to such public authority or corporation and its board or governing body all powers and authority conferred in this amendment upon any such municipality.

"The recital in any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness that they were issued pursuant to this amendment or that they were issued to provide funds to be used in furtherance of any power or authority herein authorized or that any special tax herein authorized has been pledged to the payment thereof shall be conclusive; no purchaser or holder thereof need inquire further; and the levy and collection of such tax shall continue until the principal of and interest on such obligations or evidences of indebtedness shall have been paid in full. The bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness issued hereunder shall not be considered an indebtedness of any municipality in Pickens County for the purpose of determining the borrowing capacity of such municipality under Sections 224 and 225 of the Constitution; and the taxes herein authorized shall be in addition to those provided for or permitted in Sections 215 and 216 of the Constitution and all amendments thereto.

"This amendment shall be self-executing; but the Legislature shall have the right and power by general, special or local act to adopt laws supplemental to this amendment or in furtherance of the purposes and objectives hereinabove set forth."

"10. No municipality shall make any engagement or commitment or undertake any project under the provisions hereof unless and until the proposition has been approved by a majority of the qualified electors of such municipality. The governing body of any municipality may provide for holding such elections, but in no case shall an election be held until notice of the election and of the proposition to be voted on has been published for at least three successive weeks."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 24

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"For the promotion of local industrial, commercial and agricultural development, Morgan County and the City of Hartselle and the City of Decatur shall each separately or any two or more of them jointly have full and continuing power.

(a) to purchase, construct, lease and otherwise acquire industrial, commercial and agricultural projects or sites, including real and personal property, plants, buildings, factories, works, facilities, machinery and equipment of any kind whatsoever;

(b) to lease, sell, exchange or otherwise convey all or any part of any such project or site to any person, firm or corporation;

(c) after an approving election as hereinafter provided, if required, to sell and issue for such purposes interest-bearing general obligation bonds. Neither the county nor the cities shall issue any bonds under the authority of this amendment, other than bonds issued to finance the acquisition or development of industrial sites, such development to include the extension and installation of streets and roadways and utility services, unless the question of the issuance of such bonds has first been submitted to the qualified electors of the county or the cities, as the case may be, and approved at such election by a majority of the qualified electors voting thereat. Each such election shall be called, held and conducted, and may be contested, in the manner provided by law for county or muncipal bond elections, as the case may be. Bonds issued under the authority of this amendment shall not be considered indebtedness of the county or the cities, as the case may be, within the meaning of Sections 224 and 225 of the Constitution of Alabama, but neither the county nor the cities shall at any time issue any bonds under the authority of this amedment if as a result thereof it will have outstanding an aggregate principal amount of bonds issued hereunder in excess of twenty per cent of an assessed value of the property in the county or the cities, as the case may be. Neither shall the county or the cities issue any bonds under the authority of this amendment, except bonds issued to finance the acquisition or development of industrial sites, such development to include the extension and installation of streets and roadways and utility services, unless prior thereto or contemporaneously therewith the county or the cities, as the case may be, has entered into a lease or other similar agreement, with respect to the project being financed by such bonds, providing for the payment to the county or the cities, as the case may be, of net rentals sufficient to pay the principal of and the interest on such bonds at the respective maturities of such principal and interest, and any bonds issued hereunder shall be secured by a pledge of such rentals and may be secured by a foreclosable mortgage on such project and by a pledge of any other taxes and revenues which the county or the cities, as the case may be, is authorized by law to pledge to the payment of its bonded indebtedness. All bonds issued under the authority of this amendment shall be sold at public sale in the manner required by law for the sale of county or municipal bonds, as the case may be, and shall mature and be payable in annual or semi-annual installments in such amounts and at such times as to result in the aggregate amount of principal and interest maturing thereon in each year following the year of their issuance being substantially equal, but shall not be subject to any other provisions of law relating to maturities of county or municipal bonds. In the event that any such action is necessary to prevent or cure a default in payment of the principal of or the interest on any bonds issued under the authority of this amendment, the county or the cities, as the case may be, is authorized to levy and collect ad valorem taxes without limitation as to rate or amount, on the assessed value of all taxable property in the county or the cities, as the case may be, but only so long as and only to such extent as necessary to prevent or cure any such default.

"In carrying out the purposes of this amendment, neither Morgan County nor the City of Hartselle nor the City of Decatur shall be subject to the provisions of Section 93 of the Constitution of Alabama, and the taxes which the county and the cities are hereinabove authorized to levy and collect are in addition to all other taxes which the county and the cities are authorized to levy and collect. This amendment shall be self-executing, but notwithstanding any contrary provisions of Section 104 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Legislature shall have the power, by general, special or local act, to enact laws supplemental hereto or in furtherance of the purposes hereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 25

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section 1. In addition to any taxes now authorized, or that may be hereafter authorized, by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, there is hereby levied a special school tax of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in School Tax District No. 1, Madison County, Alabama, which comprises all of Madison County, Alabama except the City of Huntsville, Alabama, to be used solely for public school purposes; provided the levy of said tax shall first have been approved by the qualified electors of the School District as hereinafter provided.

"Section 2. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of said School Tax District No. 1, Madison County, Alabama, who vote thereon vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment when it is submitted, the additional tax provided for in Section 1 shall be levied and collected for a period of thirty years without any other election having been held thereon. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of School Tax District No. 1, Madison County, Alabama, who vote thereon vote against its approval, the tax shall not be levied unless the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been again submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of School Tax District One, Madison County, Alabama, and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Subsequent elections may be held at intervals of not less than one year and shall be called, held, conducted, paid for and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in Constitutional Amendment III".

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 26

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section 1. In addition to any taxes now authorized, or that may be hereafter authorized, by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, there is hereby levied a special school tax of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville in Madison County to be used solely for public school purposes; provided the levy of said tax shall first have been approved by the qualified electors of the School District as hereinafter provided.

"Section 2. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville who vote thereon vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment when it is submitted, the additional tax provided for in Section 1 shall be levied and collected for a period of thirty years without any other election having been held hereon. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville who vote thereon vote against its approval, the tax shall not be levied unless the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been again submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Subsequent elections may be held at intervals of not less than one year and shall be called, held, conducted, paid for, and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in Constitutional Amendment III."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 27

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature of Alabama may hereafter, from time to time by general or local laws, fix, regulate, and alter the costs, charges of courts, fees, commissions, allowances, or compensation to be charged or received by the sheriff of Bibb County, and may also fix, regulate, and alter the method or basis of compensating such officer."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 28

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Whenever the tax authorized to be levied by Amendment No. 72 to the Constitution shall have been approved by vote of the qualified electors of Chambers County and levied by the governing body of the county, the proceeds of such tax may be used for any health purposes of the county, including providing of health facilities of all kinds and of health services; and the governing body of Chambers County may, in its discretion, expend any part of the proceeds thereof in cooperation with any one or more of the municipalities of the county, or in cooperation with any public or private non-profit hospital corporation; or the county governing body may cooperate in the consolidation of all such hospitals, facilities and services in Chambers county and expend all or any part of the proceeds of the said tax in support thereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 29

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Any provision of the Constitution or laws of the State of Alabama to the contrary notwithstanding, Marengo County acting through the county governing body shall have full and continuing power and authority, after an election held in accordance herewith, to do any one or more of the following:

"1. To purchase, construct, lease, or otherwise acquire real property, plants, buildings, factories, works, facilities, machinery and equipment of any kind.

"2. To lease, sell for cash or on credit, exchange, give and convey any such property described in subdivision 1 above, to any person, firm association or corporation.

"3. To promote local industrial, commercial or agricultural development and the location of new industries or businesses therein.

"4. To become a stockholder in any corporation, association or company.

"5. To lend its credit or to grant public moneys and things of value in aid of, or to, any individual, firm, association, or corporation whatsoever.

"6. To become indebted and to issue and sell interest bearing bonds, warrants (which may be payable from funds to be realized in future years), notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness, to a principal amount not exceeding fifty percent of the assessed value of taxable property therein as determined for state taxation, in order to secure funds for the purchase, construction, lease or acquisition of any of the property described in subdivision 1 above or to be used in furtherance of any of the other powers or authorities granted in this amendment. Such obligations or evidences of indebtedness may (in addition to any pledge or pledges authorized by subdivision 8 of this amendment) be issued upon the full faith and credit of Marengo County, or may be limited as to the source of their payment.

"The recital in any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness that they were issued pursuant to this amendment or that they were issued to provide funds to be used in furtherance of any power or authority herein authorized or that any special tax herein authorized has been pledged to the payment thereof shall be conclusive; no purchaser or holder thereof need inquire further; and the levy and collection of such tax shall continue until the principal of and interest on such obligations or evidence of indebtedness shall have been paid in full. The bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness issued hereunder shall not be considered an indebtedness of Marengo County for the purpose of determining the borrowing capacity of the county under Section 224 of the Constitution; and the taxes herein authorized shall be in addition to those provided for or permitted in Section 215 of the Constitution and all amendments thereto.

"7. To levy and collect annually, in addition to all other taxes now authorized or permitted, a special tax or taxes of not exceeding two percent on the value of all taxable property therein as determined for state taxation in the same manner as other county taxes are levied and collected. Such tax may be upon all property in the county, or upon all property in any district the boundaries of which the governing body of such county shall describe and which it shall determine to be specially improved and benefited by any proposed use or expenditure of the proceeds of such tax.

"8. To pledge to the payment of any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness the annual proceeds from any such special tax or taxes and to obligate itself irrevocably to continue to levy and collect such taxes annually until such obligations or evidence of indebtedness are paid in full and to pledge thereto any rental or sales proceeds of property leased or sold by it.

"9. To create a public authority or corporation having such powers, managed and governed by such board or governing body subject to such limitations as the governing body of Marengo County may impose, by approving and filing a certificate to that effect in the office of the judge of probate or the Secretary of State, or their respective successors in function, and to delegate to such public authority or corporation and its board or governing body all powers and authority conferred in this amendment upon the county.

"Marengo County shall not make any engagement or commitment or undertake any project under the provisions hereof unless and until the proposition has been approved by a majority of the qualified electors of the county who vote thereon at a referendum election held for such purpose. The governing body of the county may provide for holding such election, but in no case shall an election be held notice of the election and of the proposition to be voted on has been published once a week for three successive weeks before the election.

"This amendment shall be self-executing; but the Legislature may enact general, special or local laws supplemental to this amendment or in furtherance of the purposes and objectives hereinabove set forth."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 30

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to all other taxes now or hereafter authorized, the governing body of Lee County, in the State of Alabama, is authorized to levy, in the school district of the said county that comprises all of the territory of the said county outside of the corporate limits of the cities of Auburn and Opelika, a special district tax at a rate not exceeding 50c on each $100 of the valuation of the taxable property in the said district as assessed for state taxation; provided, that no such tax shall be levied hereunder unless the rate of the said tax, the time it is to continue, and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the said district and voted for by a majority of those voting in such election; provided, further, that if a majority of the qualified electors of the said district participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment shall vote for the adoption thereof, then the approval of this amendment expressed by the said vote in favor of its adoption shall of itself authorize the levy of the said tax, without an additional election, for a period of thirty consecutive years commencing with the levy for the tax year beginning October 1, 1969. Each election on the levy of the said tax held subsequent to the ratification of this amendment shall be called, held, conducted and canvassed, and notice thereof shall be given, in the manner and within the time provided by the then existing general laws of Alabama pertaining to elections on the levy of district school taxes under the provisions of Amendment III to the Constitution, except that the holding of any such election in the said district or the collection of the said tax therein shall not be dependent upon the levy and collection of any other tax, including specifically the three-mill special county school tax provided for in the said Amendment III. If the majority of the qualified electors of the said district participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment should not vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment, or if the majority of the qualified electors of the said district voting at any election called by the governing body of Lee County under the provisions of this amendment should not vote in favor of the levy of the said tax proposed at the election so called, the governing body of Lee County may from time to time call other elections hereunder on the levy of the said tax, but not more than one such election shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months.

"Nothing contained in this amendment shall be construed to authorize the levy of an additional tax on any propery within the corporate limits of either the City of Auburn or the City of Opelika."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 31

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may by general or local law provide that a trial tax or charge on litigation of not more than two dollars ($2.00) shall be taxed as costs in any case, action, or proceeding hereafter filed, whether at law or in equity, in the Circuit Court of Russell County and in the Court of Common Pleas of Russell County, which tax shall be in addition to any court costs heretofore authorized. The proceeds of such tax or charge shall be used for establishing, equipping, maintaining and operating a public law library in Russell County, including the payment of the salaries of the personnel needed to operate such library."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 32

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to any taxes now authorized or that may be hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, the several school districts of Talladega County shall have the power to levy and collect a special district tax of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in such districts for public school purposes; provided, that the time during which such tax is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors in each such district and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election, the election to be held in the same manner as provided by Code of Alabama 1940, Title 52, Chapter 10, Article 7 for an election on the school district tax authorized in Article XIX of the Constitution of Alabama. The funds arising from such special tax levied in any district which votes the same independently of the county shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the district as the law may direct."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 33

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Any provision of the Constitution or laws of the State of Alabama to the contrary notwithstanding, the governing body of the City of Birmingham shall have full and continuing power and authority to alienate or lease for a fair consideration and upon such terms as are acceptable to it any public park or playground or any part or portion thereof owned by said City, provided such governing body by resolution adopted by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the members thereof determine that such public park or playground or part or portion thereof to be alienated or leased is no longer needed as a public park or playground or a part or portion thereof; and provided further that the Park and Recreation Board of said City, if there be such a board at the time of such alienation or leasing, shall have prior thereto by resolution adopted by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the members of said Board determined that such public park or playground or portion thereof to be alienated or leased is no longer needed as a public park or a part or portion thereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 34

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, the counties of Lawrence, Limestone and Morgan, in this State, each shall have the power to levy and collect a special tax up to three mills on each dollar's worth of taxable property in the county, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for general health purposes; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof, and the times such taxes are proposed to be continued, shall have first been submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of each of such counties, and voted for by the majority of those voting at such elections in all three such counties. The special tax provided herein may be renewed from time to time in the manner provided herein, for such periods of time as are necessary. If any proposal to levy the taxes is defeated in any election, subsequent elections thereon may be held at any time. The elections provided for herein shall be called, held, conducted and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in amendment Three, Article 19 of the Constitution of Alabama and by Article 7, Chapter 10, Title 52 of the Code of Alabama 1940; but the governing bodies of the counties of Lawrence, Limestone and Morgan shall each provide for paying the expense of the election in its county. The county tax collector of each of such counties shall collect the tax in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as the taxes of the State are collected, and he shall keep the proceeds of this tax separate and apart from all other funds, and shall keep clear accounts thereof. The tax collector shall distribute the proceeds of this special tax in the manner prescribed by the governing body of the county and the revenue derived from the tax levied hereunder shall be used for general health purposes in the county where levied or in cooperation with the other two counties named above."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

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ATTEST:
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Schools observe Education Week

Alabama schools and communities join those throughout the nation in observing the week of November 9–15 as American Education Week. In officially proclaiming the annual visit - the - schools week in Alabama, Governor Albert P. Brewer urged citizens of the state to take advantage of the opportunity to learn more about the progress and possibilities of Alabama's educational system.

Education in Alabama is a half-billion dollar enterprise. The number of children enrolled in the state's public elementary and secondary schools exceeds the total state population of Utah. Instructional staff, to serve these 830,000 Alabama students, includes more than 35,000 persons who are employed by the 120 county and city school systems within the state.

Quality education becomes more essential as United States technology and automation become more sophisticated. Not only does the education of a citizenry determine community and state progress, a direct relationship exists between years of schooling and level of individual income. Latest published figures of the Bureau of Census estimating lifetime incomes for men in terms of the number of years of formal education are as follows:

Less than eight years of grade school $189,000
Eight years of grade school $247,000
One to three years of high school $284,000
Four years of high school $341,000
One to three years of college $394,000
Four years of college $508,000
Five or more years of college $587,000

The U. S., the oldest democracy and the oldest republic in the world, also has the oldest public school system in the world. Democracy could not work without an enlightened electorate. For a century and a half American schools have served and strengthened the commonwealth - and vindicated democracy's promise.

Unemployment claims drop

New claims for unemployment compensation in September dropped to a three-year low for that month, reports the Alabama Department of Industrial Relations.

According to the industrial relations survey, such claims were down by more than 6 percent from the previous month and about 10 percent from September of last year.

At the same time, total unemployement covered by the compensation program declined and measured 1.7 percent of the insured jobless total. This level is below the 1.8 percent reported in August and the 2.3 percent at the same time of the previous year.

Total benefit payments from the unemployment insurance trust fund during September were in excess of $1.3 million, and some $276,000 less than for the same time a year ago. Benefit payments were made to 13,185 claimants and averaged $35.30 per week.

Payments to women declined substantially over the month. The major decreases were from claimants in factory work and trade establishments

Payments to men also were down from August.

DITCH FOR DRYER PASTURE - - Machinery digs a drainage ditch on the C. R. Crim farm near the county airport. Crim plans pastures for boarding horses.

Patients at Bryce Hospital excited over new washer

Female patients on Wards 31-E and 12-E at Bryce Hospital are all excited these days about their new washing machine.

The washer, a large commercial type, is a gift from the Morgan County Association for Mental Health.

While Bryce Hospital operates its own large laundry, having access to a washer enables the women to launder their clothes more frequently and take more pride in their appearance, an important aspect of their recovery. It makes them "more responsible for the upkeep of their own clothing," says Dr. Donald Smith, Assistant Superintendent.

The washing machine represents the latest in a long line of gifts contributed by the Morgan County Association for Mental Health.

Edna Earle Eich, Executive Director, is the moving force behind the the Association's interest in Bryce.

It was after a trip to Bryce Hospital in March of 1968 that Mrs. Eich came up with the idea of asking twelve churches in Morgan County to participate in a program where each church would take one month out of the year and perform some service for a particular ward at Bryce.

Her plan met with much success and every month since then a church from Morgan County has provided needed items for Bryce.

Cosmetics, curtains, hair dryers, shampoo bowls, hair nets, underwear, soap, toothpaste, deodorant, bobby pins, tobacco, and toothbrushes are just some of the articles supplied to Bryce patients through the Association.

Not content with the mere act of sending gifts, many members of the participating churches have come to Tuscaloosa to sponsor ward parties and take patients on bus rides.

Mrs. Audrey Grammer, Coordinator of Volunteer Services at Bryce, is the person responsible for arranging ward parties and accepting and distributing gifts.

Drainage ditch adds 10 acres of grazing land to Crim farm

By Lee Stevens

A drainage ditch to eliminate flood water standing on land is adding approximately 10 acres pasture land to C. R. Crim's farming operation... ACP cost-share payment pays approximately 50 percent of the cost of constructing the drainage ditch.

Crim owns a 315 acre farm near the Shelby County Airport. He is in the process of developing pastures on the farm. "What looks particularly promising at this time is pasturing horses for people in the Birmingham area," he said.

To provide grass best suited for the horses, Crim has changed his pasture program. According to a Soil Conservation Service plan developed by District Conservationist John Murrow and others of the soil conservation office, he is using a mixture of Dallis grass, Bahia grass, fescue, and orchard grass.

Crim is now providing pasture for 10 to 12 horses, however he sees possibility of increasing this number. Pasture rental is approximately $10 per month for pasture only. When stall fees and feed are involved, charges can go up to as much as $50 per month per animal.

Fertilization of the pastures increases forage yield. Fertilizers are applied at seeding time and annually for maintenance according to soil needs.

Livestock water ponds have been built on the farm over a period of years starting some 10 years ago. ACP cost share assistance has been provided in building ponds for stock water and for pasture development where applicable, according to Shelby County ASC Office Manager Oland Smith.

Fee fishing in one of the ponds built from personal funds has provided income on the Crim farm. The pond was stocked with bass, bream and channel catfish approximately five years ago.

One of Crim's most recent additions to the farm is a "water hole" type livestock pond. ACP cost share assistance in building this pond was provided through a practice first recommended and approved for Shelby County a number of years ago. The practice was later approved on a state and national basis.

Subject to prior ASCS County Committee approval stock water ponds of this type up to two tenths acre can be built without drainage facilities, Smith explained.

Crim, a building contractor, commutes to the Shelby County farm from a home in Birmingham. He plans, however, to build and occupy a home on the farm in the future.

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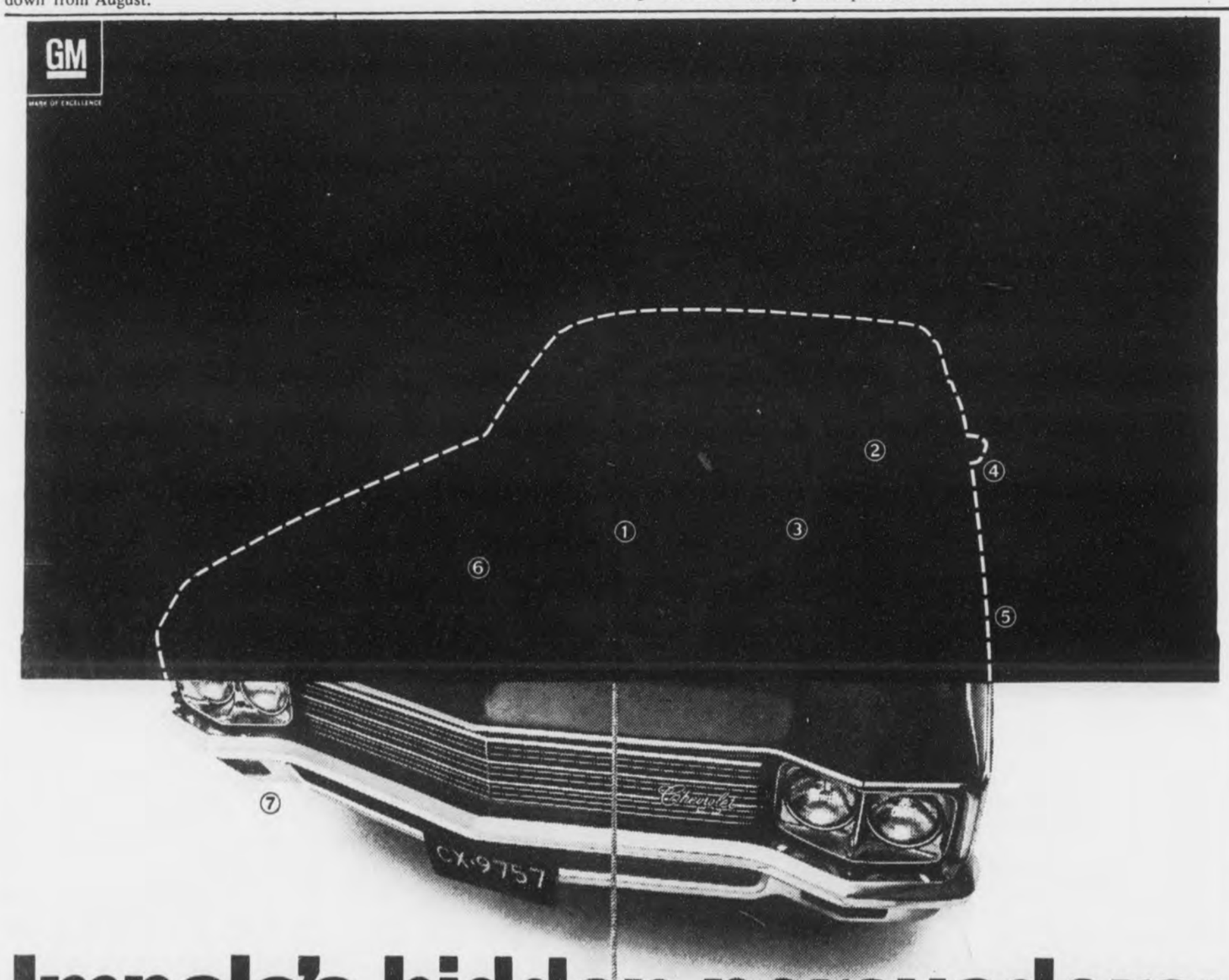

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HANDI–MART FIRE - - Montevallo Vulunteer Firemen worked in the freezing cold Saturday night battling a fire at the Handi-Mart which apparently started with an electrical short in the rear of the building. Steve Huffstutler (l) Bobby Hughes and Dr. Dale Caldwell (back to camera) pass the hose to Herbert Milstead and Dr. Mike Mahan on the ladder as Ray Perry runs to get more equipment. Damage to the building and the contents was extensive. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Textile union defeated 128-57 in secret vote

In a secret ballot election conducted by the National Labor Relations Board in Columbiana, on November 14, the United Textile Workers' Union, AFL-CIO, was overwhelmingly rejected by employees of the Columbiana plant of the Elastic Corporation of America.

The vote was 128 against the union and 57 in favor of the union.

There were eight challenged ballots, all challenged by the union.

The secret ballot election climaxed a long and heated campaign which resulted in numerous charges and counter-charges being filed by the company and the union against one another in the courts and with the National Labor Relations Board.

During the campaign, the United Textile Workers' Union attempted to get the company to recognize the union without having a secret ballot election. When the company refused to recognize the union, a strike was called on August 4, 1969. The strike received wide publicity.

Joe Murray, President of the company, noted that on August 15, representatives of management and non-striking employees were held prisoners in the plant by strikers and others in sympathy with the strike. Several hundred persons surrounded the plant and threw rocks, bottles and other objects at those attempting to leave the plant, according to Murray. Murray said the union representative, Albert De loach told him the Union would let them out of the plant if the Company would recognize the Union. Murray stated that he refused such recognition and that it was late in the night before the employees could leave the plant, under police escort.

As a result of unfair labor practice charges filed against the union by the company, the National Labor Relations Board found that the union had unlawfully engaged in mass picketing, threats, physical assaults on non-striking employees and that entrances to the plant had been blocked during the strike. The National Labor Relations Board's order was enforced by the U. S. Court of Appeals.

Joe Murray stated that the National Labor Relations Board had cleared the company of all charges filed by the union. Murray stated, following the election, "We knew all along that the vast majority of our employees would reject the union if they simply were given a chance to express their desires by secret ballot vote. Now that our employees have spoken on this important issue, the matter is settled. The thing that saddens me, however, is the fact that some of our employees followed the leadership of this Union. Because of their involvement in misconduct during the strike, a number of them have lost their jobs, their savings, and the security they enjoyed in working for this Company".

The National Labor Relations Board election was supervised by Carlton Bryan from Birmingham, Alabama, the Union was represented by Eugene County, Decatur, Alabama, and the company was represented by the Law Firm of Constangy & Prowell of Atlanta, Georgia.

VALLEY OPEN HOUSE - - National Education Week at Valley School north of Pelham was observed with math demonstrations and an open house. Here pretty Valley students serve refreshments to Principal Mrs. Bertha Cosper, David Byers, of Rt. 1 Helena, and Charles Byers of Crofton, Md. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Loren Hulber Assistant V.P.

Mr. Loren J. Hulber, General Manager of the Vincent office of Vulcan Binder and Cover, a division of EBSCO Industries, Inc., has been elected Assistant Vice President of EBSCO Industries, a diversified sales and manufacturing organization with its international headquarters in Birmingham, Alabama.

Mr. Hulber was elected at EBSCO's quarterly board of directors' meeting in Lake Tahoe, Nevada on October 31.

Mr. Hulber now resides in Birmingham after spending most of his earlier life in Michigan.

Since his arrival in Vincent, Mr. Hulber has shown consistent profit-making potential and has established a steady growth pattern for Vulcan Binder and Cover, according to company spokesmen.

INSPECT HELENA OPERATION - - Talking with Kenneth M. Cooper (r) at his beef slaughter house are, from left, SCHS Vo-Ag teacher Robert Hughes, Extension Agent W. M. "Buck" Clark, and Hubert S. Atchison, President of Shelby County Cattlemen's Association.

Warrior Fund goes to Mental Health

Shelby County's new Mental Health organization received its first contribution from the Warrior Fund, raised at Thompson High School.

The sum of $266.60 was given to the local mental health group as a result of fund-raising activities at the school.

Mrs. Rena Kent of the Mental Health Board of Directors, told the Reporter there are an estimated 3,370 mentally ill or disturbed people in or from Shelby County. At Bryce Hospital there are 47 persons from this county, at Searcy, 22 and at Partlow, there are 34.

The money from the Warrior Fund will go to the special projects committee, of which Mrs. F.C.G. McGurk is chairman. Expenditures which come under special projects are transportation, drugs, doctor bills, expenses of representatives to attend state mental health meetings, travel for Bryce choir, rehabilitation after patients return home, and spending money at the canteen.

Officers of the county mental health organization include Dr. F.C.G. McGurk, president, Mrs. Gwen Campbell, secretary and Mrs. Mike Mahan, treasurer. Anyone wishing to make contributions is urged to contact any of these persons.

Students at Thompson High School raised $764.81 this fall in their annual Warrior Fund drive.

The concentrated week-long drive featured faculty - student volley ball and basketball games, a talent show and movie. Spectators paid to attend these activities which were held during the activity

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WARRIOR FUND CONTRIBUTION - - The first contribution to the newly organized Shelby County Mental Health Association was made Friday by the students of Thompson High School. Here Benny "Butch" Wilson on behalf of the Warrior Fund, presents a check for $266.60 to Mrs. F.C.G. McGurk of Montevallo, chairman of special projects for the local Mental Health group. (Photo by Ed Blake)

READY FOR TAKE–OFF - - Doug Ballard, Sr., (left) assists two members of the Birmingham Soaring Society, Inc. Dick Pizitz (center) and Dr. Charles Crowe, before they take off from the Flying X Ranch near Underwood. Ballard, owner of the ranch, is an honorary member of the new organization. (See additional photographs on page 7)

Famous organist concert Sunday

The dedicatory concert on the new church pipe organ at Montevallo's Methodist Church will be played by world renowned organist Max Janowski.

The concert, open to the public, will begin at 7:30 Sunday evening.

Janowski is the founder and president of Chicago's Janowski School of Music.

In addition to television, radio and concert performances as organist, pianist or conductor, Janowski is the composer of more than 620 compositions including oratorios, cantatas, orchestral works and compositions for children's choirs.

As a concert artist he has appeared throughout the United States, Europe and Asia.

The organ at the Montevallo Methodist Church was built by the E. M. Skinner Company in 1923 for Selma's First Presbyterian Church.

In 1967 the instrument was purchased by the congregation of Montevallo's Methodist Church. The job of dismantling and transporting the organ to Montevallo was supervised by Dr. S. M. Mahan.

The J. S. Hovespian and Sons firm of Oakland, Florida was commissioned to restore and rebuild the organ. Restoration consumed approximately one year. The job was completed in March of 1968.

Today, the three manual, seventeen rank pipe organ is valued at more than $40,000.

Members of the special organ committee at the church are Dr. S. M. Mahan, Jr., Chairman, James D. Seaman, Dr. John Stewart and J. A. Kelly.

CALERA PARK CONSTRUCTION - - Workmen have found the weather favorable this fall as they construct a building on the grounds of Calera's new city park. New tennis courts have been completed on the site which is designed to be a complete family recreation center. Financing is largely through a federal grant.

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

The special election in Beat 12 on the question of whether or not the Beat will come under the zoning regulations of the Shelby County Planning Board has been postponed and will not be held on December 9. The Planning Board determined that time was not available to give the voters ample opportunity to study the proposed zoning regulations. A new petition signed by not less than 25 property owners who are also voters in Beat 12 will have to be submitted to the Probate Office before the election can be called again.

Now that the motor vehicle tag sale is over, the offices of the Assessor, Collector, and Probate Judge will resume their normal schedule. The offices are open from 8:00 till 12:00 and 1:00 till 5:00 each week day, except they are closed Wednesday and Saturday afternoon.

The Board of Revenue will meet next on Wednesday, November 26, 9:00 a.m. This is a special meeting and will take the place of the regular meeting scheduled for Monday, November 24. Judge Fowler, Chairman of the Board of Revenue, will attend a meeting of the National Association of Counties to be held in Washington November 24-25 and the Board postponed the regular meeting till Wednesday.

All Courthouse offices will be closed on Thanksgiving Day.

The Social Security representative will be in the courthouse on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving Day. During Christmas week, she will not have office hours in Columbiana, but the following Wednesday, before New Year's Day she will again have office hours.

Following the holiday season, she will return to her Thursday schedule.

Former State Senator W. G. McCarley of Prattville is slated to go on trial November 24 with Senator Ray Lolley of Enterprise on charges of soliciting a legislative bribe.

McCarley represented Shelby County in the Senate as well as Coosa, Autauga and Chilton Counties before he was expelled from the Senate. His request to have the trial moved to Birmingham from a Montgomery court was denied.

Morris Dees of Montgomery is McCarley's attorney.

Before Nov. 15 - - the deadline for purchasing license tags for autos, trucks etc. - - 13,500 license plates had been sold. The largest number of tags issued for one morning was tabulated on Saturday - - the last day for purchasing the tags without the additional penalty for late-comers. On this occasion - - before 12 o'clock noon, when the offices in the courthouse closed for the week end, 1500 license tags had been sold.

Monday, Nov. 17, after the deadline for purchasing auto tags had passed, the corridors were still crowded and the days total tabulation showed 500 license plates had been procured.

Colonel Floyd H. Mann released the following statistics for Shelby county so far in 1969. State Troopers have investigated 367 accidents resulting in 62 injuries and 15 deaths. For the same period in 1968 your troopers had investigated 324 accidents resulting in 113 injuries and 9 deaths.

BEAUTY CANDIDATES - - Beauty will be featured during the University of Montevallo's Elite Night program Saturday night. In addition to honoring student leaders and students whose names will appear in the publication "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities", preliminary judging of the school's top beauties will take place. Candidates for Beauty honors are pictured by academic class. First row (l to r) are seniors Molly Hill of Gadsden and Jackie Faulkner of Montgomery. Second row (l to r) are freshmen Yebbie Price, Sylacauga; Patty Pennington, Mobile; Patti McDougal, Bessemer; Debbie Harper, Mobile; Janis Rooney, Prichard; Jan Lee, Birmingham; Rebecca Thompson, Forest Home; Audrey Higdon, Prichard and Sammie Kramer, Dothan. Third row (l to r) are sophomores Jane Shafer, Birmingham; Deane Summerford, Birmingham; Maureen McDonald, Mobile; Elizabeth Teague, Birmingham; Betty Thornton, Birmingham; Renee van Tuyll, Montevallo; Beverly Bush, Seale; Karen DeWitt; Birmingham; and Jane Hammond, Montgomery. Fourth row (l to r) are juniors Linda Baltzell, Augusta, Ga; Carol Moore, Chelsea; Jo Ann Wilkes, Birmingham; Sissy Johnston, Ozark; Sydney Parker, Birmingham; Connie Doran, Huntsville; Mary Sokoloskie, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla; Myra Lawley, Siluria; Pam Ryer, Huntsville; and Mary Linda Summerville, Aliceville.

District Boy Scout leaders plan encampment at UM lake

Some 50 administrators and leaders of the Vulcan District, Boy Scouts of America, will begin a two-day encampment Saturday noon, on the shores of the University of Montevallo Lake.

Purpose of the training session is to teach scout administrators, scout masters and leaders how to use Scouting's outdoor program.

The entire group will be housed in two-man tents that will be pitched around the University Lake.

A variety of demonstrations will instruct the scouters in such subjects as outdoor cooking, use of axe, knife and bow saw, nature conservation, map and compass reading, tracking, trailing and stalking and "safe swim defense".

The men will cook all meals over campfires and will participate in two flag ceremonies.

The Vulcan District of the Boy Scouts includes all of Shelby County and the southern section of Jefferson County.

Rural mail patrons reminded of regulations

Rural mail carriers are often asked to perform services that are above and beyond the services required of them.

Columbiana Postmaster R. J. Ozley reminds rural mail patrons that postal regulations require them to affix postage stamps to their own outgoing mail.

Quite often during the holiday season, Ozley says, people who live on rural mail routes prepare their Christmas cards, bundle them with rubber bands, and place them in their mailboxes with the correct sum of money to buy stamps. Then the mail carrier is expected to put the stamps on the envelopes. This is contrary to postal regulations.

Ozley says that mail carriers will still sell stamps to persons on the routes, but the patrons must stamp their own envelopes before mailing.

Warrior

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periods at the school.

In addition each home room was asked to contribute $10. J. B. Denham and Larry Simmons were the faculty advisors for the fund raising activity.

Proceeds of the fund will be distributed as follows: 50 per cent to Crippled Children's Fund; 20 per cent to March of Dimes; 10 per cent to Mental Health; 10 per cent to the Heart Fund and 10 per cent to Cancer Research, according to Mrs. Rena Kent, who is handling the fund distribution.

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Soldier stationed in Vietnam writes home to Uncle George

By George C. Starcher

Refreshing contrast to the highly vocal unscrubbed and shaggy peaconiks are letters I receive from my nephew Alan Swinhart, E03, now serving as a member of C B Team o707 (13 men) near the Cambodian border (Rach Gia and Kien Luong, of the Western Seaboard) of South Vietnam). This is his second tour of duty in Vietnam. From his latest letter here are excerpts:

"We are still having heavy rains, so I can't do any E O work (Heavy equipment operation), but have asked to go along on a bridge job to do the labor. For the last three days three of us (Seabees) have been digging holes for forms and mixing concrete along with the villagers who - - get more excited when they see us working hard to help them."

"All the help they give is free and volunteer. They need the bridge, and accumulated the money and help on their own."

"When we are trying to dig, or cut steel reinforcement for the forms, one or two men will come out of their shops and take the shovel or hacksaw away from us and do the work themselves."

"All the concrete so far has been mixed by hand (for the 75' x 6' bridge). I have gotten used to the hard work again and am really enjoying it. Now we are filling 600 bags with sand (for a cofferdam)."

"We got word tonight that we are the only team who is not being harassed in the whole Delta area."

"All of these politicians who know all about V N (Vietnam) should see what the vacuum caused by the pullout is causing. Now the N V A and the V C are trying to get as many men into the delta as the Vietnamese government has. They are succeeding, thanks to the pullout. Even though the people are fighting better, this does not seem the time to pull out."

"What dopes we are to waste so many lives, then leave when we seem to be making some little progress."

"I get charged up everytime I think about the reporters and (other) men who say they have been to V N to see what it is like, when they have their ideas already on what they are going to report on - and they just want to say they have been here to substantiate their report."

Other letters show a similar appreciation of efforts the South Vietnamese are making to help themselves. This team is at present non-combatant, but terribly exposed, and helps in many phases of rebuilding. Alan even helps by teaching spoken English to a class of young Vietnamese at night. His normal daytime jobs deal with road building and other heavy equipment jobs.

Services set in Wilsonville

A pre-Thanksgiving community service will be held in the Wilsonville Baptist Church at 7:30 P.M. Nov. 24, the Rev. Frank Sims, offering the sermon.

The Wilsonville Methodist Church and Old Chapel Church musicians will furnish the special music for the occasion.

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Helena cattleman processes over 300 animals each year

By John E. Jones
Ext. Farm Agent

Fifteen years ago Kenneth Cooper of Helena slaughtered and processed his first beef animal. He had no idea that his new business would grow to where he now processes 364 animals a year.

When Kenneth began slaughtering beef animals, he had some help from J. B. Blatzer of Pelham, a retired butcher. "Blatzer taught me all I know about cutting up beef", Cooper says. Mrs. Cooper and Kenneth are now doing all the killing, cutting and wrapping by themselves.

The Helena cattleman started processing beef animals as a means of marketing some of his own cattle that he had fed out. He also processes cattle for different people who have fed out their own animals and he still has to buy cattle to fill all of his orders.

In 1967 Cooper moved his processing business into a new building. He first started killing beef animals in a small building near his barn. In the new modern building he has the capacity for aging up to 20 animals at a time. Cooper says that "One of the nice things about the new building, is that I don't have to pick up the beef, except from the scales to the cutting block".

Kenneth works around 10 hours a day, five days a week processing beef animals. Saturday he always leaves open to look after his herd of Hereford cattle.

Mrs. Cooper says, "We are now processing as many animals as we can without getting more help".

Revival at K-Springs

A. W. Benefield, pastor of K-Springs Church of God, located near Chelsea, announces a series of revival services to begin Nov. 24 and continue through Nov. 30. Evening services only will be held beginning at 7 o'clock each night. A different guest speaker will be presented each evening and a cordial welcome awaits all who will come and share these meetings with members of this church.

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MATH STUDY COURSE - - Carla Whitten, a sixth grader at Valley Elementary School, demonstrates to her mother, Mrs. William L. Whitten (right) of Indian Springs, the new individualized math study course. Mrs. Grace McGraw, math teacher, explained the new course allows students to progress at their own rate.

Delta Kappa Gamma Society meets at Valley Elementary

The Alpha Nu Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society of Shelby County met at Valley Elementary School on Nov. 13 at 7 o'clock P. M.

Following a brief executive meeting, reports were heard from the budget and special projects committees, after which the program - centering emphasis on Vietnam was presented by Miss Vinnie Lee Walker who spoke on the religious, economical, political and cultural life of the Vietnamese.

Members in attendance included: Mesdames Francis Anthony, Glennie Clark, Bertha Cosper, Carolyn Davidson, Emmie Davidson, Nannie Dee Durdin, Wylodine Hill, Doris Jeter, Myrtle Johnson, Mary Kroell, Ann McGoughy, Hildred Nichols, Emily Pendleton, Margie Sullivan, Inez Underwood, Esther Upchurch, Sarah Walker, Zera Walton, Margaret Youngblood, Rebecca McGaughy, and Misses Aileen Pope, Mary Roach, and Vinnie Lee Walker, also attending were Dr. Frances Cannon and Dr. Besse Terry.

The event was hosted by Mrs. Emmie Davidson, Mrs. Carolyn Davidson, Mrs. Sarah Walker and Miss Mary Roach.

The December meeting will be held in the Montevallo High School Home Ec. Department, and will feature a Christmas theme with the retired teachers of Shelby County as honor guests.

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DUNNAVANT CIVITAN CLUB - - E. B. Bowdoin, President of the new Dunnavant Civitan Club (l.) receives the club charter from District Governor Ed Jackson.

Earl Bowden first president of Dunnavant Civitan Club

Civitans of the Alabama central district joined together to help welcome the members of the Newly organized Dunnavant Civitan Club into a larger fellowship, knowledge and service on Saturday evening, November 15 at the Leeds National Guard Armory..

Guest speaker for the occasion was immediate past Gov. Rev. Robert F. Maxwell of the Taylorville civitan club of Tuscaloosa. He was introduced by Hilton J. Ishee, Harding College chairman from Eutaw.

Gov. Ed W. Jackson, Jr. from Shades Valley initiated the new officers and presented the official charter to the President of the Dunnavant Club. District Sec. - Treas. Crawford Barrow installed the following officers: President Earl Bowden; Vice-Pres. Leon Kirkland; Sec. Joe T. Parker; Treas: Fred Henson; Chaplain Rev. John Pendleton; Sgt-at-arms John Gardner, directors Joe Bagwell, J. C. Acton, Johnnie Ray, M. C. Isbell and John Pendleton.

Assisting the sponsoring Leeds Civitan Club in organizing the new Dunnavant Club were Lt. Gov. Pete Wainwright of the Bluff Park Club, Peter Scro, district inter-club chairman of the Leeds Club and Howard Seale, district extension chairman of the Shades Valley Club.

Wilton Baptist's pastor called to Bessemer

The Rev. Joe R. Bancroft has accepted a call to become pastor of the Macedonia Baptist Church in the Bessemer Baptist Association. The church is located near the Bessemer - Montevallo Highway about ten miles south of Bessemer on Shades Crest Road.

Rev. Bancroft has been pastor of the Wilton Baptist Church for the past two years. November 23 is the last Sunday he will officiate at services in Wilton.

Men are like trains - - They are at their best when on the level.

OBITUARY
James Wallace Curtis

Funeral services were conducted from the Bolton Chapel in Columbiana at two o'clock Monday afternoon, Nov. 17, for James Wallace Curtis, 65, a retired school teacher who died Nov. 16 in Chilton County Hospital following a lengthy illness. The Rev. J. W. Merrell and the Rev. Thomas Higgins, were in charge of the service.

Mr. Curtis was engaged in the teaching profession for 40 years before retiring a few years ago due to ill health. He was a resident of Siluria at the time of his death.

Survivors are his widow: Mrs. Louise Curtis of Siluria; one son, James W. Curtis, Jr., of Columbiana; and two grandsons, Kenny and Tim Curtis of Columbiana.

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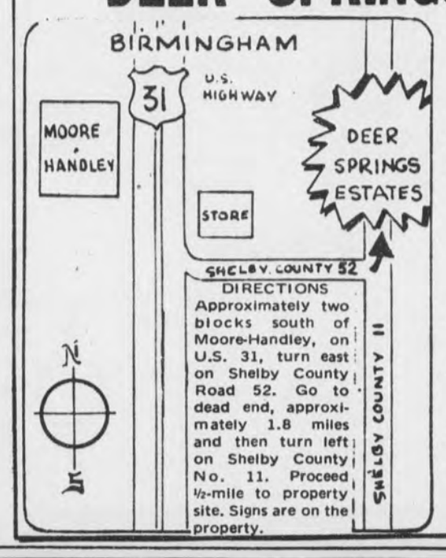

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PROBATE COURT

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Elizabeth Chancellor Graham
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Legal Notice
Administrator's Settlement Notice
The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
PROBATE COURT,
November 5, 1969

This day came Bionnie Lenora Vanderslice, Administratrix of Edward Duran Vanderslice and files his accounts, vouchers, evidence and statement for final settlement of his said Administration.

It is ordered that the 16th day of December, 1969, be and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.

Witness my hand this 5th day of November, 1969.

Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
11-13,20,27, 1969 †117

NOTICE OF SPECIAL COUNTY ELECTION
TO BE HELD DECEMBER 9, 1969

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special election will be held in Shelby County in the State of Alabama on the 9th day of December, 1969, during the regular hours for holding of elections, at which there will be submitted to the qualified electors of said County for their determination by ballot, the question of whether or not a special county tax of ten cents (10¢) on each $100 of taxable property in Shelby County as assessed for State taxation, in addition to all other taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Alabama (including the special county tax for educational purposes of forty cents (40¢) on each $100 of taxable property in the County authorized at an election held on April 16, 1963, pursuant to the Constitutional Amendment hereinafter referred to) shall be levied for a period of twenty years beginning with the levy for the tax year commencing October 1, 1969, and ending with the levy for the tax year commencing October 1, 1988, and collected for a period of twenty years beginning with collection in the tax year commencing October 1, 1970, and ending with the collection in the tax year commencing October 1, 1989, said tax to be levied and collected for educational purposes in Shelby County in accordance with the provisions of an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama proposed by Act No. 23 adopted at the 1961 Extra Session of the Legislature of the State of Alabama and proclaimed ratified on May 10, 1962.

Said election shall be held at the regular voting places in the County, heretofore established and designated in accordance with law, to-wit:

Voting Places and Location

Beat No.	Box No.	Location
1	1A	Old Board of Revenue Office, Columbiana
1	1b	Board of Revenue, Columbiana
1	2	Shelby, Davis Grocery
1	3A	City Hall, Columbiana
1	3B	City Hall, Columbiana
2		Shelby, Rt. Frank Jordan Farm
3	1A	City Hall, Calera
3	1B	City Hall, Calera
3	2	National Guard Armory, Calera
4	1A	Montevallo, City Hall
4	1B	Montevallo, Ken Terry Chevrolet
4	2	City Hall, Wilton
4	3A	Alabama Power Co. Office, Montevallo
4	3B	Alabama Power Co. Office, Montevallo
5		J.R. Martin Res., Bamford
6		City Hall, Helena
7	1	Saginaw, Camp Br. Civic Cent.
7	2A	Y Building, Siluria
7	2B	Y Building, Siluria
7	3	Alabaster City Hall
8	1	Chesser's Store, Chelsea
8	2	Chesser's Store, Chelsea
9	1	City Hall, Wilsonville
9	2	Blalock's Store, Wilsonville
10	1	City Hall, Harpersville
10	2	Arkwright, Thompson Service Sta.
11		Westover, Archer's Store
12		Community House, New Hope
13		Taff Sheet's Store, Bold Spr.
14		Vandiver, Watson Store
15		Sterrett, Legion Hut
16	1	City Hall, Vincent
16	2	Gas Board Office, Vincent
17	1A	Pelham, City Hall
17	1B	Pelham, City Hall
17	2	City Hall, Alabaster
18		Dunnavant School, Dunnavant
19	1	Union Hall, Maylene
20		Pea Ridge, Mayberry
21		Baird Groc. Ebenzer
Absentee Ballot		Office of Circuit Clerk Shelby Co. Court House
19	2	Dogwood School, Dogwood

By order of the Board of Revenue and Control of Shelby County, Alabama, on October 27, 1969.

s/ C. P. (Red) Walker
Sheriff of Shelby County,
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Oct. 30, Nov. 6, 13, 20, 1969 †111.

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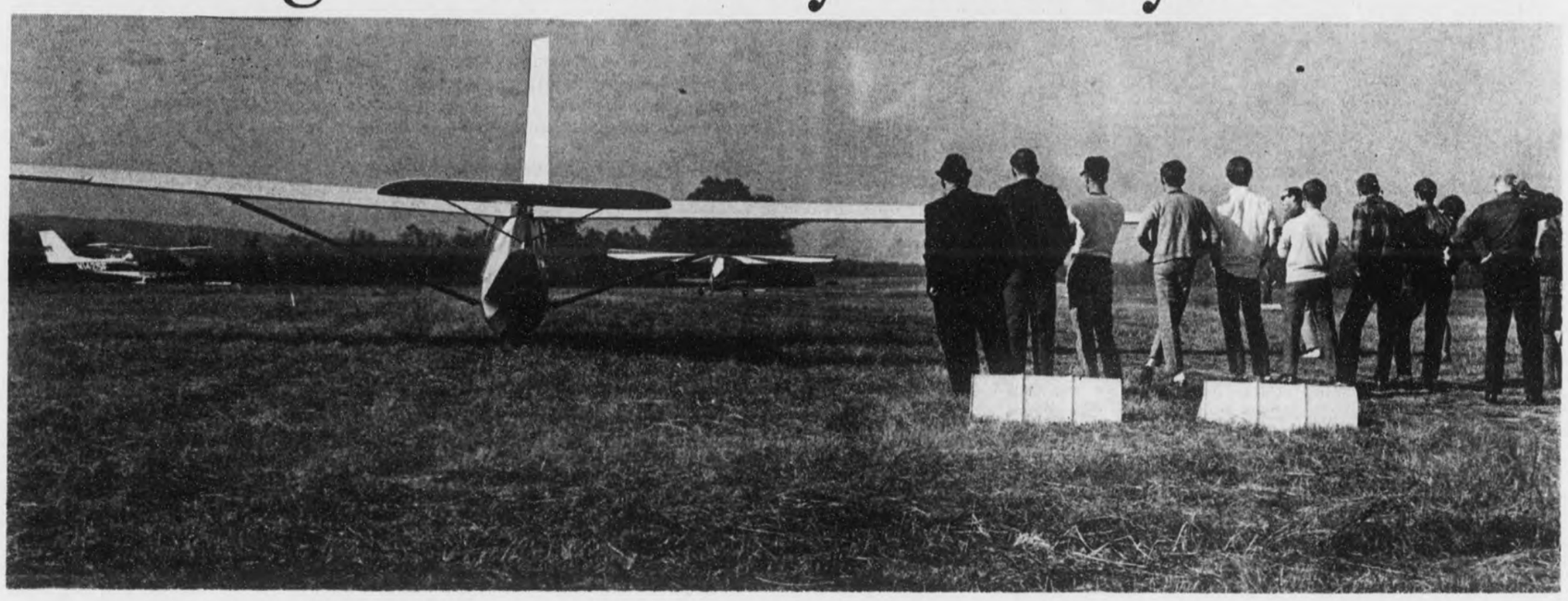

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...On wings of wind

Members of the Birmingham Soaring Society, Inc., and spectators watch the glider as it begins rolling down the sod runway at the Flying X Ranch (see top photo). Like a giant hawk, the glider leaves the ground (see photo at right) and heads for a ride on the wings of the wind.

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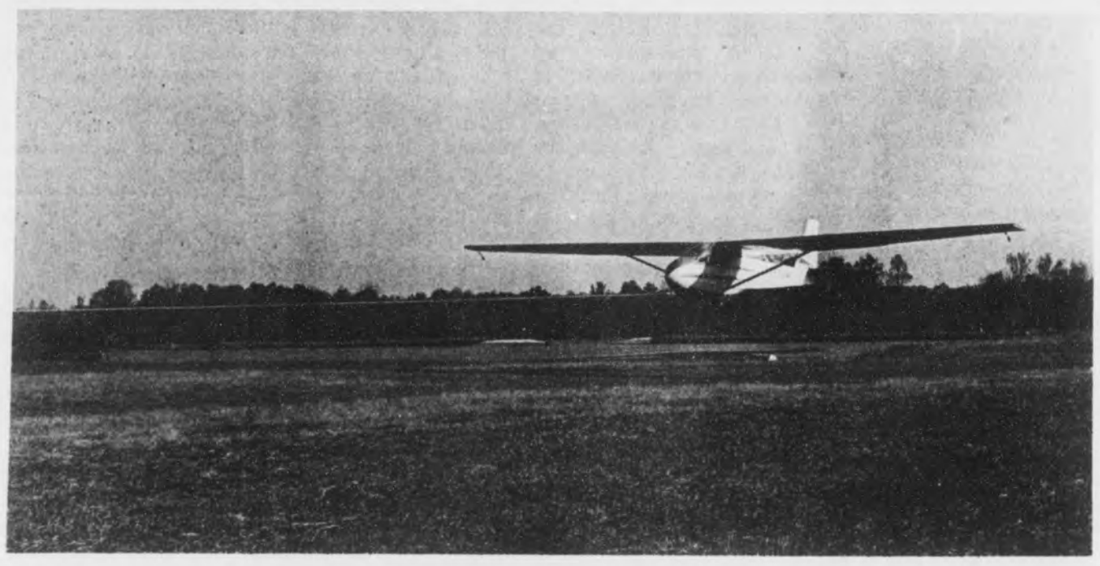

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From Columbiana, drive out Shelby Road. Turn left on the Mooney Road in Billingsley's Subdivision, where you will see a sign indicating the apartments.

For information on leasing, call Mrs. W. T. Bradley,
669-2811 or 669-7191

U of A alumni meet Nov. 25

Frank Ellis Jr., president of the University of Alabama Alumni Association, Shelby County Chapter, announces a meeting of all members on the evening of Nov. 25, at 7:00 o'clock, at the Triple J Restaurant in Alabaster.

A brief report from the National Office will be made after which the 1968 Auburn film or the 1968 Highlights film will be shown.

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The name for Columbiana's new apartment house is the "Cairngorm". It was suggested to the owner, Dr. John Morgan by an architect when he found that Mrs. Morgan was from Scotland.

The name comes from a mountain in Scotland between the Shires of Aberdeen and Inverness. The mountain is famous for the semi-precious stones found there, also called "cairngorms." Mrs. Morgan tells the Reporter that the stone comes in yellow, wine and smoky brown colors and consists of rock crystals colored by oxide. The yellow stone is called Scotch topaz and the wine stone is often mistaken for amethyst.

The stone is in common use in Scotland, Mrs. Morgan said, in brooches, seals and in ornamenting handles of dirks - little knives.

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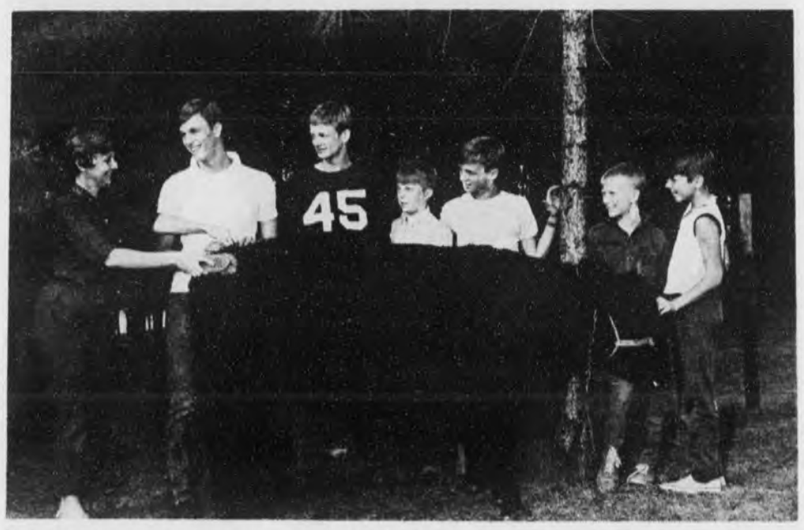

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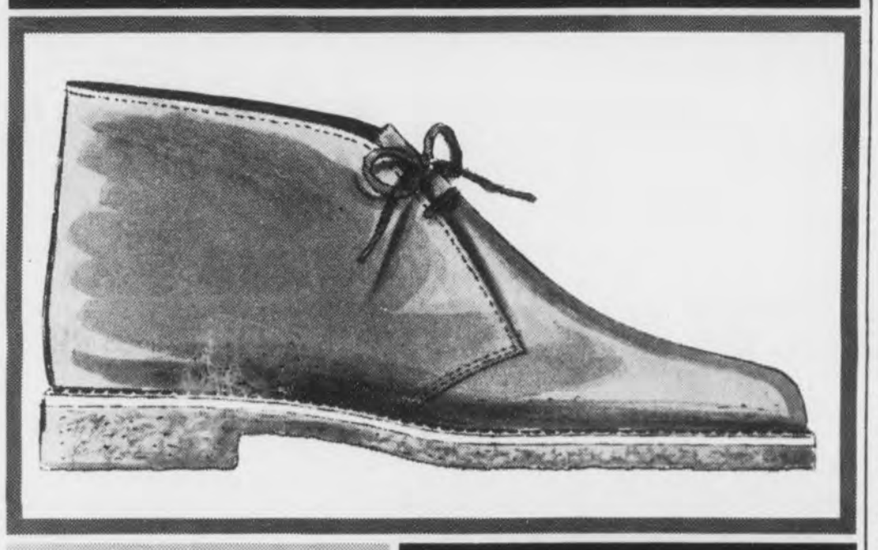

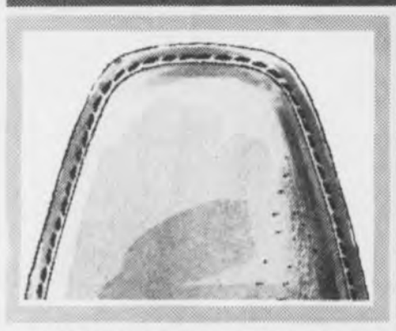

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Title insurance will be furnished to the buyer.

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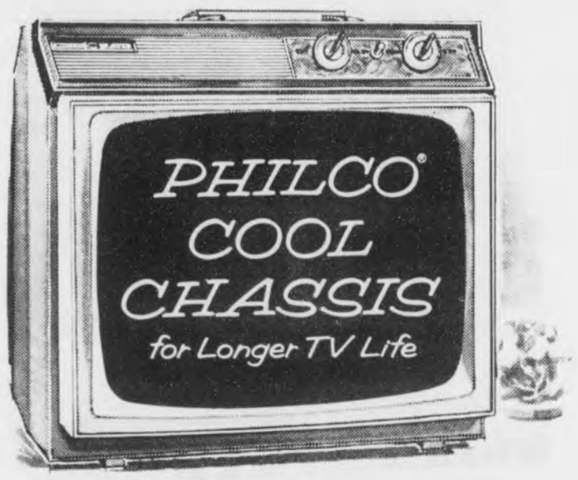

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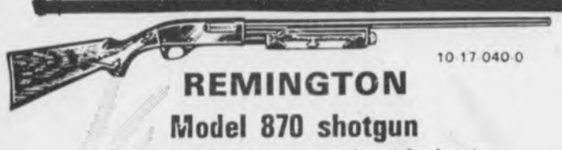

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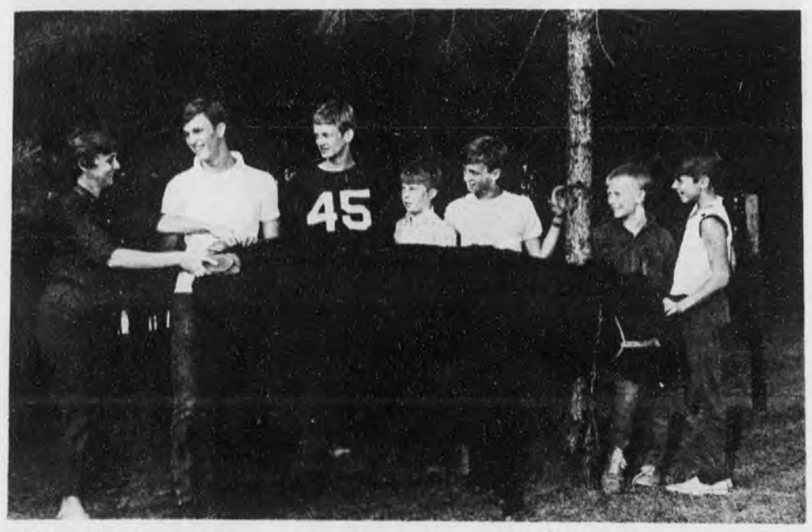

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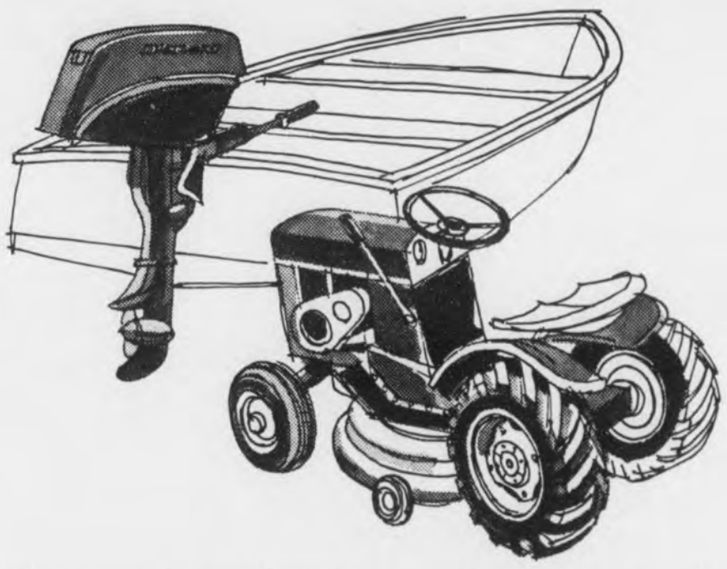

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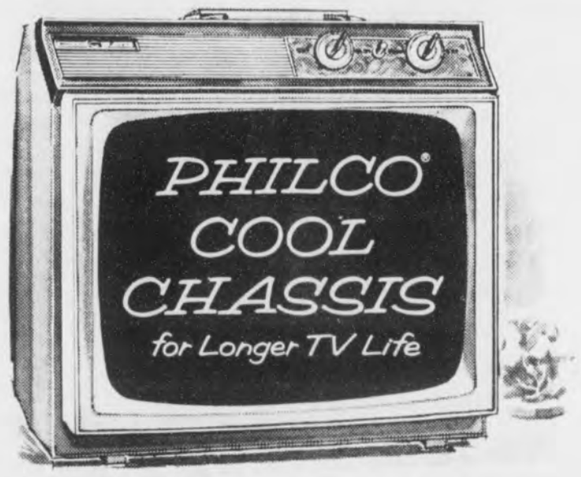

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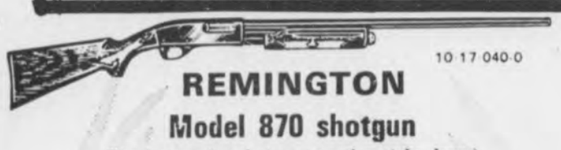

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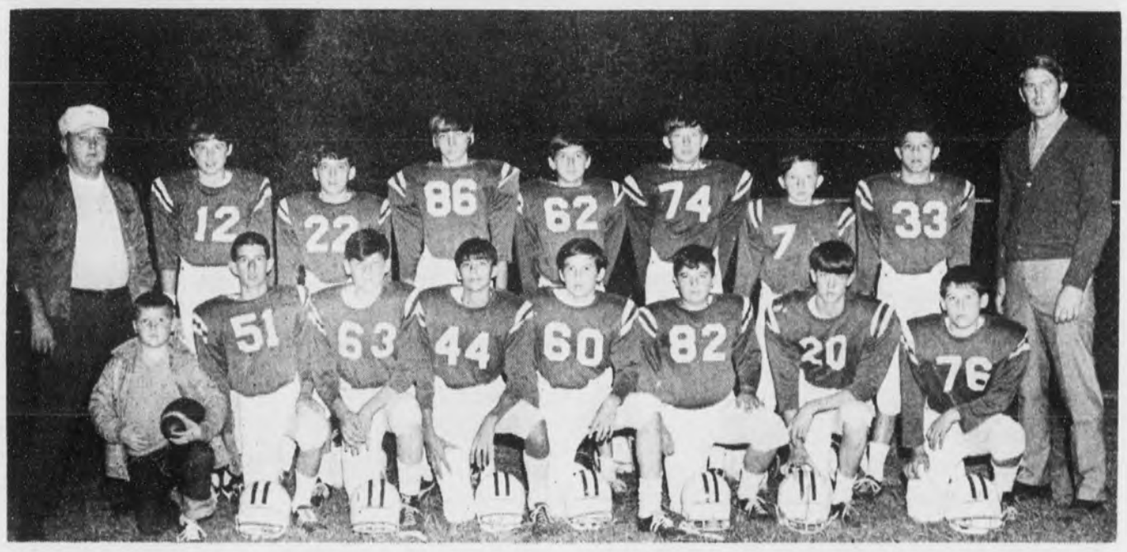
Benson guilty of three charges

Sammie Benson of Shelby was found guilty on three charges by a circuit court jury last Wednesday.

He was accused of violating the prohibition law, resisting arrest and provocation in incidents arising near Waxahatchee Creek below Shelby last spring.

Trials of other men who face similar charges stemming from the same event, were continued to the next session of circuit court.

Members of the jury were Mrs. Flora Green, Columbiana; Mrs. J. C. Gates, James Brasher and Mrs. W. C. Browne, Vincent; John A. Foster, Mrs. H. L. Marlin and Thomas C. Berryhill, Rt. 1, Vincent; Elizabeth S. Hall, Rt. 1, Calera; Lilla E. Bristow, Shelby; Mrs. Margaret Lovelady, Helena; Sidney Partridge, Rt. 1, Sterrett and Mrs. Charlene B. Ross, Rt. 3, Bessemer.



COUNTY CHAMPIONS - - Members of the Montevallo 120-pound football team are (front row from left) David House, manager; Randy Kaufman, Frank Smith, Tim Lucas, Doug Houlditch, Barry Johnson, Randy Vaughn and Terry Green; (second row from left) Coach Jack House, Will Collins, Danny Blackmon, David Green, Danny Cardone, Kenny Dailey, Pat Northcut, Tom Reynolds and Coach Herbie Milstead. Montevallo won the 120-pound league

Montevallo seeks direct link with Interstate 65

Montevallo's Mayor Milton L. Orr, Jr. headed a delegation to Montgomery last week seeking a direct highway from Montevallo to Interstate 65.

The group included City Councilmen Jim Seaman, Ralph Sears, T. E. Watson and City Attorney Karl Harrison.

Governor Albert Brewer listened with interest as the group pointed out the needs caused by the increasingly heavy flow of traffic to Montevallo by university students who commute from Jefferson County.

The Governor indicated he looked with favor upon the proposal and requested the state highway department to make further investigations.

UM Falcons open 1969 season, lose cliff-hanger to Columbus

The University of Montevallo Falcons launched their 1969-70 basketball season at home Saturday night, losing out in a neck-and-neck race with Columbus College of Georgia 89-86.

The season tip-off saw a largely inexperienced Falcon squad fall behind at the start, surge to the front and lead through most of the game, then fall back again to the taller Columbus Rebels in the final minutes of the game.

The teams were about evenly matched in shooting accuracy, both hitting fifty percent of their field goal attempts.

A major factor that apparently worked against the Falcons was the loss to fouls of junior forward James Hobbs (6-6), Athens and senior forward Al O'Brien (6-4), Chicago. Both went out on fouls late in the game, and it was at this point that the Falcons fell behind to stay.

The two were leading rebounders for the Falcons, 12 for Hobbs and 9 for O'Brien, and they were the team's number two and three scorers of the evening, Hobbs with 20 points and O'Brien with 16.

Junior guard Mike Newell (6-2), Hueytown, paced Falcon scoring with 24 points and senior guard Larry Long (6-1) of Anniston, one of only three returning lettermen this year, hit in double figures with 10 points.

The Falcons are on the road this week for out-of-state clashes with Tennessee Temple of Chattanooga on Tuesday night and LaGrange College in Georgia on Saturday night.

Next home game for the Falcons is Monday night, November 24, against Birmingham - Southern College. Tip-off time will be 7:30 in Myrick Hall.

Calera Christmas Parade will have patriotic theme

Representatives of civic clubs, municipalities and school organizations in Shelby County have been invited to attend a planning session for Calera's annual Christmas Parade. The planning meeting is scheduled for 7:30 Friday night at the Clara-Neal Motel.

Theme of the December 13 parade will be "Heart of the Heart of Dixie Christmas Parade and Rally of Patriotic Americans."

Parade sponsors are members of the Calera Jaycees.

After a march through downtown Calera the procession will gather on the high school football field for patriotic ceremonies and music.

Four bands will parade

More than 200 high school bandsmen will participate in Montevallo's Christmas parade, scheduled for Friday, December 12.

School bands from Calera, Thompson High of Siluria, Shelby County High of Columbiana and Montevallo will be featured in the parade that will begin at 11:00 a.m.

Other features of the Christmas parade in Montevallo include floats, the arrival of Santa Claus and participation by the Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts.

Band members will be guests of the University of Montevallo for lunch and a campus tour.

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Extension Homemakers Clubs test recipes during tasting bee

By Marcia M. Sears

It was good cooks' day in Columbiana Friday when members of Extension Homemakers Clubs from throughout the county gathered for their annual Tasting Bee. Officially called a Leadership School, the November meeting each year is usually devoted to the preparation of a great number of foods. The idea is to prepare for the individual club meetings in December.

Some of the county's best cooks arrived with dishes to be shared with one another.

Marian Cotney assoc. extension chairman, and her assistants prepared a recipe booklet with 62 pages of favorite recipes accumulated during the past year. The booklet is looked forward to each year as a treasure house of new ideas in food preparation as well as old favorites.

Main dishes were in abundance, with a casserole of ham, potatoes and cheese in the forefront. A new idea was chicken livers and mushrooms served over rice with a sauce of sherry and sour cream.

Pork chops were delicately worked into a main dish and cabbage leaves stuffed with meat and rice were both good and attractive.

Salads and desserts in abundance provided several more good ideas for new taste treats for the holidays.

Mrs. Brooks Wooley of Montevallo prepared a pumpkin bread, very timely for the Thanksgiving season ahead.

It has a delightful flavor that goes with cold autumn days although it is hard to discern a pumpkin flavor. Best when baked ahead, it keeps well.

Mrs. P. A. Garrett of South Calera prepared her unusual chicken recipe and included the recipe in the book for others to enjoy. Coated with sour cream, peanuts and garlic, the chicken takes on a different flavor that lends itself well to buffet dinners and holiday party gatherings.

PUMPKIN BREAD (1 loaf)

1 c sifted all-purpose flour	1 c firmly packed brown sugar
2 t baking powder	1 c oats, uncooked
1 t salt	1/3 c chopped nuts
1/4 t soda	1 egg, beaten
1/2 t cinnamon	1/4 c shortening, melted
1/4 t ginger	1/3 c milk
1/4 t cloves	1 c cooked pumpkin

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Sift together flour, baking powder, salt, soda and spices into bowl. Stir in sugar, oats and nuts. Add egg, shortening and milk; stir just until dry ingredients are moistened. Blend in pumpkin.

Pour batter in a greased 8½ x 4½ x 2½-inch loaf pan. Bake in preheated oven, 350 degrees, for 55 to 60 minutes. Loosen edges; cool on wire rack about 10 mins. Remove from pan. Cool throughly. Wrap cooled bread and store one day before slicing.

GOLDEN PEANUT CHICKEN BREAST

3 broiler-fryer breasts	1½ t pepper
1 cup sour cream	1½ c pkg. dry cornbread stuffing, finely crushed
2 T lemon juice	1/4 c butter or margerine
2 t Worcestershire sauce	1/4 c shortening
2 t celery salt	1/4 c toasted peanuts
2 t paprika	
2 t instant minced garlic (if desired)	

Cut breasts in half. Wipe well with dampened paper towel. In a large bowl combine sour cream, lemon juice, Worcestershire sauce, celery salt, paprika, minced garlic, pepper. Add chicken to sour cream mixture, coating each piece well. Cover and let stand in refrigerator overnight. Remove chicken from sour cream mixture and roll in crumbs, coating evenly. Arrange skin side up in a large shallow baking pan. Melt butter and shortening and spoon one-half over chicken. Bake uncovered at 350 for 45 minutes. Spoon rest of butter mixture over chicken and sprinkle with peanuts. Bake 10 to 15 minutes, til chicken is tender and nicely browned. Yields: 6 servings.

Mrs. P. A. Garrett, South Calera EHC

TASTING BEE - - Among the 30 Extension Homemakers gathering in Columbiana Friday for the annual Tasting Bee were, from left, Mrs. Katie King, Alabaster, Mrs. David Kimbrell, Montevallo and Mrs. Equilla Thomas, Alabaster. They are pictured with some of the many desserts served.

Linda Gail Brown to wed Mr. Leslie

The engagement of Miss Linda Gail Brown and Alan Leslie is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Brown of Oneonta.

Miss Brown is a graduate of Susan Moore High School and has attended Trevecca College, in Nashville, Tennessee for two years.

Mr. Leslie's parents are Mr and Mrs. Harry Leslie o Calera. He is a graduate o Calera High School and is now attending Belmont College ir Nashville.

The wedding will be December 14 at Wilson's Chapel Church of the Nazarene at Oneonta.

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Louise Seier joins Auburn drill team

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The Capers will march for the first time this year in parades and competition. The new group is sponsored by the male drill team, Pershing Rifles. At present there are 19 other girls participating with Miss Seier as members of the Capers.

Miss Seier is a sophomore home economics major. She is a graduate of Thompson High School.

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Westover couple wreck victims

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar H. Cooke, Sr., were saddened by their deaths in a car wreck, near their home on Highway 280 West, last Wednesday morning. From the information which I was able to obtain, they had started to Birmingham to eat breakfast with their son, Oscar Cooke, Jr., when their car skidded across the rain-slicked highway. Both were killed instantly by a paneled-body, truck which was topping the hill.

Mr. Cooke, aged 68, was a native of Centreville, and had lived in Columbiana at one time. He was a deacon in the Mt. Signal Baptist Church, and has attended that church since it was established. Mrs. Cook, aged 73, was the former Mary Emma Wilder, and was born in the Mt. Signal Community. She, also, was a member of the Mt. Signal Baptist Church.

They are survived by two sons, Mr. Oscar H. Cooke, Jr., and Mr. Horace E. Helms, of Tuscaloosa; two daughters, Mrs. Bobbie H. Davis, of Birmingham, and Mrs. Lorene H. Watkins, of Winter Park, Florida.

Mr. Cooke, had one brother, Clifton C. Cooke, of Birmingham; and two sisters, Mrs. Flora Bunt, of Birmingham, and Mrs. Ada Bradford, of Oneonta. Mrs. Cooke had two sisters, Mrs. Eunice Cox, of Sterrett, and Mrs. Geneva Johnson, of Mt. Signal Community; three brothers, Mr. H. D. Wilder, of Andalusia, and Mr. M. D. Wilder and Mr. Wesley Wilder of Mt. Signal.

Double funeral services were conducted from the Mt. Signal Baptist CHurch by the Rev. Robert Collier, with interment in the Mt. Signal Cemetery.

Active pallbearers were O. W. Stone, C. W. Crocker, K. D. Salser, George Osborne, Bill Osborne, Preston Moore, Ralph Thomas, Ralph Limbaugh, Rowm Randall, Hampton Holcombe, Glen Holcombe, J. R. Boulware.

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A four-day revival service was held at Mt. Tabor Methodist Church last week. Rev. Elton Lowery, of Pell City, was the visiting pastor, assisted by Rev. Bob Garrett, pastor.

Mt. Zion Baptist Church has for their new pastor Rev. Allen Johnston, a student at Samford University. He and Mrs. Johnston, together with several members of the Church met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Efford Gardner, on Sunday night, after services for cake and coffee.

The regular fourth Saturday night singing will be held at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, of Westover, Saturday night, November 22. The guest singers will be the Spiritual Airs. Everyone is invited to attend by the Chairman, Mrs. Ruby Gardner.

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Mr. and Mrs. Efford Gardner are leaving on Thursday for a visit to Mrs. Gardner's brother Mr. Dover Pair, in Miami, Florida. They will go on down into the Keys to extend their trip. What could sound nicer during this cold weather than a trip South?

Rusty Smith is making progress with his condition, even though it is slow. He is able to get about with the help of a walker, now. We hope that soon we will be able to report that the walker has been put aside.

Last Friday, at the Jemison High School, some members of the services presented posthumously, to the parents of Michael K. Price, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Price, several medals which Michael had won while in Viet Nam. Among these medals were three purple hearts. Michael was the grandson of Mrs. Ann Williams, of Westover.

Mr. Charles Rich is expected home early in December from Viet Nam. This is his third tour of duty there since he has been in service. He will be stationed in North Carolina after his return home. His wife, the former Linda Littlefield, of Birmingham, was given a shower at the Cahaba Heights Baptist Church last Friday night.

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A mission Study Class was held at the Prospect Baptist Church on November 13. Mrs. Pauline Harrison, of Montevallo taught the class, which was The Sons of Ismael. Five Baptist churches of the area were represented.

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Mrs. E. W. Whitfield has received a very interesting announcement from her children, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Darlington announcing the opening of their business at Ococe, Florida, called Richards' Botanical Garden. Mrs. Darlington is the former Elizabeth Whitfield of Westover. We wish for them much success in this venture.

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Mrs. Eva Landers aged 85, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ellen Bonham, on Sunday morning. She has been a resident of Westover for 32 years, but is a native of Lawrence County. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Bonham, of Westover, and Mrs. Mamie Wiseman, of Pearland, Texas; and one son, David Landers of New Orleans; six grandchildren, and ten great grandchildren.

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Funeral services will be held at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, and burial in Mt. Tabor Cemetery. The day of the funeral is being witheld pending the arrival of a grandson, Dale Miller, who is in service in the U. S. Navy, in Spain. Bolton-Brown of Columbiana will be in charge of funeral arrangements.

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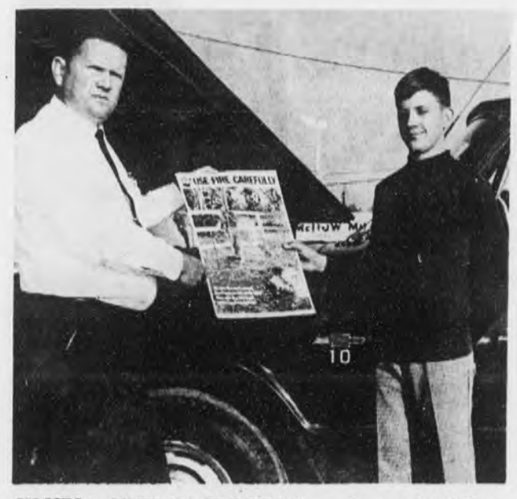
Chris Youtz member ODK

Chris Youtz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Youtz of Montevallo, has distinguished himself at Auburn University with his selection last week as a member of the men's honorary leadership organization, Omicron Delta Kappa.

Youtz was also named to appear in the 1969-70 edition of "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities". He is a senior majoring in electrical engineering. Earlier he was elected to be president of Phi Kappa Tau and the editor of the Auburn Engineer.

Legal Notice
Estate of Andrew Lee Wilson, Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 13 day of November, 1969 by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Pearl C. Wilson
as Executrix of the estate of Andrew Lee Wilson, dec.
Nov.20,27,Dec.4, 1969. †120.



SILURIA CIVITAN PROGRAM - - Jimmy McCullers and John E. Jones, Extension Farm Agent, Columbiana will give a program on "Control of Forest Fires and Hunting" tonight to the Siluria Civitan Club. A. C. McCullers, Shelby County Forest Ranger helps his son Jimmy with information on the control of forest fires.

Vincent churches plan Thanksgiving services

The combined churches of the Vincent area are holding a community wide Thanksgiving Service on Wednesday, November 26th, at 7:00 p.m. with Calvary Baptist hosting the service.

The Rev. Charles Card, pastor at Calvary, will deliver the sermon with laymen of the various churches participating in the service. Jimmy Gill, minister of music at Arkwright Baptist Church, will direct a song service led by the combined choirs of all the churches.

Immediately following the service refreshments will be served during a fellowship hour held in the church fellowship hall.

It is hoped by ministers of the churches that community response will help make this service so successful that a prayerful Thanksgiving observance will become an annual event.

Governor proclaims State Bible Week

Governor Albert Brewer has designated the week of November 23-30 as "Bible Week" in Alabama.

In signing an official proclamation in his office, the Governor said, "In a time when forces in our world are corroding away long - established values and morals, the Bible continues to give us a source of inspiration and truth about ourselves, our world, and our God. I have found in my own life and in my own family that Bible reading is an essential daily exercise."

The Alabama observance of "Bible Week" is part of the Worldwide Bible Reading program, which extends from Thanksgiving to Christmas, 1969.

Legal Notice
Guardian's Settlement Notice
The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
Circuit Court of Shelby County, Alabama
Equity case No. 4544
This day came Inez Henry, Guardian of John L. Henry, a person of unsound mind, and files her account, vouchers, evidence and statement for partial settlement of his said Guardianship.
It is ordered that the 2nd day of December, 1969, at 10:00 A.M., and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 5th day of November, 1969.
s/ L. G. Fulton
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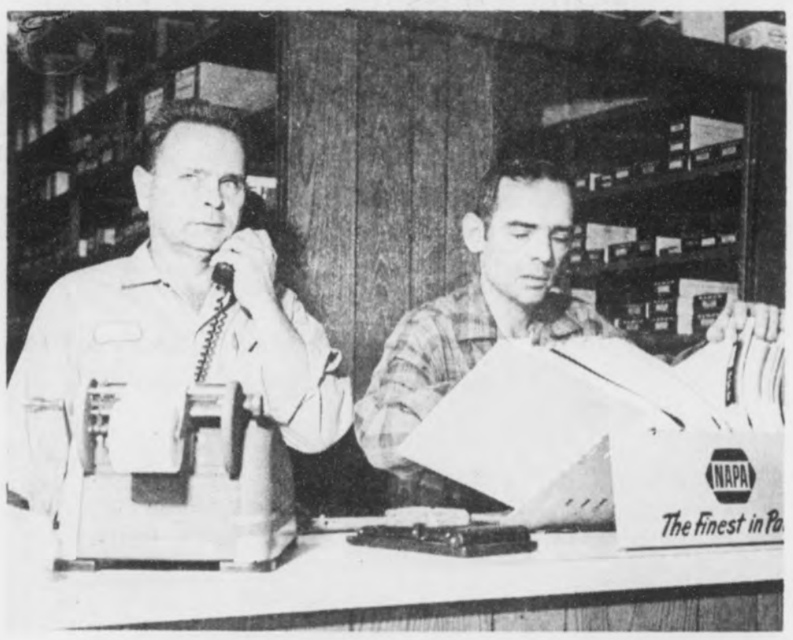

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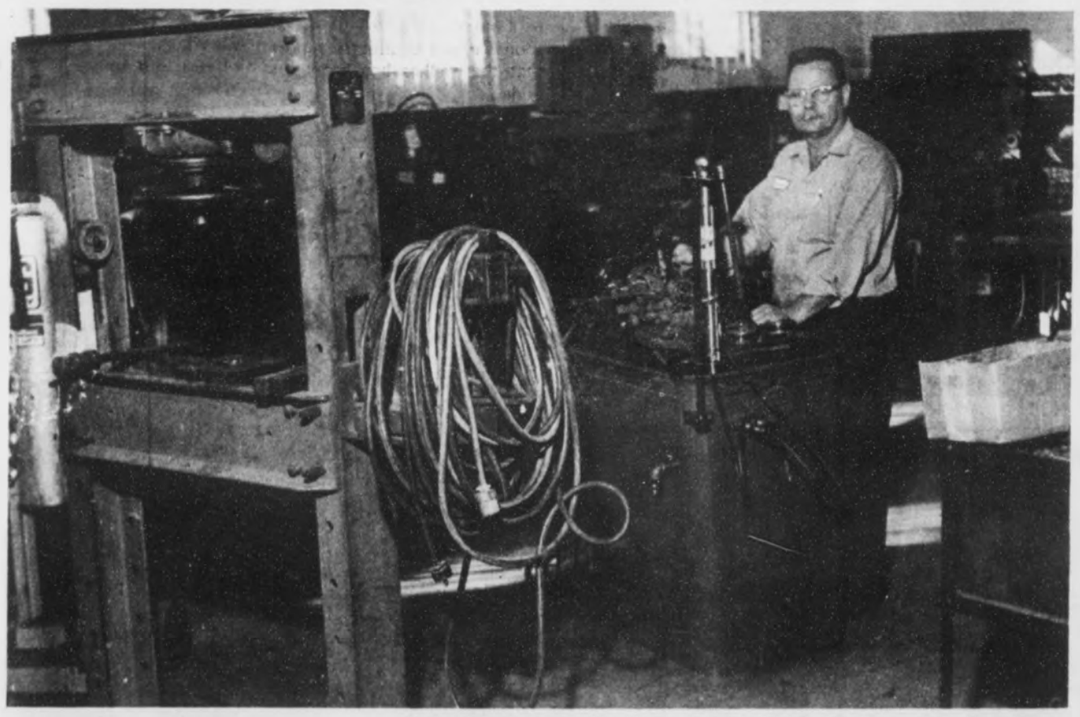

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Mail Christmas packages early

"Don't take a chance on disappointing someone you love, send your gift parcels and cards early enough to insure their delivery before Christmas, not after" Shelby County Postmasters advised today."

"On the day after Christmas a post office building can be the most depressing place in the world "if it still contains a mountain of messages of love and cheer that didn't make it because they were mailed too late."

Such disappointments can be avoided if Christmas mailers will observe the following mailing schedule.

Gift parcels going to distant states should be mailed by Dec. 1. Parcels going to local and nearby areas should be mailed not later than December 13.

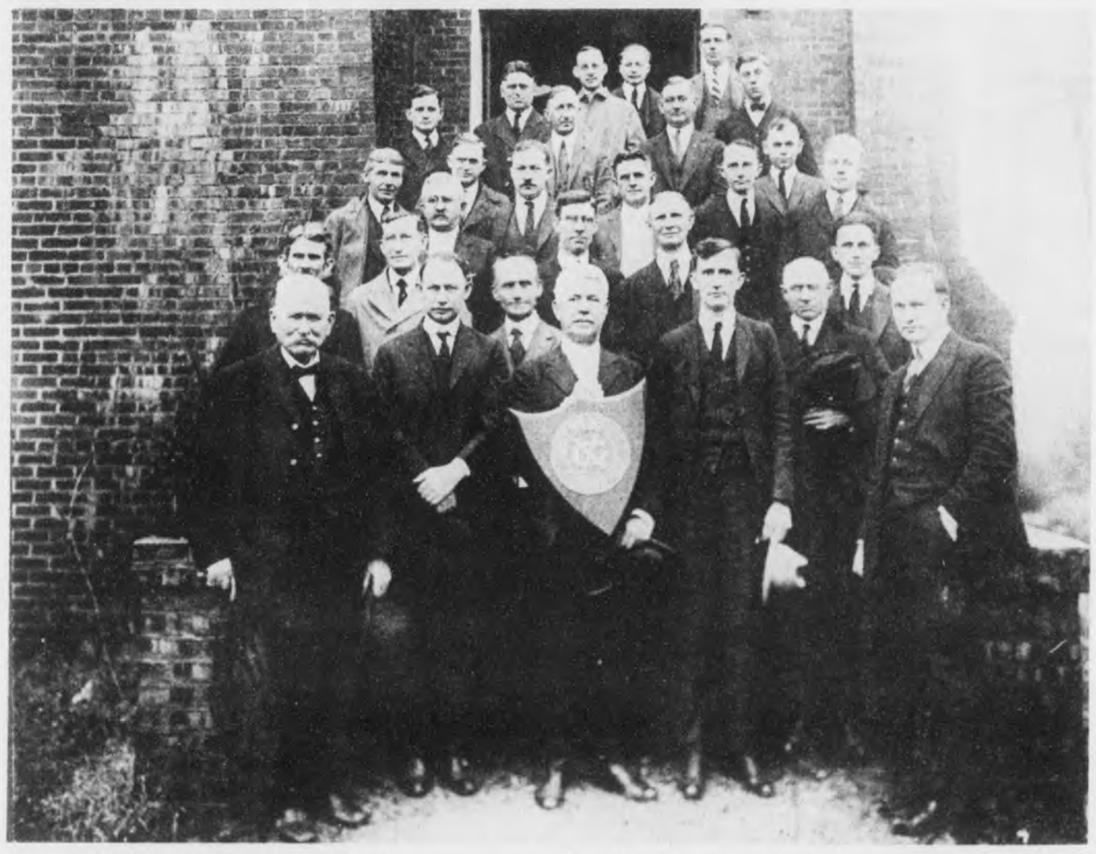
The name and address of both the sender and addressee should be enclosed in each gift parcel to permit identity in case of damage or loss of the outside address label. The outside label should be placed on only one side of each parcel.

Greeting cards going to distant states should be mailed not later than December 10. Cards going to local and nearby areas should be in the mail by December 15.

The Postmasters also emphasized the importance of using ZIP CODES and adding a return address to all Christmas mail. It only takes a couple extra seconds, but pays big dividends.

Zip Codes enable postal employees to sort and handle the mail faster. A return address insures that mail that can't be delivered because of an illegible or incomplete mailing address will be returned to the sender.

"A return address might not seem very important but last year over 32 billion pieces of mail went to postal dead letter branches because the mailing address couldn't be read and there was no return address on the envelop. If you estimate the worth of each of these pieces at twenty-five cents, including postage, postal customers lost over $7.5 million last year to dead letter offices. And none of this would have happened if the envelopes had contained a return address."



MONTEVALLO EXCHANGE CLUB, 1925 - - Yeager Horn of Columbiana brought this picture to the Reporter. He found it recently among the family papers of his sister, Mrs. R. A. Reid. Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Orr, Sr. helped to identify the members. (Some of the first names have been forgotten) Front row, l to r., George Kroell, C. H. Mahaffey, Dr. T. W. Palmer, Rev. Treadaway, Dr. E. G. Givhan, Rev. Patrick H. Carmichael. 2nd row, (irregular) C. L. Meroney, J. T. Johnson, F. W. Rogan, George Elliott, Rev. May, W. J. Kennerly 3rd row, (irregular) Burr Nabors, Pat Kroell, J. L. Appleton, Dean O. C. Carmicheal, M. P. Jeter, Dr. M. L. Orr, Sr., Max Kanter, Mr. Woodruff. 4th row, Dr. Wilson (a dentist), J. A. Brown, Sr., Dr. J. I. Reid, R. A. Reid, Bob Hendricks. At very top, E. H. Wills, P. C. Wilson, John Holmes. According to Dr. Orr, the Montevallo Exchange Club broke its ties with the national organization and later evolved into the Montevallo Rotary Club.

Draper prisoners receive assistance

Prisoners at Draper Prison, in Elmore who have completed the Labor Department -supported training program will be given job bonding assistance if needed after they get out, William U. Norwood, regional manpower administrator, U. S. Department of Labor, has announced.

The bonding program is part of the Experimental Manpower Laboratory for Correction at Draper Correctional Center at Elmore.

The Department is testing the idea to see if it will help reduce the return rate of released prisoners who fail on the "outside" because of their inability to get a job.

Nationwide, about 2,500 inmates are currently in the 23 Labor Department - supported programs in State, County, and local prisons.

Each project has been assigned a professional bonding certification agent. His job is to review cases to determine if a bond is necessary, if the exprisoner is eligible, if the job is suitable, and if the employer is eligible. He also cancels the bond when it is no longer required, based on his follow up duties.

As the program progresses, the reports of the bonding certification agents will be reviewed and analyzed at Draper for possible broader program application.

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And of course his honorable discharge will be handed to him on a piece of paper after a beaten foe has signed the peace terms on paper.

25 Years Ago

Melville Harlin seen on Main with her ever faithful dog "Chu" on an errand of mercy for the Home Service Red Cross. County wide favorable comment has been received on the efficient and unselfish service Mrs. Harlin has rendered.

25 Years Ago

Sara Nell Stockdale, of Calera, who will receive her BA from Jacksonville State College in June 1946, is among those who will be listed in the 1944-45 issue of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

25 Years Ago

The P. O. Lucks are planning to spend the holidays with the H. M. Gordons in Wilmington, Delaware. They are looking forward with eager anticipation to their grandson Greg's first Yuletide Yip-pee.

25 Years Ago

We are glad to report that little Roger Vincent who was injured in a car accident is reported doing fine following an operation in a hospital in Birmingham.

25 Years Ago

A complete turkey dinner with all accessories will be served in the Dew Drop Inn on Thanksgiving Day, according to an announcement made by Mrs. Walter Johnson, owner.

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NOTICE TO SHELBY COUNTY PROPERTY OWNERS
Have you bought or sold any property during the past year ?
Have you built a new house on your property ? Or on leased land?
Do you own a mobile home?
If so, then it is necessary for you to come by the office and assess this property before January 15, 1970.
Personal Property (Airplanes, Tractors, Machinery, Equipment, Stocks of Mdse., Etc.) must be assessed and Assessment Sheet signed EACH year to avoid penalty
Thomas A. Snowden
Tax Assessor

MRS. JERRY ALBERT BRAMLETT
. . . the former Connie Rebecca Robinson

Miss Robinson weds Jerry A. Bramlett

Miss Connie Rebecca Robinson and Jerry Albert Bramlett were married at 7:30 P.M. Friday, November 14, at Siluria Baptist Church, in Siluria, the Reverend Gardner Walker officiated using the double ring ceremony.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd H. Robinson, was given in marriage by her father.

Her angelskin A-line silhouette peau de soie gown, had a victorian collar, and the long bishop sleeves were trimmed with alencon lace and pearls. The dress featured a chapel train. Her veil fell from a pearl and crystal trimmed tiara. She carried a nosegay of frenched white carnation. Mrs. Dan Acker, vocalist and Mrs. Adrian Busby, organist, presented the wedding music.

Miss Chere Glasscock of Pensacola, F.a, was maid of honor and bride's maid was Miss Debbie Comer of Calera. They wore aisle length gowns, Empire style of olive velvet and carried bronze mums. Miss Wendy Walker of Alabaster was flower girl. She wore an aisle length gown of gold velvet.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bramlett had his brother Frankie Bramlett of Keystone as best man. The groomsmen were Bobby Baldwin of Siluria and Jim McDaniel of Keystone. Phillip Walker of Alabaster served as ring bearer.

Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Bramlett were hosts at a reception in the Fellowship Hall. Assisting with serving were Mrs. Ulma Harrison, Mrs. John Hinds, Mrs. G. N. Lagrone, Mrs. Jerry Busby, Mrs. J. A. Hinds, Jr. and Mrs. Dewey McDonough. Mrs. Van Comer presided over the guest register.

Bazaar set for Saturday

Our friends up Cahaba Valley Road are busily engaged in preparing for a delectable spaghetti luncheon and bazaar which will be hosted by the ladies of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church on Nov. 22 - - Table service will begin in the Fellowship Hall at 10:30 A.M. and continue until 1:00 P.M. Proceeds from the event will be applied on the organ fund. Lovely Christmas gifts will be on display. Your presence and patronage is requested.

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Mrs. Bernice Ticen and her father, "Gramp" Hendricks, and Mrs. Carl J. Bailey spent Saturday in Tuscaloosa where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bailey (Jan Ticen).

SOCIETY NEWS and PERSONAL MENTION

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Plan a thoughtful Thanksgiving Day

Thanksgiving Day this year presents a thought - provoking one extending far beyond the customary turkey dinner, the friendly contacts and family gatherings formerly associated with the annual occasion. There is the consciousness of a deeper more solemn meaning involved - - especially true with those who are now daily anxiously awaiting news from war torn Vietnam. A serious side of an erstwhile joyous picture is observed this year. Thoughts are turned toward bloody battle fields on foreign soil where gallant lads from Shelby County stand staunchly true in the defense of the Land they love; shedding with their lives - - if necessary, the horrors of this war far from our shores. Their football field is a battle ground where plays are called with no "time out" for "rest", and unseen dangers lie between them and their final goal of achievement.

The distant roar of deadly guns echoes and re-echoes in the hearts of their loved ones here who wait - - wait - - wait! Empty chairs around the once festive board remind us that not until they return can a gay and carefree day be completely enjoyed. And these solemn truths are more keenly brought home to us as we approach the Harvest Season.

Our hearts are turned in gratitude to the Commander - in - chief of the Universe whom we daily beseech for their protection on land, sea and in the air. Battles do not cease for warriors!

One writer recently stated he believed it took a war to bring to the people of this nation the true meaning of Thanksgiving - - K rations in many a fox hole will supplant the far famed Bird of Cranberry - - no matter how hard Uncle Sam tries to provide this traditional menu for them - - In some instances there will be no time out for luxuries or leisure - - None can be allowed these weary homesick lads.

The spirit evidenced by the indomitable Pilgrim Fathers in 1620 identifies them with this "united in spirit" displayed in Plymouth Town.

Perhaps this fact reminds us - - - as we sit down to our turkey dinner on this day of thanks that we should pause for a moment to visualize the first Thanksgiving observed by that small band of Pilgrims huddled in the forests of a bleak American wilderness on the threshold of winter. Measured by today's computers of comfort, their

prospects were something less than hopeless. If they became ill, they died or got well. There were no modern health services no medicare or medicaid. There was no transportation. No source of groceries supply stores. No benevolent Uncle Sam hand-out to fall back on. There was no relief from any direction. There was only the wilderness, the Indians, wild game and a continent full of opportunities awaiting to test their courage, endurance and initiative to face the unknown.

So, as one writer points out, as we join our loved ones on this Thanksgiving Day, we should not only give thanks, we should ask ourselves if we are worthy of the heritage that began with the Pilgrims.

What do you think?

M.W.W.

Bambino Britt visits The Reporter staff

Governors, congressmen, U. S. senators, state dignitaries, high ranking officials in military circles and other notables have - - at various times, passed through the portals of the Reporter offices - - but none have received the unanimous acclaim accorded six weeks old Britt Blake, handsome son of Ed and Evelyn Blake who made his initial appearance in the Reporter's offices on Nov. 11. This little fellow literally stopped the presses! And this is as it should be - for rarely, if ever, has a babette been accorded more personal interest than Bambino Britt. There is a reason for this. Britt's pretty mother was formerly an efficient and popular teacher in the Elementary school; and his sports - loving Dad is widely known for his "Whistling Through Dixie" feature in the Reporter where he is also General Manager. Both Evelyn and Ed have a wide and warm circle of friends in Columbiana and in the county who have shared with them the joy that only a little one can bring. Be that as it may - - as far as inheritance is concerned - - Now, that Britt has made his first visit in the office, and we have had the pleasure of meeting him, we predict that he will be the "top banana" in any direction he may elect to travel. During his "pop call" on his way home from Birmingham, last Tuesday, he proceeded to take in the entire situation here - He looked us all over - - was fascinated with the bright lights, smiled his approval, then snuggled down in his little yellow blanket, gave a familiar "squeak" which furnished the signal to get going. Naturally the tempo was promptly accelerated into an "on the double" quick step and he was on his way. But - - like the "song that ended", his visit left a "sweetest - li'l fellow" melody that lingered long after he had returned to his home in Montevallo and made ready for his nocturnal ride on the Sandman's Train.

M.W.W.

MYF youth revival deemed a success

The week end Youth Revival sponsored by the M.Y.F. with guest speakers, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander, was the highlight of interest last week for the young people of Columbiana. All services were well attended and the question and answer periods, following the brief devotional each evening, proved to be both interesting and enlightening.

A delectable brunch was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. John Jones Saturday morning in the Fellowship Hall; and Saturday evening a Hamburger Supper, hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Mike Nivens, preceded the worship hour at seven o'clock.

Following each night's presentations a social hour was enjoyed. The music, directed by Mrs. Alexander, pianist and accompaniest, included group singing as well as special numbers by Mr. Alexander. Both Methodist and Baptist young people participated in this pre-Thanksgiving series of services.

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Miss Mallory McFarland of Birmingham a student at Montevallo University, was the week end guest of Miss Peg Hill.

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An item worth recording on my desk calendar is that the unpredictable Weather Man gave us sunshine, shadows and snowflakes in Columbiana on Nov. 14, but the North Wind came along and blew the snow away thereby upsetting plans for a snowball battle on the courthouse grounds.

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The "Good-night Chets" of television fame were verbally scored by Vice-president Spiro Agnew in a net work presentation last Thursday evening. Everyone we have discussed the program with today thoroughly agreed with the vice-president.

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When Mrs. Jane Jones completes this semester at Montevallo University, she will accept a teaching position in the Shelby School. This will be "good news" for both students and instructors in Shelby as Mrs. Jones has long been rated "tops" in her profession.

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On Nov. 9, when the steam engine 4501 pulled another excursion through Shelby County, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Campbell of Calera were numbered among the passengers. Mrs. Campbell tells us that it was a memorable occasion.

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Quite a few "Johnny's - come-lately" came to Columbiana Saturday - - the last day on which to purchase a license tag - - and were able to procure one before the deadline closed at noon. Over 12,000 tags have been tabulated.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wales Wallace Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ozley, Judge and Mrs. Conrad M. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Falkner, Wayne Rasco, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Bob Mullins, Jack, Marie and Mike Atchison, Mr. and Mr. Oliver Head, and perhaps many, many more Alabama football fans spent Saturday in Tuscaloosa enjoying the Home Coming festivities.

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

Just witnessed something I can never remember seeing before: snowflakes coming down thick and fast, and the sun shining! a thrill to school youngsters, I'm sure, and a disappointment when it stopped as suddenly as it began.

Nothing new in the way of "shop talk" from the Falcon Bookstore in Montevallo, this week. We do have some attractive book plates which we have not stocked before. And packages of Christmas cards for the kiddies to make and send to relatives. Every mail will bring in something interesting from now on until Christmas. So check with us often for gift items, and pick up your copy of our Christmas book catalog.

MISS DANA LEIGH WHETSTONE
. . . to marry Michael Lee Whitfield

Whetstone-Whitfield to marry Dec. 20

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Davis Whetstone of Maylene, announce the engagement of their daughter, Dana Leigh, to Michael Lee Whitfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Whitfield, of Alabaster.

Miss Whetstone's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Whetstone of Birmingham, and Mrs. Mary Morton of Maylene.

Mr. Whitfield's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Moore.

The wedding will be December 20th, at the First Baptist Church of Alabaster.

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Inducted into the U. S. Army during October were Phillip H. Oakes and Thomas A Lawley Jr. Jadie W. Holsomback joined Uncle Sam's Navy men.

Baptists plan Tither's Day

The First Baptist Church members are making preparation for the observance of "Tither's Demonstration Day" on Nov. 30, and each member is urgently requested, on this occasion, to donate one-tenth of their week's earnings to the Church. The result of this tabulation will be factual evidence of the income the Church program could benefit from if each member would participate and regularly tithe.

It will be interesting to get factual evidence of what this church is doing now and its potentialities if everyone would cooperate!

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Dr. and Mrs. Harry Phillips attended the Auburn - Georgia football tilt in Athens, Ga., last Saturday.

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Dr. and Mrs. Sam Shafferman have returned from an extended trip including San Francisco and Hawaii. We enjoyed a chat with the doctor during his short stay in Columbiana last Thursday. Dr. Shafferman is remembered by many former patients and friends in Columbiana where he formerly resided; and always receives a cordial welcome back on Main - be it professional - - or in just that "friendly sort o' way.

Wood-Brown wed Nov. 14

The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fore in Columbiana furnished the setting for a quiet but impressive wedding ceremony Friday afternoon Nov. 14, at four o'clock, when Mrs. Lanice Wood and George Brown exchanged marriage vows in the presence of their families. The Rev. Ferman T. Ritchey officiated using the ring ceremony.

Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Brown left for a trip to Calloway Gardens after which they will be at home to their friends in the Brown home on Mildred Street.

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Mrs. Lois Farmer is in Shelby Memorial recuperating from a car wreck in which she received painful injuries.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wallace were called to Tallassee, last Sunday due to the illness of his father, the Rev. W. V. Wallace.

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Gaines Hyche, Minister of Music at First Baptist Church and the Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Scroggins attended the 147th session of the Baptist State Convention which met in Birmingham at Hunter Street Baptist Church Monday through Wednesday of this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wales W. Wallace will spend this week end in Mobile, where Mr. Wallace will attend a legal seminar scheduled to be held at the Battle House.

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Mrs. Gertrude Taylor of Birmingham is spending this week in Columbiana as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Wallace and Mr. Wallace.

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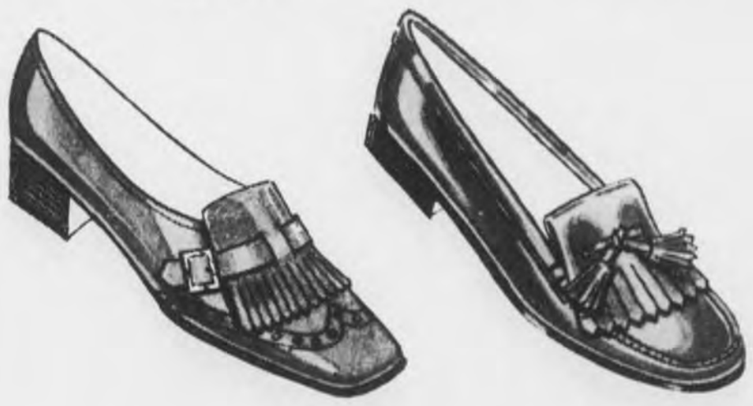

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COLUMBIANA

HOPE GETS MEDAL - - The Bronze Star Medal for outstanding duty performance in Vietnam with the 34th Engineer Battalion from September 1968 - August 1969 is awarded Captain Jerry W. Hope, now a flight student at the Army Primary Helicopter School. His battalion commander, Lieutenant Colonel J. B. Kinder, made the presentation as his wife Carolyn witnessed. Captain Hope served a previous tour in Vietnam with the 43rd Engineer Battalion. A 1965 graduate of Columbiana's Shelby County High School, he entered the Army in 1966. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hope of Shelby. His wife's parents are Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson, 5831 Monte Sano Road, Birmingham. The Hopes are residing in Weatherford, Texas. (U S ARMY PHOTO)

25 years ago–

Helena landmark torn down

One of the oldest landmarks in the town of Helena was removed when the store building of Ruffin Brothers was torn down. The building was sold to A. B. Baxley and moved to Calera to be used in building a new store. The Ruffin Brothers owned and operated one of the largest mercantile businesses in the county. They were J. D., J. E. and N. L. Ruffin and people often came and placed their money in the Ruffin safe rather than put it in a bank. The attempt was made several times to rob the safe - but the thieves were never successful.

25 Years Ago

Second Fire Tower Erected in Shelby County

A second fire tower to serve in keeping fires out of Shelby County forests has been built by the State Division of Forestry on the western side of the county. It is located on Pea Ridge near Harrell's Store. Ranger Lanigham is in charge.

The first station to be built in Shelby County is located on the Saginaw cut off near Mt. Era Church. It was built by the state in cooperation with the Gulf States Paper Corp., who have large holdings of timber lands in this area.

25 Years Ago

Alabama College will host a Recreation Institute on Oct. 16-20. Dr. Margaret McCall, head of the physical education department will direct the Institute and Miss Helen Dauncey, specialist from National Leadership Training will be a member of the staff.

25 Years Ago

Montgomery police are considering facts surrounding the death of J. T. Mooney, a former Shelby County resident and one time guard at Kilby Prison, whose body was found near the prison.

Little hope is held for a solution of his death as several weeks have elapsed since he died.

25 Years Ago

Verna Hobbs, 4-H Club member of Wilsonville was chosen winner in the annual county wide 4-H dress revue held in Calera recently.

25 Years Ago

Aaron Crumpton of Wilsonville, Rt. 1, was in Columbiana Wednesday showing a large Siamese twin muskmellon. Two of them were grown into one joined down the side but otherwise perfectly formed.

25 Years Ago

The marriage of Miss Nellie M. Posey, daughter of Mrs. Cora Posey of Calera, and Albert T. Ryan Jr., of the U. S. Navy of Calera, took place at the pastorium of the Baptist Church in Selma with the Rev. M. J. Taylor officiating.

25 Years Ago

Ollie Tinney of Columbiana has been appointed Deputy Sheriff by L. T. Bozeman. Mr. Tinney is in charge of the jail.

25 Years Ago

Major and Mrs. Ralph Hunt and children have been called home from Ruston, Louisiana, due to the death of his father Dr. Hunt in Childersburg.

25 Years Ago

The Methodist Church's Music Department will present a Christmas program of "Words and Music" directed by Mamie Miller Horn and Clarice White Luck. The program will be presented at Sunday evening's hour of worship.

25 Years Ago

On next Saturday evening in Palmer auditorium, a concert of the Alabama College Orchestra, directed by Harold Alenuis, and the Glee Club directed by H. D. LeBaron, will be presented. Travis Shelton will be guest soloist.

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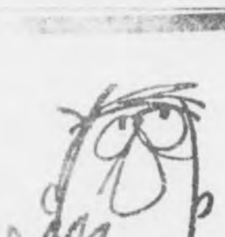
Mrs. Veazey in Columbiana

We were delighted to have the privilege of greeting Mrs. Veazey last week when she came to Columbiana to attend to some business. The "Twin Oaks" restaurant, which she formerly owned and operated, was - - for a number of years, a popular meeting place for friends and "politicians" who came for miles around to enjoy her delectable menus. Shelby Countrians particularly have missed this landmark for "good eats" and "good company". Mrs. Veazy, however, has retired from active work but sometimes accommodates her friends, when they become insistent by providing one of those far-famed pies, or a jar of that hot pepper relish for which there was always a demand.

Seeks blind

The President's Committee on Employment of the Handicapped reports that a large chemical firm in Florida intentionally seeks blind workers because their highly developed senses of smell and taste allow them to perform [illegible] machines can in [illegible] chemicals.



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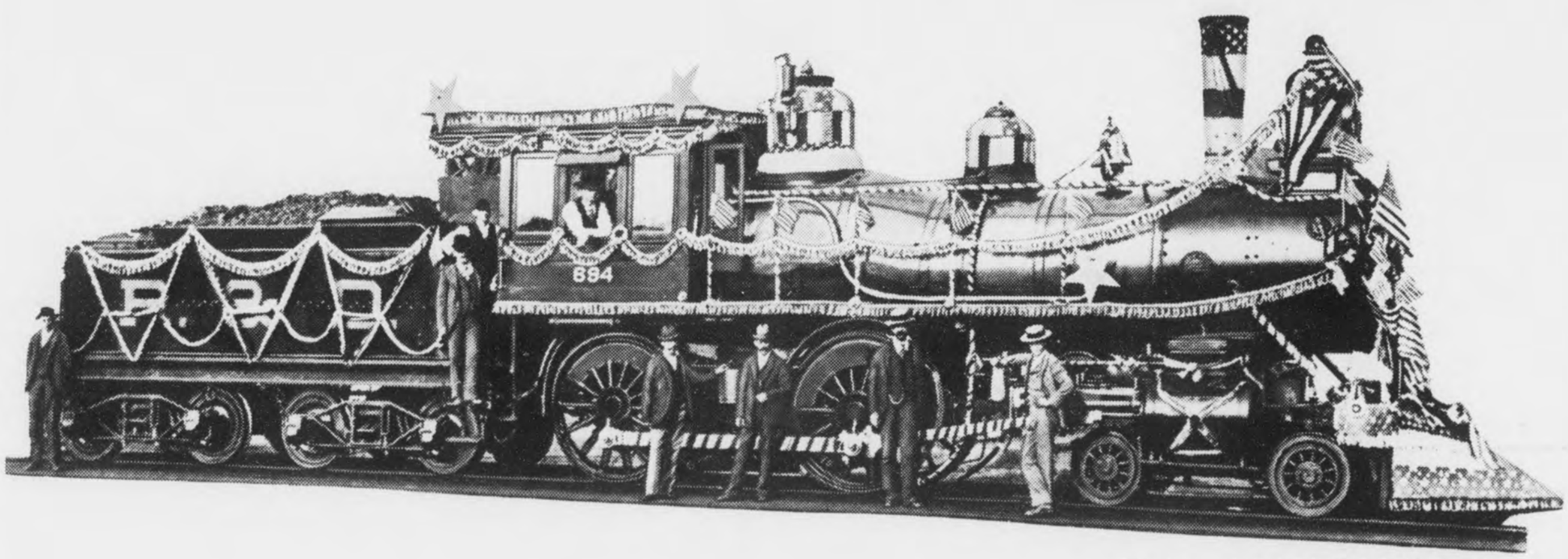

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Willie J. Parker Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parker Sr., Rt. 1, Chelsea, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School (OTS) at Lackland AFB, Tex.

Lieutenant Parker, selected for OTS through competitive examination, is being assigned to Randolph AFB, Tex., for pilot training.

The lieutenant graduated in 1965 from Shelby County High School in Columbiana, and received his B. S. degree in 1969 from Alabama College. (University of Montevallo).

Airman First Class Robert L. Hand, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hand of Rt. 2, Columbiana, is a member of the 2146th Communications Group that has earned the U. S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award.

Airman Hand, a communications specialist at Taegu Airfield, Republic of Korea, will wear a distinctive service ribbon to mark his affiliation with the unit.

The airman is a 1966 graduate of Thompson High School, Siluria. His wife, Paula, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nolen of Rt. 1, Siluria.

Private Catherine McConico, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ned McConico, Calcis, completed eight weeks of basic training at the women's Army Corps Center, Ft. McClellan, Oct. 24.

She received instruction in Army history and traditions, administrative procedures, military justice, first aid and field training.

Pvt. McConico was graduated in 1969 from W. A. Jones High School, Vincent, and attended Medical Training School, Birmingham. (U.S. Army Photo)

U. S. Air Force T/Sgt. Herman C. Collum, son of Mrs. Lucille Moon of Rt. 1, Calera, has been decorated with the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service at Udorn Royal Thai AFB, Thailand.

Sergeant Collum was decorated for his outstanding professional skill, knowledge and leadership in the performance of his duties as a refrigeration and air conditioning specialist with the 432nd Supply Squadron.

Army Pfc. Ernest Harris Jr., 24, son of Mrs. Mable Bush, Vincent, was assigned Oct. 16 to the Americal Division in Vietnam as a gunner.

Pvt. Larry Devinner, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis Devinner of Montevallo is now serving in the U. S. Armed Forces. He is stationed at Ft. Benning, Ga. for his eight weeks of basic training.

Fireman Steve Freeman a 1965 graduate of SCHS, is stationed aboard the USS Forrestal, an aircraft carrier now on tour of duty in the Mediterranean. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Choyce Freeman of Columbiana.

Marine 2nd Lt. Enoch H. Shoultz, 24, completed a 16-week helicopter pilot course at the Army Primary Helicopter School, Ft. Wolters, Tex., Oct. 10.

He was graduated from Alabama College, Montevallo, in 1967.

Sp/4 Billy R. Skinner has returned home from a tour of duty in Viet Nam. After a leave, he will be stationed with the III M.P. Co. at Ft. McClellan. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton C. Skinner, Sr. of Helena.

If you don't say anything, you won't be called on to repeat it - - Calvin Cooledge, the 30th president.

New Hope News

By Mrs. J. M. Denson

Mary Ann Portera has returned to Talledega after spending the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Portera on Cahaba Valley Road.

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David Scott Martin, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Martin, was christened by Rev. Jimmy Cantrell at the Valley Dale Presbyterian Church Sunday.

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Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Todd have returned to their home in Chattanooga after visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mahan and other relatives here recently.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Street with their sons, Doug and Jimmy, spent several days at Pine Harbor enjoying a delightful vacation.

Among other visitors here recently was Mrs. Bruce Porter of Birmingham who was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Portera.

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Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Bishop had a delightful surprise recently when they talked to their son, Spud Bishop who is in Viet Nam.

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Mrs. Judy Todd Blackmon has returned to her home in Chattanooga after spending the week end here visiting her grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Denson and other relatives.

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Andy Portera was the guest of friends in Shaw, Miss. for several days recently.

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Mrs. Louise McCullar of Birmingham spent last week here where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. E. Sorrell.

County represented at bureau meeting

Those representing Shelby County Farm Bureau at the Alabama Farm Bureau Annual Meeting in Mobile November 9 - 12 were:

E. D. Wyatt, Harpersville, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Garrett, Calera, Mr. and Mrs. W. Royce Morris, Columbiana, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bearden and Mrs. Barbara Bearden, Helena, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Bolton, Jr., Siluria, Miss Elizabeth Taylor, Shelby County Farm Bureau Queen contestant and chaperones Mrs. Elizabeth Meyers and Mrs. Virginia Brown, Montevallo and Shelby County Farm Bureau Insurance agents Walt Moody and Aaron Sherer.

Highlights of the program were addresses by Gov. Albert P. Brewer, Sen. James B. Allen, Congressman Jack Edwards and Mr. John C. Lynn, Vice-President Florida Farm Bureau. The meeting was held at the municipal theater and municipal auditorium.

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No. 1

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE
GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Special Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"1. General supervision of the public schools in Alabama shall be vested in a state board of education, which shall be elected in such manner as the legislature may provide.

"2. The chief state school officer shall be the state superintendent of education, who shall be appointed by the state board of education and serve at its pleasure. The Authority and duties of the superintendent of education shall be determined by the state board of education according to such regulations as the legislature may prescribe. The superintendent of education shall receive an annual salary which shall be fixed by the Legislature of Alabama and shall be paid from the state treasury in installments as the salaries of other state officers are paid.

"3. The Legislature shall enact appropriate laws to implement or enforce this article of amendment.

"4. The provisions of Articles 5 and 14 of the Constitution of Alabama as amended in conflict with this article are expressly repealed. However, this amendment shall not be so construed as to affect the election or term of the state superintendent of education chosen before it becomes valid as a part of the Constitution."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 2

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

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"The Legislature may enact appropriate legislation authorizing and providing for the following persons to register to vote by mail, if they prossess the qualifications of an elector and are not disqualified from voting under the Constitution and laws of Alabama, namely, members of the armed forces of the United States, persons employed outside the United States, and the spouses and children of such persons, provided, however, that such persons shall be entitled to register only in the counties where they were residents prior to entering the status which makes them eligible for such registration."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

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Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 3

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The State of Alabama is authorized to become indebted for the purpose of financing the work required of the Alabama State Docks as the local sponsoring agency for the improvement in Mobile Harbor, Alabama, known as the Theodore Ship Channel project or for additional improvements for the Alabama State Docks and in evidence of the indebtedness so incurred to issue and sell, in addition to all other bonds of the State, interest bearing general obligation bonds of the State not exceeding four million dollars ($4,000,000) in principal amount. The full faith and credit and taxing power of the State are hereby pledged to the prompt and faithful payment of the principal of the bonds and the interest thereon.

"The Alabama State Docks Department (which term as used herein shall be construed to include any other agency of the State they may succeed to said Department's functions) shall, subject to the provisions of the bond order relating to the sale of the $10,000,000 principal amount of general obligation seaport facilities bonds of the State of Alabama dated March 1, 1964, pledge and use so much of the revenues derived from its seaport facilities as may be necessary to pay at their maturities the principal of and interest on said bonds, and may pledge, agree to use, and use so much of said revenues as the said Department with the approval of the Governor may determine shall be necessary or desirable to build up and maintain reserves for the payment of said principal and interest for the maintenance, replacement and improvement of its seaport facilities. The proceeds from the sale of any such bonds shall, after payment of the reasonable and necessary expense of their issurance, be set aside in a special fund in the State Treasury and shall be paid out to the Alabama State Docks Department upon authorization by the Governor and shall be held by the said Department in a special trust fund and therefrom disbursed to pay the reasonable and necessary costs required of the Alabama State Docks as the local sponsoring agency for the improvement in Mobile Harbor, Alabama, known as the Theordore Ship Channel project or to pay the reasonable and necessary costs of constructing, dredging of approaches thereto and equipment of works of internal improvement for use and operation as a part of additional State Docks facilities; provided that, if said Department shall have issued any notes in anticipation of the sale of bonds for any of said purposes, then so much as may be necessary, not exceeding $2,000,000, shall be used to retire or fund said notes.

"The Alabama State Docks Department is hereby vested with full authority, subject to the provisions of the bond order relating to the sale of $10,000,000 principal amount of general obligation seaport facilities bonds of the State of Alabama dated March 1, 1964, and except as limited herein, to prescribe the terms of the bonds and to provide for the issuance and sale thereof. The bonds may be sold, executed and delivered at any time and from time to time, may be in such forms, denominations, series and number, may be of such tenor and maturities, may bear such date or dates, may be in registered or bearer form either as to principal or interest or both, with rights of conversion into another form, may be payable in such installments and at such place or places, may bear interest at such rate or rates, payable and evidenced in such manner, and may contain provisions for redemption at the option of the State to be exercised by the State Docks Department at such date or dates prior to their maturity and upon payment of such redemption price or prices, all as shall be provided by the said Department in the order or orders under which the bonds are issued. The principal of each series of bonds shall mature in annual installments in such amount as shall be specified in the authorizing order or orders, the first of which installments shall mature not later than one year after the date of the bonds of such series and the last of which installments shall mature not later than twenty years after the date of the bonds of the same series. The largest installment of principal and interest maturing on each series of the bonds in any one year shall not exceed twice the preceding smallest installment of principal and interest maturing thereon in any prior year. None of the bonds shall be sold for less than face value plus accrued interest thereon to the date of delivery. The bonds shall be sold only at public sale or sales, either on sealed bids or at auction, after such advertisement as may be prescribed by the said Department to the bidder whose bid reflects the lowest net interest cost to the State computed to the respective maturities of the bonds sold; provided that if no bid deemed acceptable by the said Department is received all bids may be rejected.

"The bonds shall be signed in the name of the State by the Governor and countersigned by the State Docks Director, and the Great Seal of the State of Alabama or a facsimile thereof shall be impressed, printed or otherwise reproduced thereon and shall be attested by the signature of the Secretary of State; provided, that facsimile signatures of any one or any two (but not all) of said officers may be reproduced on any of such bonds in lieu of being manually signed thereon. Coupons attached to the bonds and representing installments of interest thereon shall be signed with the facsimile signature of the State Treasurer, which facsimile signature shall constitute due and sufficient authentication of said coupons.

"All bonds issued under the provisions of this amendment, together with the interest income thereon, shall forever be exempt from taxation in this State.

"The authorization to incur debt and issue bonds contained in this amendment shall supersede and take the place of any authorization for Alabama State Docks Department to issue revenue bonds granted by act of the Legislature in effect on the effective date of this amendment.

"The provisions of this amendment shall be self-executing and authorization from or other action by the Legislature shall not be a prerequisite to the issuance of bonds hereunder."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 4

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Any provision of the Constitution of Alabama or amendments thereto to the contrary notwithstanding, the legislature may be appropriate laws authorize the state to engage in works of internal improvement by fulfilling the requirements of local contribution, participation and cooperation now or hereafter established by the United States in connection with the construction and maintenance of a navigable waterway (herein called "the waterway") between Montgomery and Gadsden and to the Alabama-Georgia boundary.

"The legislature may by appropriate laws authorize the state to become indebted, and in evidence of such indebtedness, to sell and issue its interest-bearing bonds, in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $10,000,000, for the purpose of enabling the state to discharge obligations at any time authorized by the legislature to be undertaken in connection with the waterway project; provided that the expenses incurred in connection with the sale and issuance of the bonds may also be paid from the proceeds thereof. Bonds evidencing the herein provided for indebtedness may be issued as direct general obligations of the state, and the state may pledge its full faith and credit to the prompt payment of the principal of the bonds and the interest thereon. The herein provided for indebtedness shall not be construed to prohibit or limit appropriations from the general fund of the state which from time to time may be made for the purpose of enabling the state to discharge obligations at any time authorized by the legislature to be undertaken in connection with the waterway project.

"The legislature may by appropriate laws establish a public corporation and may confer upon it, in addition to all other necessary powers, full power to undertake the obligations that the state is permitted under the foregoing provisions of this amendment to undertake in connection with the waterway project. The legislature may from time to time appropriate money from the general fund of the state to be expended by such public corporation and may also authorize the herein provided for general obligation bonds of the state to be sold from time to time under the supervision of such public corporation; provided, that all moneys received by such public corporation from the state, whether as appropriations from the state's general fund or as proceeds of the sale of the state's bonds, shall be expended, except for reasonable administrative expenses, in discharging obligations that the state is permitted under the foregoing provisions of this amendment to undertake in connection with the waterway project, and shall have directed such public corporation to undertake in its stead.

"Nothing herein shall authorize the legislature to establish any such public corporation to acquire by purchase, license, lease, condemnation or otherwise a hydroelectric project (or any part thereof) heretofore or hereafter licensed by the Federal Power Commission under the Federal Power Act of June 10, 1920, Public Law No. 280, 66th Congress, 2nd Session, and amendments thereto, or any such project (or any part thereof) otherwise authorized by act of Congress."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 5

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"When authorized by appropriate laws passed by the Legislature, the State of Alabama may, in promoting and aiding the commercial flow of agricultural products within the State or in aid of commerce and use of the waterways of the State, at a cost not exceeding $10,000,000, engage in works of internal improvement by promoting, developing, constructing, maintaining and operating within the State or along navigable streams and waterways now or hereafter existing within the State all manner of elevators, facilities, warehouses, docks, water and rail terminals and other structures and facilities and improvements needful for the convenient use of the same; provided that any such works or improvements shall always be and remain under the management and control of the State through the Alabama State Docks Department or other State governing agency and shall become part of the inland waterways facilities of the State. When authorized by appropriate laws passed by the Legislature, the State may, in addition to all other bonds of the State, become indebted in an aggregate principal amount of not exceeding $10,000,000 for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this amendment and may cause to be issued its general direct obligation bonds for the repayment of such indebtedness and interest thereon and pledge the faith and credit of the State thereto."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 6

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Sessinn of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Amendment CCLXIX proposed by Act No. 274, H.297, Regular Session 1967 is amended so that said Amendment CCLXIX shall read as follows:

"Amendment CCLXIX. A. In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution of Alabama, any county or any incorporated municipality within the state which supports, jointly supports, or proposes to support a public library is hereby authorized to levy and collect a special tax of not less than five cents nor more than fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property within such County or municipality as assessed for state taxation. The proceeds of all such taxes shall be used exclusively for public library purposes; provided, that the rate of such tax and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the county or municipality and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election.

"B. Upon petition signed by two hundred or more qualified electors of any county to the court of county commissioners or like governing body, or upon a petition signed by two hundred or more qualified electors of any municipality to the governing body of such municipality, said court of county commissioners or governing body of said municipality shall order an election to be held at the time and for the rate specified in said petition to determine whether a special tax shall be levied for public library purposes within said county or said municipality; or, upon the request of any library board created pursuant to Article 4, Chapter 7, Title 55, Code of Alabama 1940, as amended, to the court of county commissioners or like governing body, or the governing body of any municipality, said court of county commissioners or governing body of said municipality, shall order an election to be held at the time and for the rate requested by the said public library board to determine whether or not a special tax shall be levied within any county or within any political subdivision of the county in which said board has control over public library services or joint services.

"C. Elections under this amendment for county public library purposes shall be held at the same time any other general or special election is held in which the voters of the entire county are qualified to vote, and elections under this amendment for municipal library purposes shall be held at the same time any other municipal election is held.

"D. If authorized by the vote of the majority of the qualified electors voting in any such election called for the purpose, the county or city governing body, as the case may be, shall levy and collect in addition to all other taxes authorized by law, a special annual ad valorem tax at the rate prescribed and approved by the electors voting in the election. If the majority vote at any election held hereunder is not in favor of the levy of the tax, or if at any such election the special tax shall be voted at a rate of less than fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property, then the governing body of the county or city, as the case may be, may from time to time thereafter call other elections hereunder on the levy of the special tax or on the increase of the rate thereof, up to but not exceeding a total amount of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars of taxable property, and must call any such election at the next general or special county-wide election or next municipal election, as the case may be, next following the receipt of the petition or request of the library board. Provided, however, that not more than one election upon the levy or upon the increase of the rate of the special tax shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months. After the special tax shall have been levied for a period of three years, the govering body of the county or city, as the case may be, may from time to time thereafter call other elections hereunder on the question of the discountinuance of the tax or a reduction on the rate thereof, upon the payment in full of all obligations then outstanding, if any, and when a reduced rate will provide sufficient revenue for the purposes for which the tax was levied. If the majority of electors participating in the election vote in favor of the discontinuance or reduction in the rate of the tax, as the case may be, such discontinuance or reduction shall become effective for the tax year next succeeding the tax year in which such election is held. Provided, that not more than one election for the discontinuance or reduction in the rate of the special tax shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months. All such elections shall be called, held and conducted in the same manner as are elections proposing the special tax."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 7

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature shall have power to divest the State of Alabama of title to that certain sixteenth section of school land described as follows: Section 16, Township 4 South, Range 2 West, St. Stephens Meridian, in Mobile County, and may provide for the grant of such lands and the income therefrom to the board of trustees of the University of South Alabama."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 8

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the constitution and laws of Alabama, the governing body of any county in which there is a state junior college shall have the power to levy and collect a special school tax not to exceed five mills on each dollar of taxable property in the county, for the support and maintenance of the state junior colleges in such county, upon the request of the state board of education, provided the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall first have been submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the county and approved by a majority of those voting at such election. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held and conducted in accordance with general laws providing for county school tax elections. The proceeds derived from any such tax shall be used and expended for the amortization of bonds issued for capitol outlay purposes and for the general operating expenses of the junior college."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 9

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the constitution and laws of Alabama, the governing body of any county in which there is a state junior college shall have the power to levy and collect a special school tax not to exceed five mills on each dollar of taxable property in the county, for the support and maintenance of the state junior colleges in such county, upon the request of the state board of education, provided the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall first have been submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the county and approved by a majority of those voting at such election. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held and conducted in accordance with general laws providing for county school tax elections. The proceeds derived from any such tax shall be used and expended for the amortization of bonds issued for capitol outlay purposes and for the general operating expenses of the junior college."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 10

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Special Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of

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Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may from time to time, by general or local laws, fix, alter, and regulate the costs and charges of courts in Barbour County, and regulate the fees, commissions, percentages, allowances, and compensation to be charged or received by the probate Judge and the sheriff of Barbour County, and may place the sheriff on a salary basis and provide for the fees charged or collected by him to be paid into the county treasury from which his salary shall be paid."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 11

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to any taxes now authorized or that may be hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, each school district in Calhoun County, except the school district comprising the City of Anniston, shall have the power to levy and collect for public school purposes in such district an annual special ad valorem tax on the taxable properties in such district at a rate not exceeding in any one year five mills on each dollar of the value of the said properties as the same shall be assessed for state taxation; provided that prior to the levy of any special tax authorized in this paragraph, there shall be submitted to the electors of the district in which the tax is proposed to be levied, at a special election called for that purpose in the said district, the question of whether the said tax or any part thereof shall be levied, the rate thereof, the time it is to continue (which shall not exceed thirty years), and the purpose thereof, and the said tax shall be authorized at such election by a majority of the qualified electors of the district voting at such election; provided further, that if a majority of the qualified electors of any of the said districts participating in the election on the ratification of this amendment shall vote for the ratification of this amendment, then the approval of this amendment as expressed by the vote in said district in favor of its ratification shall, of itself, authorize the levy and collection of the said special tax for public school purposes in that district for a period of thirty years commencing with the levy for the tax year for which taxes will become due and payable to the said district on the October 1 next following the date of the said election on the ratification of this amendment.

"Elections on the question of the levy of a district tax under the provisions of this amendment may be held at any time and from time to time, provided, that if at any such election held after the ratification of this amendment the proposal to levy the tax so submitted should be defeated then the proposal may not be submitted at another election held in the same district within one year from the last election held under this amendment. Each such election held after the ratification of this amendment shall be called and held, the results declared, and the tax levied and collected in the same manner as now or hereafter provided by law in the case of school district taxes authorized by Amendment III to the Constitution of Alabama, except that no county-wide tax shall be required as a condition precedent for a district tax under this amendment.

"The funds arising from the district tax herein authorized to be levied in each school district shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the school district in which such district tax is levied. Nothing in this amendment shall be deemed to prevent the consolidation of any two or more school districts in Calhoun County in accordance with the applicable provisions of general law."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 12

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Governing body of Covington County shall have power to levy and collect annually a special school district tax not exceeding fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in school districts number 1 and 2, Covington County, as assessed for state taxation, for public school purposes, provided the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the districts and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election. Such tax shall be in addition to all other taxes provided for by law. The funds arising from such special district tax levied and collected by the county shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the public schools in said districts. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held, and conducted in relation to the levying of special school district taxes under the third amendment to the Constitution.

If a majority of the qualified electors of school districts number 1 and 2, Covington County, who participate in the election on the adoption, then the approval of the amendment as expressed by such vote shall of itself authorize the levying of the special tax provided for herein at the maximum rate specified for a period of not exceeding twenty years."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 13

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The governing body of Colbert County shall have power to levy and collect annually a special school district tax not exceeding one dollar on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in school districts number one and number two in Colbert County, as assessed for state taxation, for public school purposes, provided the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the districts and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election. Such tax shall be in addition to all other taxes provided for by law. The funds arising from such special district tax levied and collected by the county shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the districts. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held, and conducted in the same way that elections are called, held, and conducted in relation to the levying of special school district taxes under the third amendment to the Constitution."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 14

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Each school district of Lawrence County shall, subject to authorization at an election in such district as hereinafter provided, have power to levy and collect a special district tax, at a rate not exceeding five mills on each dollar (being equivalent to 50 cents on each $100) of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in such district for public school purposes therein, which special tax shall be in addition to all taxes now authorized or that may hereafter be authorized by the Constitution of Alabama to be levied in such district; provided, that no tax shall levied under this amendment unless the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue, and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the district in which the tax is proposed to be levied and shall have been authorized by a majority of the qualified electors voting at the election at which the submission is made. Each election held under this amendment shall be called and held, the ballots canvassed, the results declared, and the tax levied and collected in the same manner as is now or may hereafter be provided by law in the case of school district taxes authorized by Amendment III to the Constitution of Alabama, except that no countywide tax shall be required to be levied as a condition precedent to either the authorization of levy of a district tax under this amendment. The holding of one election shall not preclude a later election in the same district under the authority of this amendment. The proceeds of any special district tax authorized by this amendment shall be expended solely for public school purposes in the district in which the tax shall be levied.

"The County Bord of Education of Lawrence County may from time to time, without the necessity of any election, change the boundaries of any school district at any time existing in the county, or consolidate any two or more school districts therein, if the taxes authorized to be levied for public school purposes in all of the territory in such district after such change of boundaries or consolidation is effected shall be at the same aggregate rate and for the same duration of time; provided, that nothing contained herein shall be construed to impair or permit the impairment of the obligation of any contract created with respect to any securities theretofore issued with respect to any such school district. The provisions of the preceding sentence shall not be deemed to abridge any existing power conferred on the said County Board of Education by any existing law, but shall be in addition thereto."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 15

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The court of county commissioners, board of revenue or like governing body of Dale County shall have the power to levy and collect a special property tax in addition to all other taxes, now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, of not exceeding one-half of one per cent on the value of the taxable property in the county situated outside the corporate limits of Ozark, as such property was assessed for state taxation during the preceding year, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for educational purposes, but may be pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness issued for public school purposes, which pledges shall take priority as provided in such bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof and the time such tax is proposed to be continued, shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the county residing outside the corporate limits of Ozark, and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Elections on proposals to levy this tax on the property in the county situated outside the corporate limits of Ozark shall be called and held in the same manner as now provided by law for an election on the school district tax authorized in Amendment III, Article XIX, of the Constitution of Alabama. The tax on property situated outside the corporate limits of Ozark shall be collected in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as the taxes of the State are collected, and the revenues derived from such tax shall be used solely for school construction and other educational purposes in the territory of the county outside the corporate limits of Ozark.

"The City of Ozark shall likewise have the power to levy and collect a special property tax, in addition to all other taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, of not exceeding one-half of one per cent on the value of the taxable property situated within the corporate limits of the city, as assessed for state taxation during the preceding year, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for educational purposes, but may be pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness issued for public school purposes, which pledges shall take priority as provided in such bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof and the time such tax is proposed to be continued, shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the city and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Elections on proposals to levy this tax on property situated within the corporate limits of Ozark shall be ordered, and held in the same manner as provided by the law applicable to municipal corporations for elections to authorize the issuance of municipal bonds. The additional tax authorized by this amendment to be levied on property situated within the corporate limits of Ozark shall be collected in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as other taxes levied on property by the City of Ozark are collected, and the revenues derived from this tax shall be used solely for school construction and other educational purposes within the limits of the City of Ozark.

"If any proposal to levy a tax hereunder is defeated in any election, subsequent elections thereon may be held at any time.

"This amendment shall be self-executing."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO 17

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may from time to time, by general or local laws applicable to or operative in Tallapoosa County, fix, regulate, and alter the fees, commission, allowances, and salaries, includng the method and basis of their compensation, to be charged or received by the judge of probate, sheriff, tax assessor, tax collector, and clerk and register of the circuit Court of Tallapoosa County; and may place any or all of such officers on a salary and provide for the fees, commissions, allowances, and percentages collectible by such officers to be paid into the treasury from which their salaries are paid. Provided, that no law changing the method or basis for compensating such officers shall become effective unless it is approved by a majority of the qualified electors of the county who vote thereon at a referendum election held for such purpose."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 18

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"It is hereby proposed that Amendment CLXXV to the Constitution of Alabama, as submitted December 5, 1961 and proclaimed ratified December 18, 1961, and amended by Amendment CCLX submitted November 8, 1966 and proclaimed ratified November 17, 1966, be further amended by striking out the last sentence in said Amendments CLXXV as amended and inserting in lieu thereof the following sentence:

"The proceeds of any special district tax authorized by this amendment shall be expended for the support of education only in the special district or separate district in which the tax is levied."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 19

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section 1. In addition to any taxes now authorized, or that may be hereafter authorized, by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, there is hereby levied a special school tax of one dollar on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in the School Tax District of the City of Oneonta, Blount county, to be used soley for public school purposes; provided the levy of said tax shall first have been approved by the qualified electors of the School District as hereinafter provided.

"Section 2. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Oneonta who vote thereon vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment when it is submitted, the additional tax provided for in Section 1 shall be levied and collected without any other election having been held thereon. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City Oneonta who vote thereon vote against its approval, the tax shall not be levied unless the rate of the tax, the time is is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been again submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Oneonta and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Subsequent elections may be held at intervals of not less than one year and shall be called, held, conducted, paid for, and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in Constitutional Amendment III; provided, however, that it shall not be a condition precedent to any election on the school district tax herein provided for or to the levy and collection of such tax that a like or any other county-wide school tax be being levied and collected in Blount County.

"Section 3. In the event the special school tax herein authorized shall be approved as herein provided and the Board of Education of the City of Oneonta anticipates the proceeds therefrom by issuing securities payable, in whole or in part, out of such proceeds, the provisions of Sections 220, 221 and 224 of Title 52 of the Code of Alabama of 1940 shall not apply to any such securities."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 20

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may from time to time, by general or local law, provide for the transfer of the duties, or a part of the duties, of one county officer of Talladega County to another officer of such county; or consolidate any two or more offices of such county into one county office and provide for the abolition of the office or offices left without duties, or create a completely new office in such county and transfer to such office a part of the duties of each of several other offices without abolishing any office in such county; provided that the officer or officers to fill the offices involved will be compensated for the performance of the duties of their offices by a salary fixed according to law."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 21

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section A. As used in this amendment the following terms shall be given the following respective meanings:

"County" means Mobile County.

"Special tax" means the annual ad valorem tax at the rate of ½ of 1 per centum (equivalent to 5 mills on each dollar) of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county authorized to be levied by the county by the amendment known as Amendment XVIII to the Constituion of Alabama, as amended by the amendment to the Constitution known as Amendment CLII, and also provided for in the amendments to the constitution known as Amendments C, CXXII, CLI, CXCIII and CXCV.

"Section B. Mobile County is hereby authorized to issue from time to time its bonds, not exceeding $3,000,000 in aggregate principal amount, of which $1,000,000 in principal amount shall be issued for the purpose of acquiring, providing, constructing and equipping a building for use as a Juvenile Detention Home for the county in conjunction with the Juvenile Court of the county, and $2,000,000 in principal amount shall be issued for the purpose of acquiring, providing, constructing and equipping additions and improvements to the county courthouse building in the county; provided, that if all of the proceeds from the bonds issued for either of the said purposes shall not be needed for the purpose for which they were issued then the balance not so needed may in the sound judgment of the governing body of the county be expended for the said other purpose. The aggregate principal amount of all bonds at any time issued under this amendment, when added to the aggregate principal amount of all bonds at any time issued under this amendment, when added to the aggregate principal amount of all then outstanding bonds theretofore issued by the county under any other amendment to the Constitution of Alabama that are payable from or secured by the special tax shall not exceed 6½ per centum of the assessed valuation of the taxable property situated in the county as assessed for state taxation for the state tax year next preceding that during which any bonds herein authorized shall be issued.

"No bonds may be issued under the authority of this amendment until after the question of the issuance of such bonds shall have been submitted to the qualified electors of the county at an election called for that purpose by the governing body of the county and a majority of the said qualified electors voting at the said election shall have voted in favor of the issuance of such bonds; provided, that if a majority of the qualified electors of the county participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment shall vote for the adoption thereof, then the approval of this amendment expressed by the said vote in favor of its adoption shall of itself authorize the issuance of the bonds provided for in this amendment and no additional election by the electors of the county shall be required to authorize the issuance of the said bonds. If the majority of the qualified electors of the county participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment should not vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment, or if the majority of the qualified electors of the county voting at any election called by the governing body of the county under the provisions of this amendment should not vote in favor of the issuance of the bonds proposed at an election so called, the governing body of the county may from time to time call other elections hereunder on the issuance of such bonds, but not more than one such election shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months. Any such election called by the governing body of the county shall be called, held, conducted and canvassed, and may be contested, in the manner and within the time provided by the then existing general laws of Alabama pertaining to elections on the issuance of bonds by counties.

"The bonds issued hereunder shall be general obligations of the county for the payment of the principal of and interest on which the full faith and credit of the county shall be irrevocably pledged, and in addition thereto there shall be irrevocably pledged for payment of the said principal and interest so much of the special tax as may be necessary to pay the said principal and interest at their respective maturities, each such pledge to be on a parity with all valid pledges of the special tax at any time heretofore or hereafter made, to such extent as shall not impair the obligation of any then existing valid prior pledges.

"The principal of each series of bonds issued under the amendment shall mature in annual installments, the first of which installments shall mature not later than three (3) years after the date of the bonds of that series and the last of which shall mature not later than thirty (30) years after the date of the bonds of that series; provided, that the maturities of each series of bonds issued under this amendment shall be arranged so that (a) no annual installment of principal of the bonds of such series maturing during any fiscal year of the county shall be more than four times as great as the smallest installment of principal of the same series maturing during any prior fiscal year, and (b) the aggregate amount of principal and interest that will mature in any one fiscal year with respect to that series of bonds, and also all other bonds theretofore issued by the county and then outstanding that are payable out of or secured by a pledge of the special tax, shall not exceed the amount of the proceeds collected from the special tax during the then next preceding tax year. Except as herein otherwise provided, all bonds issued under this amendment shall be issued in accordance with, and shall be subject to, the provisions of the general laws of Alabama existing at the time of the issuance of such bonds respecting the sale, execution, issuance and redemption of bonds by counties. The indebtedness evidenced by the bonds issued under this amendment or under any other amendment to the constitution which are payable out of or are secured by a pledge of the special tax shall be in addition to and shall not be charged against the limitation on the indebtedness of the county provided for in Section 224 of the constitution.

"So long as the principal of or interest on any of the bonds issued under this amendment remains unpaid, the governing body of Mobile County shall continue the levy of the special tax at such rate as may be sufficient to pay the said principal and interest at their respective maturities; provided, that the total rate of the special tax that may be levied and collected for payment of the said bonds and all other bonds payable out of or secured by a pledge of the special tax shall not exceed 4-½ mills on each dollar of the assessed valuation of all properties subject to taxation by the county as assessed for state taxation and that the said rate of 4-½ mills on each dollar of the said assessed valuation shall be reduced for each tax year for which the special hospital tax authorized in Paragraph G of the amendment to the constitution known as Amendment No. CXCV shall have been levied at a rate exceeding 1 mill on each dollar of the taxable property in the county, any such reduction to be by ½ mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county or by rate of millage equal to the rate by which the said special hospital tax levied for that tax year exceeds one mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of such taxable property, whichever shall be the lesser reduction. The provisions of this paragraph shall be applicable, however, only to such extent as shall not impair the obligation of any pledges of the special tax heretofore made for the benefit of any bonds issued by the county prior to the adoption of this amendment.

"The provisions of this amendment shall be self-executing, and authorization from or other action by the Legislature shall not be a prerequisite to the issuance of bonds hereunder or the levy of the special tax for payment thereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 22

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"A. As used in this amendment the following terms shall be given the following respective meanings:

"County" means Mobile County.

"Special tax" means the annual ad valorem tax at the rate of ½ of 1 per centum (equivalent to 5 mills on each dollar, of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county authorized to be levied by the county by the amendment known as Amendment XVIII to the Constitution of Alabama, as amended by the amendment to the constitution known as Amendment CLII, and also provided for in the amendments to the constitution known as Amendments C, CXII, CLI, CXCIII and CXCV.

"B. Commencing with the levy for the tax year beginning October 1, 1969 (for which tax year the special tax will become payable on October 1, 1970) the special tax shall be levied annually by the governing body of the county on the assessed valuation of all property subject to taxation by the county, as assessed for state taxation for the next preceding year, at the following rates for the following respective purposes:

"(a) ½ mill on each dollar (equivalent to 1-20 of 1 percent) of the said assessed valuation shall be levied for the general purposes of the county to be paid into and disbursed by the governing body of the county out of the general fund of the county; and

"(b) 4-½ mills on each dollar (equivalent to 9-20 of 1 percent) of

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said assessed valuation shall be levied for payment of the principal of and interest on all bonds of the county heretofore and hereafter issued that are payable out of or secured by a pledge of the special tax; provided, that the said rate of 4-1/2 mills on each $1.00 of the said assessed valuation shall be reduced for each tax year for which the special hospital tax authorized in Paragraph G of the amendment to the constitution known as Amendment No. CXCV shall have been levied at a rate exceeding 1 mill on each dollar of the taxable property in the county, any such reduction to be by 1/2 mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county or by rate of millage equal to the rate by which the said special hospital tax levied for that tax year exceeds one mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of such taxable property, whichever shall be the lesser reduction."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 23

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Any provision of the Constitution of laws of the State of Alabama to the contrary notwithstanding, any muncipality in Pickens County, or any one or more of them, shall have full and continuing power and authority, after an election held in accordance herewith, to do any one or more of the following:

"1. To purchase, construct, lease, or otherwise acquire real property, plants, buildings, factories, works, facilities, machinery and equipment of any kind.

"2. To lease, sell for cash or on credit, exchange, give and convey any such property described in subdivision 1 above, to any person, firm, association or corporation.

"3. To promote local industrial, commercial or agricultural development and the location of new industries or businesses therein.

"4. To become a stockholder in any corporation, association or company.

"5. To lend its credit or to grant public moneys and things of value in aid of, or to, any individual, firm, association, or corporation whatsoever.

"6. To become indebted and to issue and sell interest bearing bonds, warrants (which may be payable from funds to be realized in future years), notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness, to a principal amount not exceeding fifty percent of the assessed value of taxable property therein as determined for state taxation, in order to secure funds for the purchase, construction, lease or acquisition of any of the property described in subdivision 1 above or to be used in furtherance of any of the other powers or authorities granted in this amendment. Such obligations or evidences of indebtedness may (in addition to any pledge or pledges authorized by subdivision 8 of this amendment) be issued upon the full faith and credit of the muncipality or may be limited as to the source of their payment.

"7. To levy and collect annually, in addition to all other taxes now authorized or permitted, a special tax or taxes of not exceeding two percent on the value of all taxable property therein as determined for state taxation, in the same manner as other county or muncipal taxes are levied and collected. Such tax may be upon all property in any municipality in Pickens County or upon all property in any district the boundaries of which the governing body of such municipality shall describe and which it shall determine to be specially improved and benefited by any proposed use or expenditure of the proceeds of such tax.

"8. To pledge to the payment of any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness the annual proceeds from any such special tax or taxes and to obligate itself irrevocably to continue to levy and collect such taxes annually until such obligations or evidences of indebtedness are paid in full and to pledge thereto any rental or sales proceeds of property leased or sold by it.

"9. To create a public authority or corporation having such powers, managed and governed by such board or governing body and subject to such limitations as the governing body of any municipality in Pickens County may impose, by approving and filing a certificate to that effect in the office of the judge of probate or the secretary of state, or their respective successors in function, and to delegate to such public authority or corporation and its board or governing body all powers and authority conferred in this amendment upon any such municipality.

"The recital in any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness that they were issued pursuant to this amendment or that they were issued to provide funds to be used in furtherance of any power or authority herein authorized or that any special tax herein authorized has been pledged to the payment thereof shall be conclusive; no purchaser or holder thereof need inquire further; and the levy and collection of such tax shall continue until the principal of and interest on such obligations or evidences of indebtedness shall have been paid in full. The bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness issued hereunder shall not be considered an indebtedness of any municipality in Pickens County for the purpose of determining the borrowing capacity of such municipality under Sections 224 and 225 of the Constitution; and the taxes herein authorized shall be in addition to those provided for or permitted in Sections 215 and 216 of the Constitution and all amendments thereto.

"This amendment shall be self-executing; but the Legislature shall have the right and power by general, special or local act to adopt laws supplemental to this amendment or in furtherance of the purposes and objectives hereinabove set forth."

"10. No municipality shall make any engagement or commitment or undertake any project under the provisions hereof unless and until the proposition has been approved by a majority of the qualified electors of such municipality. The governing body of any municipality may provide for holding such elections, but in no case shall an election be held until notice of the election and of the proposition to be voted on has been published for at least three successive weeks."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 24

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"For the promotion of local industrial, commercial or agricultural development, Morgan County and the City of Hartselle and the City of Decatur shall each separately or any two or more of them jointly have full and continuing power.

(a) to purchase, construct, lease and otherwise acquire industrial, commercial and agricultural projects or sites, including real and personal property, plants, buildings, factories, works, facilities, machinery and equipment of any kind whatsoever;

(b) to lease, sell, exchange or otherwise convey all or any part of any such project or site to any person, firm or corporation;

(c) after an approving election as hereinafter provided, if required, to sell and issue for such purposes interest-bearing general obligation bonds. Neither the county nor the cities shall issue any bonds under the authority of this amendment, other than bonds issued to finance the acquisition or development of industrial sites, such development to include the extension and installation of streets and roadways and utility services, unless the question of the issuance of such bonds has first been submitted to the qualified electors of the county or the cities, as the case may be, and approved at such election by a majority of the qualified electors voting thereat. Each such election shall be called, held and conducted, and may be contested, in the manner provided by law for county or muncipal bond elections, as the case may be. Bonds issued under the authority of this amendment shall not be considered indebtedness of the county or the cities, as the case may be, within the meaning of Sections 224 and 225 of the Constitution of Alabama, but neither the county nor the cities shall at any time issue any bonds under the authority of this amedment if as a result thereof it will have outstanding an aggregate principal amount of bonds issued hereunder in excess of twenty per cent of an assessed value of the property in the county or the cities, as the case may be. Neither shall the county or the cities issue any bonds under the authority of this amendment, except bonds issued to finance the acquisition or development of industrial sites, such development to include the extension and installation of streets and roadways and utility services, unless prior thereto or contemporaneously therewith the county or the cities, as the case may be, has entered into a lease or other similar agreement, with respect to the project being financed by such bonds, providing for the payment to the county or the cities, as the case may be, of net rentals sufficient to pay the principal of and the interest on such bonds at the*respective maturities of such principal and interest, and any bonds issued hereunder shall be secured by a pledge of such rentals and may be secured by a foreclosable mortgage on such project and by a pledge of any other taxes and revenues which the county or the cities, as the case may be, is authorized by law to pledge to the payment of its bonded indebtedness. All bonds issued under the authority of this amendment shall be sold at public sale in the manner required by law for the sale of county or municipal bonds, as the case may be, and shall mature and be payable in annual or semi-annual installments in such amounts and at such times as to result in the aggregate amount of principal and interest maturing thereon in each year following the year of their issurance being substantially equal, but shall not be subject to any other provisions of law relating to maturities of county or municipal bonds. In the event that any such action is necessary to prevent or cure a default in payment of the principal of or the interest on any bonds issued under the authority of this amendment, the county or the cities, as the case may be, is authorized to levy and collect ad valorem taxes without limitation as to rate or amount, on the assessed value of all taxable property in the county or the cities, as the case may be, but only so long as and only to such extent as necessary to prevent or cure any such default.

"In carrying out the purposes of this amendment, neither Morgan County nor the City of Hartselle nor the City of Decatur shall be subject to the provisions of Section 93 of the Constitution of Alabama, and the taxes which the county and the cities are hereinabove authorized to levy and collect are in addition to all other taxes which the county and the cities are authorized to levy and collect. This amendment shall be self-executing, but notwithstanding any contrary provisions of Section 104 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Legislature shall have the power, by general, special or local act, to enact laws supplemental hereto or in furtherance of the purposes hereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama tc be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 25

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section 1. In addition to any taxes now authorized, or that may be hereafter authorized, by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, there is hereby levied a special school tax of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in School Tax District No. 1, Madison County, Alabama, which comprises all of Madison County, Alabama except the City of Huntsville, Alabama, to be used solely for public school purposes; provided the levy of said tax shall first have been approved by the qualified electors of the School District as hereinafter provided.

"Section 2. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of said School Tax District No. 1, Madison County, Alabama, who vote thereon vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment when it is submitted, the additional tax provided for in Section 1 shall be levied and collected for a period of thirty years without any other election having been held thereon. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of School Tax District No. 1, Madison County, Alabama, who vote thereon vote against its approval, the tax shall not be levied unless the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been again submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of School Tax District One, Madison County, Alabama, and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Subsequent elections may be held at intervals of not less than one year and shall be called, held, conducted, paid for and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in Constitutional Amendment III".

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 26

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section 1. In addition to any taxes now authorized, or that may be hereafter authorized, by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, there is hereby levied a special school tax of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville in Madison County to be used solely for public school purposes; provided the levy of said tax shall first have been approved by the qualified electors of the School District as hereinafter provided.

"Section 2. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville who vote thereon vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment when it is submitted, the additional tax provided for in Section 1 shall be levied and collected for a period of thirty years without any other election having been held hereon. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville who vote thereon vote against its approval, the tax shall not be levied unless the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been again submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Subsequent elections may be held at intervals of not less than one year and shall be called, held, conducted, paid for, and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in Constitutional Amendment III."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 27

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature of Alabama may hereafter, from time to time by general or local laws, fix, regulate, and alter the costs, charges of courts, fees, commissions, allowances, or compensation to be charged or received by the sheriff of Bibb County, and may also fix, regulate, and alter the method or basis of compensating such officer."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 28

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Whenever the tax authorized to be levied by Amendment No. 72 to the Constitution shall have been approved by vote of the qualified electors of Chambers County and levied by the governing body of the county, the proceeds of such tax may be used for any health purposes of the county, including providing of health facilities of all kinds and of health services; and the governing body of Chambers County may, in its discretion, expend any part of the proceeds thereof in cooperation with any one or more of the municipalities of the county, or in cooperation with any public or private non-profit hospital corporation; or the county governing body may cooperate in the consolidation of all such hospitals, facilities and services in Chambers county and expend all or any part of the proceeds of the said tax in support thereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 29

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Any provision of the Constitution or laws of the State of Alabama to the contrary notwithstanding, Marengo County acting through the county governing body shall have full and continuing power and authority, after an election held in accordance herewith, to do any one or more of the following:

"1. To purchase, construct, lease, or otherwise acquire real property, plants, buildings, factories, works, facilities, machinery and equipment of any kind.

"2. To lease, sell for cash or on credit, exchange, give and convey any such property described in subdivision 1 above, to any person, firm association or corporation.

"3. To promote local industrial, commercial or agricultural development and the location of new industries or businesses therein.

"4. To become a stockholder in any corporation, association or company.

"5. To lend its credit or to grant public moneys and things of value in aid of, or to, any individual, firm, association, or corporation whatsoever.

"6. To become indebted and to issue and sell interest bearing bonds, warrants (which may be payable from funds to be realized in future years), notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness, to a principal amount not exceeding fifty percent of the assessed value of taxable property therein as determined for state taxation, in order to secure funds for the purchase, construction, lease or acquisition of any of the property described in subdivision 1 above or to be used in furtherance of any of the other powers or authorities granted in this amendment. Such obligations or evidences of indebtedness may (in addition to any pledge or pledges authorized by subdivision 8 of this amendment) be issued upon the full faith and credit of Marengo County, or may be limited as to the source of their payment.

"The recital in any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness that they were issued pursuant to this amendment or that they were issued to provide funds to be used in furtherance of any power or authority herein authorized or that any special tax herein authorized has been pledged to the payment thereof shall be conclusive; no purchaser or holder thereof need inquire further; and the levy and collection of such tax shall continue until the principal of and interest on such obligations or evidence of indebtedness shall have been paid in full. The bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness issued hereunder shall not be considered an indebtedness of Marengo County for the purpose of determining the borrowing capacity of the county under Section 224 of the Constitution; and the taxes herein authorized shall be in addition to those provided for or permitted in Section 215 of the Constitution and all amendments thereto.

"7. To levy and collect annually, in addition to all other taxes now authorized or permitted, a special tax or taxes of not exceeding two percent on the value of all taxable property therein as determined for state taxation in the same manner as other county taxes are levied and collected. Such tax may be upon all property in the county, or upon all property in any district the boundaries of which the governing body of such county shall describe and which it shall determine to be specially improved and benefited by any proposed use or expenditure of the proceeds of such tax.

"8. To pledge to the payment of any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness the annual proceeds from any such special tax or taxes and to obligate itself irrevocably to continue to levy and collect such taxes annually until such obligations or evidence of indebtedness are paid in full and to pledge thereto any rental or sales proceeds of property leased or sold by it.

"9. To create a public authority or corporation having such powers, managed and governed by such board or governing body subject to such limitations as the governing body of Marengo County may impose, by approving and filing a certificate to that effect in the office of the judge of probate or the Secretary of State, or their respective successors in function, and to delegate to such public authority or corporation and its board or governing body all powers and authority conferred in this amendment upon the county.

"Marengo County shall not make any engagement or commitment or undertake any project under the provisions hereof unless and until the proposition has been approved by a majority of the qualified electors of the county who vote thereon at a referendum election held for such purpose. The governing body of the county may provide for holding such election, but in no case shall an election be held notice of the election and of the proposition to be voted on has been published once a week for three successive weeks before the election.

"This amendment shall be self-executing; but the Legislature may enact general, special or local laws supplemental to this amendment or in furtherance of the purposes and objectives hereinabove set forth."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 30

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to all other taxes now or hereafter authorized, the governing body of Lee County, in the State of Alabama, is authorized to levy, in the school district of the said county that comprises all of the territory of the said county outside of the corporate limits of the cities of Auburn and Opelika, a special district tax at a rate not exceeding 50c on each $100 of the valuation of the taxable property in the said district as assessed for state taxation; provided, that no such tax shall be levied hereunder unless the rate of the said tax, the time it is to continue, and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the said district and voted for by a majority of those voting in such election; provided, further, that if a majority of the qualified electors of the said district participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment shall vote for the adoption thereof, then the approval of this amendment expressed by the said vote in favor of its adoption shall of itself authorize the levy of the said tax, without an additional election, for a period of thirty consecutive years commencing with the levy for the tax year beginning October 1, 1969. Each election on the levy of the said tax held subsequent to the ratification of this amendment shall be called, held, conducted and canvassed, and notice thereof shall be given, in the manner and within the time provided by the then existing general laws of Alabama pertaining to elections on the levy of district school taxes under the provisions of Amendment III to the Constitution, except that the holding of any such election in the said district or the collection of the said tax therein shall not be dependent upon the levy and collection of any other tax, including specifically the three-mill special county school tax provided for in the said Amendment III. If the majority of the qualified electors of the said district participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment should not vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment, or if the majority of the qualified electors of the said district voting at any election called by the governing body of Lee County under the provisions of this amendment should not vote in favor of the levy of the said tax proposed at the election so called, the governing body of Lee County may from time to time call other elections hereunder on the levy of the said tax, but not more than one such election shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months.

"Nothing contained in this amendment shall be construed to authorize the levy of an additional tax on any propery within the corporate limits of either the City of Auburn or the City of Opelika."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 31

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may by general or local law provide that a trial tax or charge on litigation of not more than two dollars ($2.00) shall be taxed as costs in any case, action, or proceeding hereafter filed, whether at law or in equity, in the Circuit Court of Russell County and in the Court of Common Pleas of Russell County, which tax shall be in addition to any court costs heretofore authorized. The proceeds of such tax or charge shall be used for establishing, equipping, maintaining and operating a public law library in Russell County, including the payment of the salaries of the personnel needed to operate such library."

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Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 32

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

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"In addition to any taxes now authorized or that may be hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, the several school districts of Talladega County shall have the power to levy and collect a special district tax of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in such districts for public school purposes, provided, that the time during which such tax is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors in each such district and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election, the election to be held in the same manner as provided by Code of Alabama 1940, Title 52, Chapter 10, Article 7 for an election on the school district tax authorized in Article XIX of the Constitution of Alabama. The funds arising from such special tax levied in any district which votes the same independently of the county shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the district as the law may direct."

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"Any provision of the Constitution or laws of the State of Alabama to the contrary, notwithstanding, the governing body of the City of Birmingham shall have full and continuing power and authority to alienate or lease for a fair consideration and upon such terms as are acceptable to it any public park or playground or any part or portion thereof owned by said City, provided such governing body by resolution adopted by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the members thereof determine that such public park or playground or part or portion thereof to be alienated or leased is no longer needed as a public park or playground or a part or portion thereof; and provided further that the Park and Recreation Board of said City, if there be such a board at the time of such alienation or leasing, shall have prior thereto by resolution adopted by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the members of said Board determined that such public park or playground or portion thereof to be alienated or leased is no longer needed as a public park or a part or portion thereof."

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"In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, the counties of Lawrence, Limestone and Morgan, in this State, each shall have the power to levy and collect a special tax up to three mills on each dollar's worth of taxable property in the county, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for general health purposes; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof, and the times such taxes are proposed to be continued, shall have first been submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of each of such counties, and voted for by the majority of those voting at such elections in all three such counties. The special tax provided herein may be renewed from time to time, in the manner provided herein, for such periods of time as are necessary. If any proposal to levy the taxes is defeated in any election, subsequent elections thereon may be held at any time. The elections provided for herein shall be called, held, conducted, and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in amendment Three, Article 19 of the Constitution of Alabama and by Article 7, Chapter 10, Title 52 of the Code of Alabama 1940; but the governing bodies of the counties of Lawrence, Limestone and Morgan shall each provide for paying the expense of the election in its county. The county tax collector of each of such counties shall collect the tax in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as the taxes of the State are collected, and he shall keep the proceeds of this tax separate and apart from all other funds, and shall keep clear accounts thereof. The tax collector shall distribute the proceeds of this special tax in the manner prescribed by the governing body of the county and the revenue derived from the tax levied hereunder shall be used for general health purposes in the county where levied or in cooperation with the other two counties named above."

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SPLIT IN TWO – In the foreground is the front half of a Ford Fairlane. The rear half of the automobile is across the highway. It was skidding sideways on the highway 25 when the Plymouth (across the road) crashed into it. Men sweep up glass after the five occupants were taken to hospitals. Four members of the Stanley Lucas family in the Plymouth were injured. The Ford's driver, James was injured only slightly. The accident occured near Westinghouse east of Montevallo. (Photo by Ed Blake)

1 dead, 7 sent to hospital in 3 hour period, Saturday

For a three hour period Saturday afternoon, misfortune, tragedy and violence kept Shelby County law officers working overtime. Between the hours of 2:30 and 5:30 county and municipal officials investigated a drowning on Lay Lake; a shooting incident near Calera and a grinding two car automobile crash just outside of Montevallo.

The three unrelated incidents resulted in one death, the hospitalization of seven Shelby Countians and the total destruction of two late model automobiles.

Eleven year old Darlene Weathers of Ensley drowned when she was fishing with her father in the Coosa River, near Shelby Shores boat landing. She apparently stood up in the boat and fell in the water at about 2 p.m. Her father made several rescue attempts and then rushed to a nearby home to call for help, in a state of near collapse.

According to Chief Deputy Sheriff Joe Roden, the search began at once and continued until about 4:30 p.m., when the girl's body was found. Neither she nor her father was wearing life preservers.

Shelby County Civil Defense Director Homer Walton, said that civil defense units from Columbiana, Harpersville, Childersburg and Sylacauga answered the call for help in the recovery operations. Recovery was made by the Harpersville unit of Shelby County CD.

Bob Bolton of Columbiana was acting coroner on the case, but told newsmen Saturday evening that he did not know the victim's identity or any of the details.

As a result of the automobile accident, Stanley Lucas of Montevallo paces the floor at two hospitals looking after his wife and two daughters. His wife and seven-year old daughter Pamela are at Shelby Memorial. Three-year old Cheryl was taken from Shelby to University Hospital. Mrs. Lucas suffered a cut forehead and bruises. Pamela has a broken leg. Monday night Mr. Lucas told The Reporter they were in "fair" condition. He was treated for a fractured knee and ribs.

Lucas told The Reporter he was driving toward Calera on Highway 25 when looming up in front of him was a car skidding crosswise of the road in his lane.

The other car was driven by Lyman James, 23, of Marvel who was alone. The impact cut the James car in two, with the engine and front wheels coming to rest in a field on the north side of the highway and the remainder was thrown in a ditch on the other side. The engine segment of the car caught fire and was extinguished by passersby.

Witnesses at the scene told newsmen that James had been ticketed for reckless driving approximately 30 minutes before the accident. James was treated and released at Shelby Memorial.

The accident happened just west of the Westinghouse plant. The Lucas family lives on Selma Road in Montevallo. He is the son of Mr. Henry Lucas. Mrs. Lucas is the former Frances Glazner of Calera.

The third tragedy on Saturday was an apparent family quarrel which happened at Shelby Springs at about 4:30. A man identified as "Bonk" Woods was shot in the leg and his wife also received gunshot wounds. Arrested and jailed on a charge of assault with intent to murder is Charles Brasher. Woods was transferred to University Hospital. Lt. Kyle Lansford of the Sheriff's Department told The Reporter that Woods' leg is seriously damaged.

Humble Oil rigs drill in county

Humble Oil Company is apparently turning up some interesting core samples in southwestern Shelby County.

The company's rigs have drilled on property of the Southern Cement Co. recently and are now drilling on the J. Frank Baker farm between Moore's Crossroads and Dargin. The rumor is that Humble will next sink a well in a location somewhere between the two.

The Reporter was referred to Gene Johnson, Exploration Drilling Manager for Humble, but his office in New Orleans said he is on vacation this week.

Tommy Baker told the Reporter that the Humble representative asked the Baker family for permission to drill in one of three locations on the farm.

The Bakers chose the site, based on the farm's need of a good water well across the highway from their residences. The water well reverts to the Bakers when the drillers leave, whether oil is found or not, Baker said.

Rumors have circulated widely since Humble moved into Shelby County that drillers are sinking wells in various locations. Baker told The Reporter however, that Humble spokesmen say Lebanon, Tennessee is the next closest point where their rigs are working.

The recent oil discovery in Choctaw County is encouraging local land owners to hope that oil might be found here.

PFC JAMES LINDSAY

James Lindsay Viet victim

A Shelby County soldier who arrived in Vietnam on September 27 has been killed in action.

The official announcement from the Defense Department in Washington stated that PFC Lindsay "... died in action on 14 November, 1969 in the Republic of Vietnam while serving at a night defensive

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Calera restaurant destroyed by fire

Calera volunteer firemen battled a raging fire for more than three hours early Thursday morning at the Clara-Neal Restaurant in Calera before the blaze could be brought under control.

The fire completely destroyed the coffee shop, spread to a storage room and the main dining room and was finally blocked off in the motel rooms adjacent to the restaurant.

The motel lobby suffered considerable damage; however, the damage to the motel rooms was limited to smoke and heat damage.

Several of the motel rooms were occupied at the time of the fire but the guests escaped without injuries.

John C. Ware, restaurant manager, said the fire started in a corner of the coffee shop near a refrigerated pie case.

George Holcombe, Calera fire chief, said his department received the alarm around 2 a.m. He said the coffee shop was completely engolfed in flames when the fire fighters arrived.

Calera's second fire truck was called and a line was laid across the bridge over Interstate 65. Holcombe said the fire was under control by 5 a.m. but the firemen did not move their equipment from the scene until 8 o'clock.

Holcombe added that several of the firemen received minor cuts from broken glass but none was injured seriously. He said the Montevallo Fire Department was on standby, but were not called for mutual assistance.

The restaurant manager commended the Calera firemen for their unified effort in battling the blaze.

FIRE'S AFTERMATH - - Restaurant Manager Ware surveys the damage in the coffee shop of the Clara-Neal Motel at Calera, as the charred cash register leans forward in the rubble in the foreground. The early morning fire started in a refrigerated pie case. Calera Volunteer Firemen kept the flames from spreading to the motel rooms adjoining the restaurant. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Columbiana church sets new budget

The First Baptist Church of Columbiana unanimously adopted the 1970 Budget Sunday, November 23. The budget totaled $68,767.59 or $1322.45 per week. This is the largest budget in the history of the church.

Of the total, $16,797.91 is alloted to missions. This figure does not include $2650 which is goal of two special offerings, one for foreign missions in December, and the other for home missions in March. The budget sets aside $1,450.00 specifically for youth work. The sum of $10,254.12 is designated for indebtedness, all of which will be retired in less than three years.

The budget planning personnel were N. A. Jones, chm., J. T. McDow, Homer Joiner, Doyle Wood, Mrs. Charles Foster, Jr., John Rush, Miss Odett Daugherty, Elvin Hill, Mrs. Fleet Barrow, and Ross B. Mullins, ex-officio.

The church will observe Tithers Demonstration Day Sunday, November 30.

A fellowship dinner is planned for Wednesday, December 3, with Rev. Charles Merry Christmas of Birmingham as speaker.

CIVIL WAR CANNON FIRES - - Members of the Lumsden Battery of Mobile watch down range as the 1864 captured Union 3-inch cannon fires. The Mobile men fired the cannon during a meeting of the Raccoon Roughs last Saturday at Mike Mahan's farm near Brierfield. (Photo by Ed Blake) See Additional Photographs on Page 6.

Montevallo girl describes Alaska VISTA experiences

True tales of winter in North Alaska are being told to Shelby County groups by a popular young Montevallo native, Rosemary Wooley, a graduate of MHS and Alabama College is home between assignments with VISTA, and is sharing her wealth of experiences as a volunteer in Elam, a small Eskimo village east of Nome. She spent last winter there teaching the Headstart program and training the mothers to operate their own program this year.

She spoke most recently to the Chelsea High School Future Farmers and earlier to the Montevallo FFA.

Miss Wooley was impressed by the warm family life of the 150 residents of Elam. She said they made her feel at home and she participated in all social activities.

ROSEMARY WOOLEY

(Photo courtesy the *Nome Nugget*)

Arrival of the mail plane is a big event, and Miss Wooley marvels at the daring of the bush pilots who bring the mail and supplies to the isolated communities.

And how does a southern girl stand the cold winter? She says she had no troubles on that score, and has a handmade sealskin parka trimmed with wolf that kept her warm.

An Elam woman made it for her, lavishing the lower edge with embroidery made of hundreds of tiny beads. (She

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What will the proposed one mill tax do for you?

By Elvin Hill
Supt. of Education

The Shelby County Board of Education has been approved for an Area Vocational School in Shelby County with 80% of the revenue coming from the Federal Government. Twenty-two systems in Alabama made application for funding under the program. Shelby County was one of the seven projects approved. In order for this program to be realized, the local board must appropriate the additional 20% of the funds to participate in this program.

The proposed one mill ad valorem property tax to be voted December 9, will make this opportunity a reality.

In order that the citizens of Shelby County may be better informed, it is felt that several questions should be answered about the proposed program and tax.

What is the purpose for the proposed Area Vocational Trade School?

Shelby County and surrounding areas are rapidly becoming industrialized. In order to continue to attract industry to our area, we must be able to provide personnel trained in skills and trades to operate their plants. Otherwise, development people will seek other areas to locate industry where employment needs can be met. There may be other students and adults who want to learn a skill or trade for the purpose of self-employment.

Who will the Shelby County Area Vocational Trade School serve?

High School: The Area Vocational School will serve those students in senior high school who will not or cannot finish high school in our present school program or those who do not choose to go to college, and who wish to learn a trade or skill to become wage earners. Students will attend regular high school one-half day and trade school one-half day.

Adult: Adults who wish to improve their skills for the purpose of advancement in their jobs or learn a new skill, may enroll in the school for night classes.

What trades and skills will be offered?

Trades and skills basic for the industries in this county and the surrounding area plus any others that may be needed by the students and adults will be offered.

What is the cost of the Area Vocational Trade School?

The total cost of building and equipping the Area Vocational School will be approximately $750,000.00. The construction of the building will cost approximately $560,000.00. The original equipment cost will be approximately $190,000.00. $600,000.00 of the original cost will be furnished by the Federal Government and $150,000.00 will be Shelby County's share.

The Area Vocational Trade School will be staffed by the Federal and State Government at no cost to Shelby County.

Shelby County will be responsible for operation, maintenance, and transportation for the Area Vocational Trade School.

How Much revenue will a one mill tax produce in Shelby County?

Anticipated from $65,000.00 to $70,000.00 annually.

How will the money collected from the one mill tax be used?

The first priority for any of the money collected will be for construction, maintenance, equipment, operation, and future expansion of an Area Vocational Trade School. If there is additional money from the proposed one mill tax after these needs are satisfied, it will be used for current needs in our regular school program.

What will be the cost to the Shelby County property owners other than corporations?

	One Mill Increase
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For 2,421 owners	1.00 or less
For 1,409 owners	1.50 or less
For 865 owners	2.00 or less
For 684 owners	2.50 or less
For 359 owners	3.00 or less
For 582 owners	5.00 or less
For 274 owners	5.00 or more

It is hoped that the above information will serve to better inform you about the proposed tax. Should other questions arise, please call the County Superintendent's office or any school principal.

Can Shelby County afford to let this opportunity pass?

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

A large crowd gathered in the courthouse last Saturday for the well-advertised court sale of the Lester Stansell farm near Moore's Crossroads. However, the minimum price set for the bidding was set in advance at $65,000, and no one entered a bid.

Another date is being considered in January to try again to sell the property.

County Planner Paul Yeager, whose office is in the Civil Defense Building, has been working since his appointment on a wide variety of plans for improving life in Shelby County in the future.

His plans are not idle dreams. He has solid research behind him on several county needs and even has blueprints for some of them.

Federal funding enters into the picture. This hurdle and a few others have not yet been cleared, so the stories are not yet ready to be told, but they will be good ones if they materialize.

Colonel Floyd H. Mann released the following statistics for Shelby county so far in 1969. State Troopers have investigated 374 accidents resulting in 69 injuries and 15 deaths. For the same period in 1968 your troopers had investigated 330 accidents resulting in 116 injuries and 10 deaths.

Judge Kenneth F. Ingram of the 18th Judicial Circuit, who attended the Circuit Judges Seminar of the Alabama Program of Continuing Legal Education, strongly endorsed the effort of judges to continually improve their judicial skills by attending seminars. Such meetings, said Judge INgram, offer opportunities to exchange valuable information with fellow judges concerning the improvement of the administration of justice.

The seminar, held at the University of Alabama campus in Tuscaloosa is a joint activity of the University of Alabama, the Alabama State Bar and Samford University, with the assistance of the Alabama Association of Circuit Judges and the National College For State Trial Judges.

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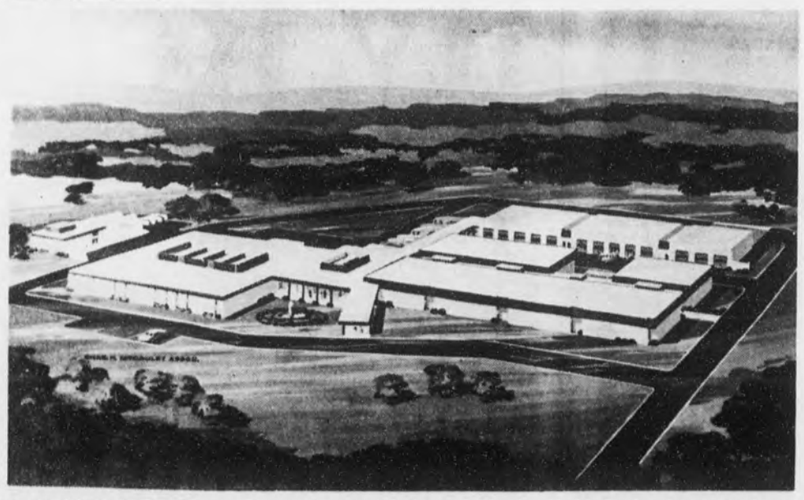

PROPOSED SCHOOL - - The architectural firm of Charles H. McCauley has submitted this drawing to the Shelby County Board of Education as the suggested design for the new vocational high school. Funds will not be available to construct the school exactly as shown, but the new building would be based upon this design. Voters decide on December 9 whether or not Shelby County's students will have the opportunity to learn vocational skills.

Columbiana churches plan Christmas service for needy

The Community Christmas committee met on Sunday at 2 P.M. in the Baptist Fellowship Hall to plan the Christmas service for the needy families of the Columbiana Community. Oliver Head of the Methodist Church and Robert Hume of the Baptist Church are the general co-chairman. Committees for eligibility, purchasing, financing, packaging and distribution were also organized.

This program benefits needy children up through age 13, who live in Columbiana or within a three mile radius of Columbiana. It is sponsored jointly by the two local Protestant churches on a continuing basis. In the last few years it has reached about 175 children from 50-60 families each Christmas season. Families may apply at either church, the Columbiana City Hall or Wallace's 5 & 10 cent store according to Robert Hume.

Soldier

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position that came under enemy fire."

The 21-year-old Shelby Countian had been in the Army since April.

His widow received word from PFC Lindsay earlier this month indicating he was in action near the Vietnam-Cambodian border.

His body was returned to Birmingham by plane last Friday morning. Funeral services were held Sunday at Hoffman - Rockco Chapel in Montevallo with burial in Ryan Cemetery.

PFC Lindsay is survived by his widow, Mrs. Brenda S. Lindsay, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Lindsay, Rt. 1, Montevallo; a sister, Kathy; two brothers, Tim and Bobby; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Yessick, Rt. 1, Siluria; and grandmother, Mrs. Clarence A. Lindsay, of York.

Studies on labor turnover show that overall job-changing rates are about the same for women and men. In 1968, 2.6 percent of women workers and 2.2 percent of men workers quit their jobs voluntarily, according to a Bureau of Labor Statistics study.

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United Appeal campaign surpasses $30,000 county goal

By Anne Crump
United Appeal P. R.

Getting a slow start didn't dampen the spirits of Shelby County volunteers who were pushing for their $30,000 United Appeal goal. Proof came Monday, November 17, as chairman Don David announced that Shelby County had raised more than $30,100 for 100.3 per cent of goal.

To date, contributions are continuing to accumulate and figures now stand at more than $30,250 according to David.

For Shelby County, this marked the first year as partner in the Jefferson County United Appeal campaign for $3,570,566. This year's goal of $30,000 was more than twice the amount of money raised in previous years when agencies conducted separate campaigns, according to figures compiled by David.

Boosting Shelby County over their quota was the Shelby County Board of Education, as some 380 school teachers pledged the extra $210 needed to exceed the goal shortly before the noon report meeting in Birmingham.

According to Elvin Hill, Superintendent of Shelby County Board of Education, their actual contributions have exceeded that pledge by more than $2,600. "We feel that Shelby is really a part of Jefferson" said Hill. "So many Jefferson Countians are moving into our county we cannot help but benefit from this merger," he added.

Within a six-week period, Jefferson and Shelby volunteers raised more than $3.7 million dollars for 47 United Appeal agencies. This amount represents a 9.5 per cent increase of the amount raised in 1968 in an equal amount of time.

The over-subscription will be budgeted by volunteer budget committees of United Appeal to agencies whose budgets were cut to a minimum in order to set a reasonable goal.

This year marks the 47th consecutive victorious drive for Jefferson County's United Appeal and the first victory for the newly merged Jefferson - Shelby Counties.

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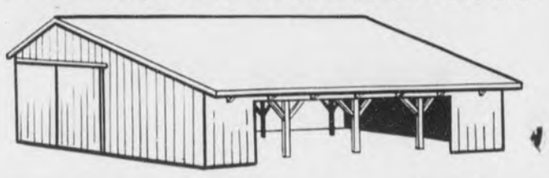

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Cotton producers to vote on quotas

Cotton producers will vote by mail Dec. 1–5 on marketing quotas for the 1970 upland cotton crop, H. C. McDanal, Chairman of the Shelby County Agricultural Stabilization and conservation (ASC) Committee reported today.

A 1970 upland cotton national marketing quota of 16,008,333 bales has been announced by the U. S. Department of Agriculture along with a national allotment of 17 million acres for the 1970 crop. This is the first time since 1962 that the national allotment has exceeded 16 million acres.

Shelby County has a total of 6302 acres available for allotment to producers of upland cotton, representing its share of the national allotment plus the national acreage reserve of 150,000 acres for the establishment of minimum farm allotments as required by law.

Individual farm allotments are set by the County ASC Committee in accordance with law and USDA regulations and are based on the cotton acreage history of each farm. Notices of farm allotments have been mailed to operators of upland cotton farms.

If at least two-thirds of the growers voting in the national referendum approve quotas for the 1970 upland cotton crop, producers who planted within their allotment would have available a Federal program offering price - support loans and payments. Marketing quota penalties would apply to any excess cotton produced on a farm.

Cooperators in the 1970 upland cotton program would have available to them price-support loans of 20.25 cents a pound and price-support payments of 16.80 cents a pound on acreage planted within the domestic allotment which is 65 percent of the total farm allotment.

If more than one-third of the voters oppose quotas for the 1970 crop, the regular allotment program would remain in effect. Price-support loans would be available at 50 percent of parity for growers who did not exceed their acreage allotments, as provided by law. However, no price-support payments would be made. No penalites would be imposed for excess cotton.

Ballots will be mailed to eligible producers and should be returned to the Shelby County ASCS Office during Dec. 1-5. Mailed ballots must be postmarked no later than Dec. 5. Ballots returned in person must be brought in before the office closes on Dec. 5.

Generally, eligible voters are those producers who shared in the 1969 cotton crop or its proceeds. Questions about voter eligibility should go to the County ASCS Office.

"MISS, MR. U. OF M." - - Winners of this year's "Miss and Mr. University of Montevallo" titles are (l-r), Peggy Jean Hill, Columbiana, and William Sumner, Duncanville. (UM Photo by Don Hughes)

Burglars rob Western Auto

Sunday morning about 1:30 o'clock, according to Columbiana Chief of Police Billingsley, a robbery of the Western Auto Store was discovered by Jack Smith, city policeman. Mr. Smith had checked the store at 12:30 and the robbery is presumed to have been committed shortly after this hour.

The articles taken were valued at $2,000 and consisted of shotguns, rifles, and other items. The night policemen evidently alerted the culprits, for they left at the back door of the store 15 boxes of stereo tapes, five boxes of shotgun shells and other articles.

Officers are investigating.

During Elite Night–

Peggy Hill selected Miss UM

Two leading seniors at the University of Montevallo have been selected for the highest honors U. of M. students bestow on their classmates.

Chosen as this year's "Miss and Mr. University of Montevallo" are Peggy Jean Hill, Columbiana, and William T. Sumner, Duncanville.

Elected from a slate of 16 candidates, the twosome received the coveted titles during annual Elite Nite festivities held recently on the Montevallo campus.

Miss Hill is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hill, Columbiana, and is a graduate of Shelby County High School. She is an elementary education major and currently serves on the student staff of the Dean of Women as a senior counsellor.

She has played an active role in annual College Night productions and other homecoming festivities. She is the winner of Class Favorite honors in '68 – '69, and has been named to the upcoming edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

Miss Hill's father is Superintendent of Education in Shelby County.

Sumner, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sumner, Rt. 1, Duncanville, was reared in Fulton and is a graduate of Clarke County High School in Grove Hill.

A business major, he is active in student government and in a number of social, service and honor organizations.

He is chief justice of the Student Honor Court, president of the U. of M. chapter of Circle K, and is chaplain of Theta Sigma Chi social fraternity.

In addition, he is a member of Delta Theta Pi men's leadership fraternity and is head resident of Ramsay Hall dormitory.

Presentation of "Miss and Mr. U. of M." titles climaxed the annual pageant which spotlights student achievement at Montevallo.

Other program events included presentation of Senior Elites, Class Favorites, Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges, and selection of the top 15 coeds in beauty competition.

Elite Nite co-chairman were seniors Garry Mitchell, Pell City, and Fred Holbein, Mobile. Committee members for the 1969-70 pageant were Sally Wintter, Birmingham; Marilyn Justice, Warrior; and Dee Herndon, Lakeland, Fla.

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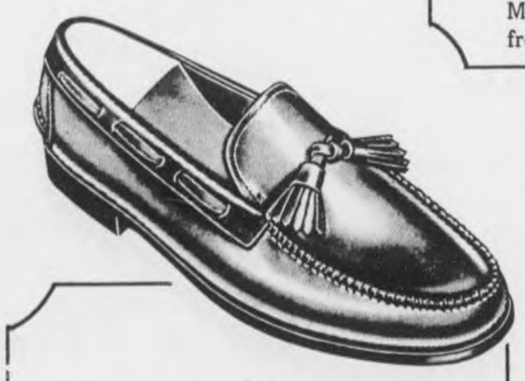

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MRS. DAVID WARREN BAILEY
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Miss Lovelady weds David W. Bailey

On the evening of Nov. 22, 1969, in the Helena Baptist Church, Miss Sandra Fay Lovelady, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lovelady, became the bride of David Warren Bailey, son of Mrs. Virginia Bailey and Mr. Robert Howard Bailey of Helena. The marital vows were exchanged in an impressive eight o'clock ceremony, the Rev. Pat Minshew, officiating.

Preceding the wedding procession an appropriate musical program was presented by Patti Donaldson, organist and vocal soloists, Paulette Herring and Darlene Hornsby.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her honor attendant was her sister, Mrs. Darlene Hornsby. The brides maids were: Cherry Cribbs, Beverly Stone, Cynthia Patridge and Joy Kent. All wore royal blue dresses with velvet bodice and chiffon overskirt. They carried bouquets of gold mums and ferns. The Flower Girl was Dawn Bailey.

The bride's dress was fashioned of peau d'soie satin. The alencon lace bodice had a Victoria neckline and three-quarter length lace sleeves. The chapel train was trimmed with alencon lace and attached to a head peice made of pearled lace petals. She carried an orchid and stephanotis on a white Bible.

A reception at the church followed the ceremony after which the young couple left for a wedding trip in the mountains. Upon their return, they will make their home in Pelham.

Dr. Riddle Baptist speaker

Dr. George W. Riddle, pastor of Dwight Memorial Church, Gadsden, and a native of Columbiana, whom all friends remember as a graduate of SCHS, and a popular member of the football team during his early school days, was honored at the recent 142th annual session of Alabama Baptist Convention, when he was chosen to deliver the convention sermon on Tuesday evening (Nov.18). This selection is a definite honor and his friends and former classmates in Columbiana, will want to join the writer in extending congratulations on this signal recognition which is - - in all ways - - a merited one!

Blankenships move to Columbiana

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Blankenship and their young daughter, have moved from their home in Birmingham to the home formerly occupied by the William Rascos in Phillips Circle; and Mr. Blankenship has assumed the managerial position of the newly opened Blankenship Auto Parts, located in the building formerly occupied by Marshall - Durbin. A "glad-to-have-you-in- our town" welcome was extended the personnel of this newest addition to commercial circles last Friday and Saturday when Open House was held.

Coffee, cakes, doughnuts and cokes were served throughout the day by the owners of the store assisted by Mrs. Jeff Hand in charge of the office.

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Rickey Carter of the U. S. Army has returned from Vietnam and is the guest of his mother Mrs. Jane Glenn and Mr. Glenn.

Camp Branch plans night

A Community Night has been announced at the Civic Center at Camp branch for next Saturday evening beginning at seven o'clock.

Guest musicians include Monarch Quartette from Huntsville; and Embassy Quartette from Helena. Local talent will also be utilized and everyone is cordially invited to participate in the night's program. No charge whatever - just good fellowship.

SOCIETY NEWS and PERSONAL MENTION

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Football fan-atiks versus luna-tiks for limelight

It doesn't take long for Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Public to become accustomed to spectacular events that are taking place in this country - - but placing the proper value on breath taking episodes - - like the three astranaut's journey to the moon - - and the various football clashes and their importance, has brought on plenty of food for thought as confabs regarding same continue to float around the coffee tables each morning.

For instance, during this morning's discussion, it was said that more had been heard about which football team would play in what bowl - - than they had heard about the astranauts who were zooming around risking their lives in the second journey to the moon. They remarked that few people even stopped in their daily routine to get the latest news flashes from the currently revolving moon-bound rocket ship telling of its progress toward its destination. This was a different slant to the amount of interest manifested in the first two astranauts who successfully survived the ordeal. It was a kind of acknowledgement that only "he who gets there fustest with the mostest" merits top billing - - In other words, it was generally conceded that after the initial trip - - the thrust into the unknown was "old hat"!

It was recalled during the first flight to the moon, that people on Main were carrying their radios to work. They spent much time listening to the latest news - flashes. The tension was great as the moon-men neared the scheduled time for a "walkee-talkee" around the moon's surface. This second trip seems to have been just taken for granted with a "so what" attitude. Not even a lifted eye-brow over this hazardous undertaking. Perhaps - in order to recapture universal interest in these periodic hops into space, the "powers that be" should attempt to schedule a football game in the Lunar Bowl between Auburn University and University of Alabama since the outcome of this annual classic battle for the oval pigskin is - - according to current conversational topics - - far more important than the rock collection from the moon. The stakes on the outcome of the football score between these two great universities on Nov. 29 are high! The correct(?) figure of the final score, as far as we are concerned, depends on which alumnus picks up the tab for our morning cup of java.

M.W.W.

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Monday night, Dec. 1, "M" night will be held in the First Baptist Church of Columbiana. "Training, The Training Program" is the item for special emphasis.

Dr. J. R. White, pastor of First Baptist Church, Montgomery, will be the distinguished guest speaker. Dr. White also edits the Sunday School lesson each week published in the Alabama Baptist.

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Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Blankenship on the arrival of a daughter whom they have named Stacey Laverle. She was born in Shelby Memorial on Nov. 19.

'I thank Thee'

"I thank Thee, Lord for countless things
Tucked in each day,
For just that quietness at vesper time
When evening shuts the world away;
For sunset and the sea,
And for that fairest thing I dreamed I lost
But waking found securely hid with Thee"

(Selected)

THANKSGIVING DECORATION - - Kay Morris and Harold Hughes pose for Reporter photographer Wayne Rasco near the decorations in their first grade room at Wilsonville.

Culture Club buys table for Girl Scouts

The Columbiana Culture Club met Nov. 13th at the new home of Mrs. E. E. Peavy with Mrs. R. H. Crawford, co-hostess. Mrs. Howard Hall, presided. The devotional was given by Mrs. Vernon Adams.

The club voted to purchase a table for the Girl Scouts as recommended by the project committee. All members purchased blind made goods.

The program was given by Mrs. Homer Walton who read the "Story of the Creek Indians" written in blank verse by Mrs. Rosamond Henderson. The hostesses served refreshments from a beautifully appointed table in the dining room.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Reynolds of Dothan, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Webster of Sylacauga, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lee.

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Montevallo Garden Club Entertained

Mrs. Joe Sherrod was hostess on Nov. 19 for a meeting of the Montevallo Garden Club. Dr. Lois Ackerly, gave a demonstration of Christmas table decorations, using both crystal and china appropriate for the festive arrangements.

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SA Edwin Earl Brasher, of the U. S. Navy, after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brasher in Shelby, has returned to his base in Pensacola, Fla., where for the next 16 weeks he will be attending Communications School.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Atchison of the Shelby County Abstract Company, entertained the attorneys in Columbiana with a steak dinner at their spacious river home on the Coosa last Wednesday evening. Present to enjoy this delectable affair were: Frank Head, Oliver Head, Karl C. Harrison, Wales W. Wallace Jr., Frank (Butch) Ellis, and Wade Morton Jr.

MISS PAULA ALTA ALLEN
. . . engaged to Richard Alex Carden

Paula Allen to marry

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Allen of Montevallo announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Paula Alta, to Mr. Richard Alex Carden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Carden, Jr. of Linden.

Miss Allen's grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Allen of Montevallo and the late Mr. and Mrs. Mitch A. Evans also of Montevallo. Mr. Carden's grandparents are Mrs. Zilphie Carden and the late Mr. Dave Carden, Sr. of Calera, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sebert also of Calera.

Both Miss Allen and Mr. Carden attend the University of Montevallo.

The wedding is planned for the evening of December 19, at seven-thirty o'clock at the Enon Baptist Church, Montevallo.

Lapsley Holcombe honored at 83rd birthday party

Mrs. Myra Gunter hosted a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of her father Lapsley Holcombe, who passed his 83rd birthday. His children, grand - children, and close friends, were present to wish for him many "happy returns of the day".

Mr. Holcombe is a highly respected semi-retired farmer and a life long resident of Shelby County.

Present to participate in the festivities planned for the daylong event were: Mr. and Mrs. Lapsley Holcombe, their sons, Harry Holcombe of Hanceville, Robert Holcombe of Birmingham, Willard and George Holcombe of Columbiana; Mrs. Gunter, Dr. and Mrs. Earl Riley and children of Birmingham, Mrs. Willard Holcombe, Mrs. George Holcombe, George Holcombe Jr., Wayne Holcombe, Karen and Edwina Holcombe all of Columbiana.

Harry Harrison weds Miss Kim Hi

Captain Harry Chapman Harrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Inabnit Harrison of Columbiana, and Miss Kim Kyung Hi, a secretary for the American Army in Pusan, exchanged marriage vows in the U. S. Embassy in Seoul, Korea, on October 20, 1969 and in the Protestant Chapel in Pusan on November 22, 1969.

Captain and Mrs. Harrison plan to return to the states in May 1970 where he will remain in the service of his country until September 1972.

The groom's maternal grandparents are Mrs. Harry DeWitt Chapman of Macon, Ga., and the late Mr. Chapman; and his paternal grandparents are: the late Mr. and Mrs. James Inabnit Harrison of Tuscaloosa.

A warm and cordial reception awaits the young couple when they return from overseas.

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We are glad to report that Mrs. Doris Farr and Mrs. Truitt Ray are recovering satisfactorily from surgery in Shelby Memorial this week.

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L/Cpl James W. Amerson, a member of the U. S. Marines, who stayed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Mitchell in Calera Rt. 2, has completed his military training in Paris Island, S. C. and in Camp Le Jeune, N. C. and is now serving his country in Vietnam.

Extension Club meets at Eanes home

The hospitable home of Mrs. B. G. Eanes furnished the setting for the November meeting of the Ebenezer Home Extension Club on the afternoon of Nov. 19. A surprise household shower for Miss Cora Albright was the highspot of the occasion.

Following a brief executive meeting, all officers currently serving the club agreed to serve for another year and they were duly installed, after which delectable Russian tea, cakes and nuts were served to 19 members and one visitor.

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Thanksgiving holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wallace were: Mr. and Mrs. Joel Glaze and their four children, and Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace and son all of Athens, and Jerry Wallace.

Fellowship Dinner 5th Sunday

Next Sunday at the noon hour, a Fellowship Dinner will be served to the members of the Columbiana Methodist Church and their guests following the morning hour of worship at which time Dr. O. B. Sansbury will be the guest speaker.

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Friends of Mrs. Prestine Cline may now send their cards and letters to Chilton County Nursing Home, Clanton, Ala. She is no longer a patient at Shelby Memorial.

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Joel Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Perry of Wilsonville, has been named to the dean's list at Lyman Ward Military Academy of Camp Hill.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Strickland of Wilsonville Rt. 2 have returned from a vacation which took them through the storm stricken area of Alabama, and on to New Orleans, Baton Rouge, and Fort Worth, Texas.

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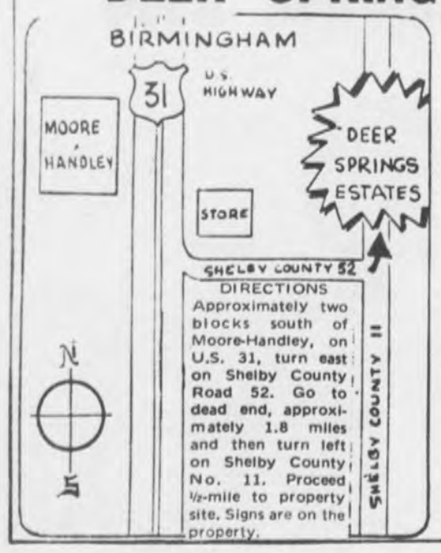

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Former teachers 'suiting up' for return to classroom

EPDA TEACHERS AT VALLEY - - Former teachers participating in the EDPA program at the University of Montevallo check one of the new mathematics teaching aides at Valley Elementary School. Shown with Mrs. Bertha Cosper (right), principal at Valley School, are: (from left), Mrs. Geraldine Pearce, Birmingham; Mrs. Charlotte Lusco, Helena; Mrs. Clara Davis, Birmingham; Mrs. Linda Peterson (seated), Helena; and Mrs. Grace Price, Birmingham.

VOLUNTEERS FOR A PHOTO - - Mrs. Clara Davis, Birmingham, stands amid waving arms as the call goes out for volunteers to be in a photograph of the Valley School third grade.

Practice teaching at Valley School

"Just fine," "very well" and "better than we thought" is the way it is for five practice teachers at Valley Elementary School who are "suiting up" for a return to the classroom next semester.

The group is part of the 20-member class of former teachers participating in the recently established Education Professions Development Act (EDPA) project at the University of Montevallo.

After eight weeks of intensive studies on campus, they are back in the classroom brushing up on earlier teaching techniques and trying out new ones.

The EPDA program is designed to retrain teachers who have been out of the profession for more than a year and put them back to work at the elementary level. Its objective, simply, is to help ease the very critical shortage of elementary school teachers.

Shelby County is one of four school systems working in cooperation with the University of Montevallo in the project. Also taking part are the systems of Birmingham, Jefferson County and Selma.

The retraining group now at Valley Elementary School includes Mrs. Linda C. Peterson and Mrs. Charlotte Lusco, both from Helena, and Mrs. Clara Davis, Mrs. Grace Price and Mrs. Geraldine Pearce, all from Birmingham.

Mrs. Bertha Cosper, principal at the county's newest elementary school, is high in her praise for the group - - in fact, her rating is an unqualified "superior."

"They came in with an open mind and went straight to work, performing like the veterans they really are," she stated. "They are familiar with all our newest equipment and know how to use it effectively."

She also noted a very important factor: "The children just love them!"

The returning teachers are also pleased with their own progress. One of the group - - Mrs. Lusco - - noted that they were a bit unsure of their ability at first, but within a very short time their confidence returned as they worked once again in the classroom.

They are working with the regular teachers at Valley School in grades three through seven - - Mrs. Gail Bertram, Mrs. Camille Garrett, Mrs. Grace McGraw, Mrs. Norma Davis and James Brantley.

During the remainder of the semester they will rotate to schools in each of the participating systems, working two weeks at each practice site. The agenda calls for classroom teaching Monday through Thursday, with a return to the campus each Friday for a series of seminars and field trips.

The present group will complete its cycle at Valley School Thursday and will be replaced by a second five-member group on Monday.

With course work and practice teaching completed at the end of the first semester, project members will be recertified as elementary teachers and will once again assume a vital post in shaping the minds of today's youth.

EQUIPMENT CHECKOUT - - Mrs. Geraldine Pearce, Birmingham, oversees operation of a film strip projector by Valley School students (l-r) Billy Richards, John Richardson and Perry Walters.

Committee appointed--

Columbiana PTO organizes

Tuesday night, November 18th, a meeting of parents and teachers was held in the Shelby County High School auditorium following a visitation period with classroom teachers.

In accordance with the State PTA Bylaws, the local unit upon withdrawal is obligated to yield all its books and records to the State PTA and distribute all its assets for the educational purposes for which they were collected. Mr. Hilry King, Jr., made the motion that the Columbiana PTA, having withdrawn from State and National PTA, yield all its books and records to the State PTA and upon satisfying all obligations in full, distribute all assets, one half to Shelby County High School and one half to Columbiana Elementary School - the educational purposes for which the assets were collected. Following a discussion, parents and teachers voted in favor of Mr. King's motion. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

The organizational meeting of Columbiana PTO followed this adjournment and was presided over by the temporary chairman, Mrs. Donald L. Hughes. Mrs. J. G. Alston nominated Mrs. George W. Holcombe who was elected to serve as temporary secretary. Billy E. Smith introduced the motion that since the purpose of this meeting was to form a Columbiana Parent Teacher Organization (PTO), a committee of five should be appointed by the chairman to draft a constitution and bylaws to be presented at the next meeting of the organization. Parents and teachers voted in favor of this motion. Mrs. Hughes appointed Mrs. W. W. Rabren to serve as chairman of the constitution and bylaws committee. Those appointed to work with her were Mrs. N. Y. Horn, Mrs. Robert F. McLeroy, Mrs. Ralph McEwen and Mr. James W. Curtis, Jr. The meeting was adjourned to meet Tuesday Night, December 9th, at 7:30 o'clock in the Columbiana Elementary School.

Montevallo News

By Bert Seaman

First Sgt. B. E. Owens has recently returned from his second tour of duty in Viet Nam. He plans to retire from the service around the first of the year.

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Mrs. Timmy Days and her two daughters are staying with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scott until the first of the year when they will move to Charlotte, N. C. where her husband has accepted a position with General Electric.

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Dr. and Mrs. D. R. McMillan left Wednesday to visit Mrs. McMillan's brother in Coral Gables, Fla. for the Thanksgiving Holidays.

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The Centrala Garden Club will again be sponsoring the Christmas Home Decoration contest this year.

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An Interdenominational Thanksgiving Service will be held at the Presbyterian Church Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m. with Rev. Frank Ledford as speaker.

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Pete Guthrie and Herbie Milstead attended the Outdoor Training session for Boy Scout leaders held at the University of Montevallo's Lake this past week-end.

Shelby church holds singing

The regular fifth Sunday singing will be held at the Shelby Church of God Sunday, November 30, beginning at 2 p.m. The Rev. Thomas George, pastor, invites the public to attend.

Moms work

Of the 30.8 million women in the civilian labor force in July 1969, 10.6 million were working mothers with children under the age of 18 years. Labor Department reports indicate that 4.1 million of these mothers had children under the age of 6 years.

Air condition for UM hall

Stegall & Co. is apparent low bidder on a heating-air conditioning project in the main auditorium at the University of Montevallo - - Palmer Auditorium.

The Birmingham firm bid $ 48,866 to convert the auditorium from its present system to the university's giant steam absorption heating-cooling complex. Work is scheduled to begin immediately and is expected to be completed by Apr. 15, 1970.

The project is primarily mechanical, and involves removal of parts of the present system and installation of additional ducts and other air distribution components.

The project will bring about a long-sought goal at Montevallo - - temperature control in the 1600-seat center, which is the site of many major events each year on the Montevallo campus.

Companies submitting bids on the project in addition to Stegall & Co. were: Brown Mechanical Contractors, Inc., H. L. Eskew & Son, Florence Heating & Air Conditioning Co., National Constructors, Inc., all of Birmingham; Metcalf & Shivers, and Smith's, Inc., both from Dothan.

Project architect is Evan M. Terry, Birmingham.

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We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation to all those who helped lessen our burden at the time of the death and funeral of our loved one, James R. Lindsay. The many kindnesses, the gifts of food and flowers were greatly appreciated as were the many expressions of sympathy and understanding.

Mrs. James Rickey Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Lindsay and Family.

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This day came Blonnie Lenora Vanderslice, Administratrix of Edward Duran Vanderslice and files his accounts, vouchers, evidence and statement for final settlement of his said Administration.
It is ordered that the 16th day of December, 1969, be and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 5th day of November, 1969.
Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate.
11-13,20,27, 1969 †117

Guardian's Settlement Notice
The State of Alabama,
Shelby County
Circuit Court of Shelby County, Alabama
Equity case No. 4544
This day came Inez Henry, Guardian of John L. Henry, a person of unsound mind, and files her account, vouchers, evidence and statement for partial settlement of his said Guardianship.
It is ordered that the 2nd day of December, 1969, at 10:00 A.M., and the same hereby is, appointed as the day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement if they think proper.
Witness my hand this 5th day of November, 1969.
s/ L. G. Fulton
Register of Circuit Court of Shelby County, Alabama
11-13,20,27, 1969 †116.

Legal Notice
Estate of Annie Lee McDade Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 24th day of November, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
John McDade
Administrator of the Estate of Annie Lee McDade, deceased
Nov. 27, Dec. 4,11,1969. †121.

Legal Notice
Estate of Andrew Lee Wilson, Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
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Whistling through the-

Heart of Dixie

BY ED BLAKE

You are not in style these days unless you have an eight-point buck for a good ornament.

We have seen several hunters parading through the county recently with trophy deer draped across the hoods of their automobiles.

Leading that parade of successful hunters is Larry Johnson of Wilsonville. At last reports Johnson had collected three racks this season. He has downed a four-pointer, an eight-pointer and a nine-pointer near his home in Wilsonville.

Billy Moore had his camera ready for this photograph of Johnson with the nine-point buck.

Don Hughes and I were along Lay Lake Sunday afternoon looking for ducks. We spotted over a hundred coots in one bunch and several mallards. As the weather gets colder up north, more mallards should be whistling their way toward Shelby County.

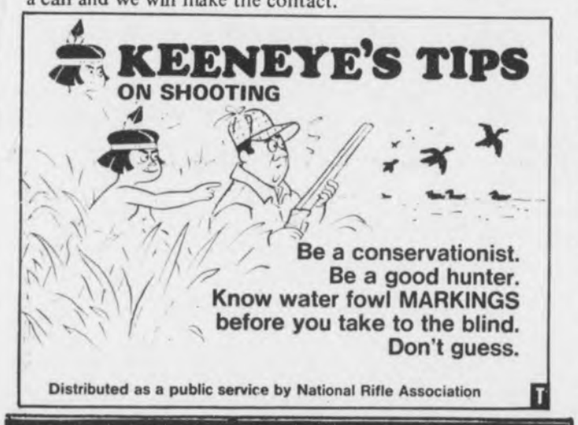
Shallow back water along the lake is the best places to look for ducks. But don't shoot yet. The season doesn't come in until December 17. The season runs for less than one month so you had better have the ducks located before opening day.

To hold the ducks in the area you hunt, it is recommended to concentrate your hunting during the early morning. Late afternoon duck hunting tends to scare the ducks off to a new roosting area.

Quail hunting came in a week ago last Thursday. We have not had any reports on how the quail population is locally. According to Game and Fish Division Chief Charles Kelley, the quail population is "real good stateside."

Have you seen any woodcocks?

Few hunters in the county concentrate on woodcocks but is is a popular game bird up north. We were talking with a man recently from Pennsylvania who was looking for woodcock in this area. If you locate any woodcocks, give us a call and we will make the contact.



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PAPER TURKEYS - - Billy Hughes (l.) and Matt Shortnacy display the turkeys they have made of paper as part of their class work. Teacher Mrs. Vivian Mooney looks on.

Montevallo Benchwarmers honor players, cheerleaders

Montevallo Benchwarmers honored the Montevallo High School football team and cheerleaders Monday night during an awards banquet.

Roy Goggins and Larry Fields were voted outstanding backs and Joe Lovelady the outstanding lineman by the players. The MHS coaches selected Echol Nix for the hustle award.

Scholastic awards were presented to Rick Yancey and Roy Goggins for maintaining an average of above 90 in their school work.

Coach Charlie Martin awarded letters and presented seniors their game jerseys.

Mrs. Betty Yancey, cheerleader sponsor, presented orchids and letters to the Bulldog cheerleaders. Mrs. Betty Smith introduced the junior cheerleaders.

Coach Lawrence McGraw introduced members of the B-team.

Hayden Riley, a member of the University of Alabama's coaching staff, spoke on the importance of a high school athletic program to boys.

Principal Cratie Corbett served as toastmaster at the banquet and Benchwarmer President Glen Yancey presented the welcome.

Falcons down Southern

The University of Montevallo Falcons, hitting 45% from the field, chalked-up the third straight basketball win of the season Monday night, defeating Birmingham - Southern College 76-63.

Played before a capacity crowd in Myrick Hall in Montevallo, Monday night's hardcourt victory saw three Falcons score with double figures.

High point man for Montevallo was Mike Newell, a 6-2 jujior from Hueytown who pumped in 28 points. Newell is the Falcon's leading scorer with a total of 96 points for the young season.

Also scoring in double figures were Al O'Brien, 6-2 from Chicago who had 18; and Larry Long, 6-1 from Anniston with 13.

Monday night's victory makes the Falcon season record three wins and one loss.

Montevallo's single loss for the year was the opening game against Columbus College of Georgia. Coach Bill Jones' quintet led for most of that match but lost the contest 86-89.

The next two games for the U of M were on the road and the Falcons downed Tennessee Temple in Chattanooga 82-68 and LaGrange College in Georgia 69-62.

The Falcons take an eight day respite for the Thanksgiving holidays and return to the hardwoods on Tuesday, December 2 when Coach Jones' squad plays host to Jacksonville State.

The Jacksonville game will be the first Alabama Collegiate Conference foe for this year's edition of the Falcons. The following Saturday, December 6, the Falcons will play host to Livingston State.

Montevallo home games begin at 7:30 in Myrick Hall.

Mrs. Kitty Cox new president of Helena Homemakers' Club

By Mrs. Dixie Pamplin

The Helena Extension Homemaker's Club met at the home of Mrs. Edgar Whitfield November 13, with 13 members present.

Mrs. J. R. Martin gave the demonstration on "The Use and Abuse of Credit Cards". This was a very useful demonstration as we all seem to be using credit cards now.

New officers were elected for the coming year as follows: president - Mrs. Kitty Cox, 1st vice president, Mrs. Margaret Nobles, 2nd vice president - Mrs. Josie Cox, 3rd vice president - Mrs. Barbara Griffin, secretary - treasurer - Mrs. Mona Bearden, reporter - Mrs. Dixie Pamplin, reading & library chairman - Mrs. Mary Margaret Whitfield, devotional chairman - Mrs. Clairene Jones.

The Club adopted a plan to send a Christmas gift package to Bryce hospital in Tuscaloosa. All members will contribute toward this to make someone less fortunate have a happy Christmas.

Everyone enjoyed the covered dish luncheon as always. It's so much fun to try new dishes, i. e. Mrs. Jones Banana-Coffee pie, Mrs. Griffin's chicken smothered in catsup and coke to name a few. Mrs. Pamplin reported on her french fried dill pickles which is so popular at a drive-in in Jackson, Mississippi.

Much fun was enjoyed by all at this club meeting, and everyone is looking forward to the December Christmas meeting which will be at Mrs. Frances McLendon's home, December 11.

Bell expands DDD service

South Central Bell Telephone Company has started installation of $858,000 in additional equipment in order to handle increased Direct Distance Dialing by its Birmingham area customers.

The new equipment, which is being installed at South Central Bell's main switching facility downtown, should be in full operation by next June, according to R. P. Richardson, Jr., District Manager. During recent months South Central bell has installed $1.4 million in similar equipment.

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Good Morning--

Not all bad

By Milton Bird

Don't let anybody fool you - - this old world we live in, with all its meaness, isn't all bad.

There are still folks around like Raymond Scroggins and Burl Oliver and Robert Hume and Oliver Head and Bob Wallace who find time in their busy lives for taking on the responsibility for the success of the Columbiana Christmas Committee.

And there's another group, dozens of us, who'll help out any way we can to see that all the little folks within a three mile radius of the court house, who are less fortunate than we, find Old Santa in their rooms on Christmas morning.

That is what the Columbiana Christmas Committee is all about. Giving of our time and our money, that no little boy or girl in our midst, no matter what their plight, will fail to have Christmas in his or her home when Santa comes around this year.

But it takes money. And that's where Pop Whittle and John Jones and Bobby Franks and I come in. That's why, in one way or another, in your Sunday School Class or in your home or at your place of business, we'll be coming to see you.

Because this is really the very best part of Christmas. If there were only getting, and no giving, Christmas this year would be just another Thursday, followed by a Friday, that would run out of sight down a road that led to nowhere.

I guess that's why so many of us were at the Baptist Church this Sunday afternoon, making plans for this year's Christmas Committee endeavor.

And that is why, on this Christmas morning, there will be joy up and down every street, and in every home, everywhere within three miles of town.

Because we know, in our hearts, that giving is what makes Christmas bright and meaningful.

FBI agent THS speaker

Ralph Miles, head of the Birmingham office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, addressed the student body at Thompson High School Wednesday morning. The talk was sponsored by the homeroom of J. B. Denham, Jr.

JUDGING ISN'T EASY - - Just ask Mrs. Mattie McCarter, judge of the Junior 4-H Breads Contest at W. A. Jones School Debra Washam, 1st Place Winner and Beverly Oden, 2nd Place Winner both want Mrs. McCarter to sample their cooking. (Pictured left to right)

County obituaries

James A. Ford

The first member of the U. S. Army to be awarded the Air Force Commendation Medal, James A. Ford, of Rt. 2, Calera, died on November 17, after suffering a heart attack.

A special act of Congress was required before the Air Force could award its commendation medal to Army personnel. Ford was the first to receive it.

He was a veteran of 20 years service with overseas service in Germany, France, England and Japan. He received numerous other medals and awards.

Since his retirement six and a half years ago he has made his home in Calera and worked at the Homewood post office.

Rev. Joseph Underwood of St. Thomas Catholic Church of Montevallo officiated at the funeral. Burial was in Shelby Memory Gardens.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Fernade R. Ford, his mother Mrs. Arie Ford, both of Calera, and seven sisters.

Lettie Mae Patterson

Mrs. Lettie Mae Patterson, age 60, died at the home of a daughter, in Birmingham, November 18, after several years illness. She is survived by three daughters: Mrs. Salome Barnes and Mrs. Barbara Johnson, of Birmingham, and Mrs. Reba Gardner, of Westover; one son, Eugene Patterson, of Westover; three sisters: Mrs. Elma Burnette, LaGrange, Georgia, Mrs. Nellie Bowen, Albany, Georgia, and Mrs. Pauline Smith, of Westover; one brother, Luke Morris, of Gainesville, Georgia; seven grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, on November 20, at 2:00 p.m., with burial in the Union Cemetery. Pall bearers were: Efford Gardner, Jimmie Gardner, Frank Chappell, Clarence Belew, Bill Smith, and Jimmie Bowen,

Bolton Brown Services were in charge.

Mrs. Lexie Tinney

Funeral rites were held in Bolton Chapel Thursday morning, Nov. 20 at eleven o'clock for Mrs. Lexie Tinney 70, who died in Saint Vincent's Hospital in Birmingham on Nov. 18, 1969. The Rev. Raymond Scroggins and the Rev. James Merrell were in charge of the service.

Mrs. Tinney was a member of the First Baptist Church and was interested in the promotion of all worthwhile educational and civic programs in Columbiana where she had resided for the past 60 years. She was born in Vandiver, Ala., but moved to Columbiana when she was ten years old.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Bob Bolton of Columbiana; and Mrs. Howard Payton Sr. (Aubrey John Williams) of Birmingham; four sisters: Mrs. H. D. Henderson, Mrs. Hugh Smith of Birmingham; Mrs. J. E. Edmondson, Mrs. Tony Lyon of Columbiana; three brothers, B. M. Isbell, Barney I. Isbell of Columbiana; Gordon Isbell of Birmingham; four grandsons.

Paul bearers were: J. T. McDow, Buck Falkner, Elvin Hill, Carleton Franks, Sherrill McClure and George Holcombe.

Interment in Columbiana Cemetery, Bolton-Brown Service, directing.

Westover News--

Perfect record spoils visit

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

Even thought it is "into the "BUG" and down the highway, to Mamma's house we go", it is still the same nostalgia of the Thanksgiving season which prompts many of us to wend our paths homeward. One visitor who has a little different story this week is Coley Davis who came from Fort Lauderdale, Florida for a visit with his mother and family. Mrs. Davis and son, Reggie, could not come because Reggie did not wish to spoil his perfect record in kindergarten attendance.

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Mrs. T. A. Sherill of Vincent, has been a visitor in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thelma Payne. This was an especially welcomed visit since Mrs. Sherill has been ill for quite some time.

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Mrs. George Collins is spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Nannie Swindale, in Ashville, Alabama.

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Always welcome and delightful visitors in the home of Mrs. Ethel Johnson are Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holcombe, of Falls Church, Virginia, who are returning to their home after a vacation spent in Miami and the Bahama Islands. They will stop in Huntsville for a short visit with Mrs. Holcombe's brother and sister, the Jerry Chessers.

Mrs. Ethel Johnson and friend, Alba Turner, will visit her sister, Mrs. Lossie Donahoo, in Billingsley, this week.

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Mrs. James Wright, of Birmingham, spent the past week-end with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Robert Lee. The Lee's and Mrs. Wright will spend the Holidays visiting in MOundville, with Mrs. Vernon Roberts, and Pleasant Grove with other relatives.

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Our wee new arrivals in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Sherrill and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd E. Hatcher will have to wait a little longer to clasp a "drumstick" but they are certainly the much admired and adored centerpieces for the Holidays in their homes.

Lisa Lynn Hatcher is the name given to the granddaughter of the Luther V. Hatchers. This is the first granddaughter for this family, and even though the parents are living in Huntsville, we know that there will continue to be frequent visits with this delightful young lady.

Neredith Lee Sherrill was born November 13, at the Baptist Medical Center - - Montclair. She was welcomed home by two sisters Stephanie and Amy Sherrill. The first news I was given when I called their home was "We've got a little baby sister at our house."

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Friends of Grandpa Wilkowski will be interested in knowing of his eye surgery on Monday morning at the Eye Foundation, of the University Hospital. We all wish for Grandpa an early and successful recovery.

Mrs. Velma Shaw is able to come home for part of the time since her eye surgery the first of October. With her great determination to be back among her home duties, we feel sure that it will be a speedy recovery for her.

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Chip Gillespie, grandson of Mrs. Alma Burton will enter University Hospital this week-end for open-heart surgery. Chip lives in Birmingham and our thoughts will be with him throughout the week.

Shelby church presents film

By popular request the Church of God at Shelby will present another program of Holy Land films on Wednesday night, December 3, at 7 p.m.

The Rev. Richard L. Tyler, Jr., pastor of the Scottsboro Church of God, will narrate the film presentation. The program was filmed by the Rev. Tyler during two trips to the Holy Land and the Middle East.

The Rev. Thomas George, pastor of the Shelby church, extends an invitation to the public to attend the program. There will be no admission charge.

A U. S. Department of Labor experimental program is trying to find out to what extent dyslexia, a reading disability, affects the national manpower picture in terms of poverty and unemployment.

JOTS & TITTLES FROM THE FALCON

Thanksgiving vacation at the University of Montevallo, this week, and a dull time for the town-folk. We really miss the students coming into the Falcon Book Store, when they are away for only a short time.

Only a few days left to order Christmas cards from the albums. And everyone seems to be shopping early this year. Some of our Christmas stock is dwindling rapidly. We will replace as much as we have time for, but to be on the safe side, shop with us for Christmas gift items soon. Can't have our customers disappointed if we can help it.

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BOOTHE CITED FOR HEROISM - - Army Sp/4 Gerald W. Boothe of Montevallo receives the Bronze Star Medal from Lt. Col. James E. Coggins in Vietnam. (U. S. Army Photo)

With our men--

Boothe awarded medal

Army Specialist Four Gerald W. Boothe, 22, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Boothe, and wife, Gladys, live on Route 1, Montevallo, was awarded the Bronze Star Medal during ceremonies near Tay Ninh, Vietnam.

Lt. Col. James E. Coggins, commanding officer of the 4th Battalion, 23rd Infantry, made the presentation.

Spec. 4 Boothe received the award for heroism in action against enemy forces in Vietnam, August 20, 1969.

The award reads in part, "While established in a night laager position, Company B came in contact with a large enemy force. During the initial contact, several casualties were sustained. Immediately, Sp. Booth drove his armored personnel carrier through the bullet swept area to the wounded men's positions. Upon reaching the injured men, Booth, with complete disregard for his own safety, exposed himself to the hostile fire as he evacuated the men to a safe location."

During the same ceremonies, he was also presented his second award of the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service in Vietnam.

The specialist, a driver with Company B, 4th Battalion of the 25th Infantry Division's 23rd Infantry, entered the Army in October 1968, completed basic training at Ft. Benning, Ga., and was stationed at Ft. McClellan, Ala., before arriving overseas in March 1968. He also holds the Combat Infantryman Badge and the Purple Heart.

He is a 1964 graduate of Montevallo High School.

The awards were presented Oct. 24.

Airman Ronald H. Clary, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Clary, Alabaster, has graduated at Sheppard AFB, Tex., from the U. S. Air Force aircraft loadmaster course.

The airman, who was trained to compute aircraft loads and to deliver materiel and supplies by parachute, is being assigned to Dover AFB, Del., for duty with the Military Airlift Command which provides global airlift for U. S. military forces.

He graduated in 1966 from Thompson High School in Siluria, and attended Auburn University.

Christmas Seals returns $1,292

Returns from this year's hristmas Seal Campaign show ontributions have reached 1,292.30, according to onrad M. Fowler, Shelby ounty Christmas Seal hairman.

"With all the pressures of e holiday preparations, eople sometimes forget their hristmas Seal contributions," id Fowler. "But our health eeds are greater than ever oday. Any reduction in our anned programs for next year uld be a serious disservice to e people of Shelby County.

Twelve tots circling a blue uce Christmas tree is the ign of the 1969 Christmas al, designed by Miss Bernice chran, a commercial artist of veland, Ohio.

On August 2, 1969 Miss chan was honored by the State of Alabama at First Day Ceremonies of the Sesquicentennial commemorative stamp in Huntsville. Miss Kochan, who designed the winning stamp for Alabama, was made an honorary citizen of Huntsville and an Alabama Colonel.

Christmas Seals, according to Conrad Fowler, have been part of the American tradition since 1907. For years their purpose was to help "stamp out tuberculosis". Today that is one of many pruposes. Christmas Seal contributions still help support the fight against TB. But they also help fight emphysema and other respiratory diseases. And they support the struggle against cigarette smoking and air pollution - two of the contributors to respiratory disease.

Flowers sponsors tax credit bill

U. S. Representative Walter Flowers (D-Ala.) joined in co-sponsoring a bill to provide tax credits for expenses incurred by parents in providing higher education for their sons and daughters. Designed specifically to aid the middle and lower income, the measure would allow up to $325. to be applied annually as a credit against income taxes by eligible taxpayers.

Flowers said that the bill provides maximum tax credits to those taxpayers whose adjusted gross income is $15,000. a year or less. Flowers continued, "With the emphasis on college education becoming stronger each year and the costs higher than ever, the Congress must recognize its responsibility to assist in this important area. I believe that the entire nation benefits from encouraging as many people as possible to continue their education beyond the high school level. The long-range gains for the country and the increased wage earning capacity of those so educated result in a better life for all. I believe that this bill is a reasonable and prudent step toward these goals."

Flowers said that the measure would permit a tax credit of 100% for the first $200. spent on higher education; 25% from $200. to $500. and 5% of expenses from $500. up to, but not exceeding, $1,500.

Flowers pointed out that in addition to expenses for college and university education, the bill will also apply to business, trade, technical and vocational insititutions that meet State and/or Federal criteria.

The Dairy Bar In Columbiana Will Be Closed On Thanksgiving Day.

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE
GOVERNOR

HEREAS, the Legislature of ama at the Special Session 1969, ered an election to be held by the lified electors of the State of ama upon a certain proposed ndment to the Constitution of ama, which said amendment is set out, and ordered that the election be held on the first sday after the expiration of three ths from final adjournment of the ular Session of the Legislature;

VHEREAS, the first Tuesday after expiration of three months from l adjournment of the Regular ion of the Legislature will be and r on December 9, 1969; and

VHEREAS, notice of such election, ther with the proposed amend- t is required by law and by the visions of the act submitting the endment to be given by a clamation of the Governor to be lished in each county in the State abama for four successive weeks preceding the day appointed for election:

OW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. wer, as Governor of the State of bama, do hereby give notice, ct and proclaim that on Tuesday 9th day of December 1969, an tion will be held at the several ng places within the State of bama in the manner and form vided by law upon the following posed amendment to the Con- tion of the State of Alabama of

"1. General supervision of the blic schools in Alabama shall be ated in a state board of education, ich shall be elected in such nner as the legislature may ovide.

"2. The chief state school officer all be the state superintendent of ucation, who shall be appointed the state board of education and ve at its pleasure. The Authority d duties of the superintendent of cation shall be determined by state board of education cording to such regulations as the islature may prescribe. The erintendent of education shall eive an annual salary which all be fixed by the Legislature of abama and shall be paid from the te treasury in installments as salaries of other state officers paid.

"3. The Legislature shall enact propriate laws to implement or force this article of amendment.

"4. The provisions of Articles 5 d 14 of the Constitution of abama as amended in conflict th this article are expressly pealed. However, this endment shall not be so nstrued as to affect the election term of the state superintendent education chosen before it comes valid as a part of the nstitution."

further direct and proclaim that ice of this election upon Tuesday 9th day of December 1969 upon above set forth amendment to the stitution of the State of Alabama 1901 be given by publishing the ne once a week for four successive eks next preceding Tuesday the day of December 1969 in each unty in the State of Alabama in a wspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the ecretary of State at the Capitol in e City of Montgomery on this the th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

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abel S. Amos
ecretary of State

O. 2

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of abama, at the Regular Session 969, ordered an election to be held by e qualified electors of the State of abama upon a certain proposed endment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may enact appropriate legislation authorizing and providing for the following persons to register to vote by mail, if they prossess the qualifications of an elector and are not disqualified from voting under the Constitution and laws of Alabama, namely, members of the armed forces of the United States, persons employed outside the United States, and the spouses and children of such persons, provided, however, that such persons shall be entitled to register only in the counties where they were residents prior to entering the status which makes them eligible for such registration."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 3

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The State of Alabama is authorized to become indebted for the purpose of financing the work required of the Alabama State Docks as the local sponsoring agency for the improvement in Mobile Harbor, Alabama, known as the Theodore Ship Channel project or for additional improvements for the Alabama State Docks and in evidence of the indebtedness so incurred to issue and sell, in addition to all other bonds of the State, interest bearing general obligation bonds of the State not exceeding four million dollars ($4,000,000) in principal amount. The full faith and credit and taxing power of the State are hereby pledged to the prompt and faithful payment of the principal of the bonds and the interest thereon.

"The Alabama State Docks Department (which term as used herein shall be construed to include any other agency of the State they may succeed to said Department's functions) shall, subject to the provisions of the bond order relating to the sale of the $10,000,000 principal amount of general obligation seaport facilities bonds of the State of Alabama dated March 1, 1964, pledge and use so much of the revenues derived from its seaport facilities as may be necessary to pay at their maturities the principal of and interest on said bonds, and may pledge, agree to use, and use so much of said revenues as the said Department with the approval of the Governor may determine shall be necessary or desirable to build up and maintain reserves for the payment of said principal and interest for the maintenance, replacement and improvement of its seaport facilities. The proceeds from the sale of any such bonds shall, after payment of the reasonable and necessary expense of their issurance, be set aside in a special fund in the State Treasury and shall be paid out to the Alabama State Docks Department upon authorization by the Governor and shall be held by the said Department in a special trust fund and therefrom disbursed to pay the reasonable and necessary costs required of the Alabama State Docks as the local sponsoring agency for the improvement in Mobile Harbor, Alabama, known as the Theordore Ship Channel project or to pay the reasonable and necessary costs of constructing, dredging of approaches thereto and equipment of works of internal improvement for use and operation as a part of additional State Docks facilities, provided that, if said Department shall have issued any notes in anticipation of the sale of bonds for any of said purposes, then so much as may be necessary, not exceeding $2,000,000, shall be used to retire or fund said notes.

"The Alabama State Docks Department is hereby vested with full authority, subject to the provisions of the bond order relating to the sale of $10,000,000 principal amount of general obligation seaport facilities bonds of the State of Alabama dated March 1, 1964, and except as limited herein, to prescribe the terms of the bonds and to provide for the issuance and sale thereof. The bonds may be sold, executed and delivered at any time and from time to time, may be in such forms, denominations, series and number, may be of such tenor and maturities, may bear such date or dates, may be in registered or bearer form either as to principal or interest or both, with rights of conversion into another form, may be payable in such installments and at such place or places, may bear interest at such rate or rates, payable and evidenced in such manner, and may contain provisions for redemption at the option of the State to be exercised by the State Docks Department at such date or dates prior to their maturity and upon payment of such redemption price or prices, all as shall be provided by the said Department in the order or orders under which the bonds are issued. The principal of each series of bonds shall mature in annual installments in such amount as shall be specified in the authorizing order or orders, the first of which installments shall mature not later than one year after the date of the bonds of such series and the last of which installments shall mature not later than twenty years after the date of the bonds of the same series. The largest installment of principal and interest maturing on each series of the bonds in any one year shall not exceed twice the preceding smallest installment of principal and interest maturing thereon in any prior year. None of the bonds shall be sold for less than face value plus accrued interest thereon to the date of delivery. The bonds shall be sold only at public sale or sales, either on sealed bids or at auction, after such advertisement as may be prescribed by the said Department to the bidder whose bid reflects the lowest net interest cost to the State computed to the respective maturities of the bonds sold; provided that if no bid deemed acceptable by the said Department is received all bids may be rejected.

"The bonds shall be signed in the name of the State by the Governor and countersigned by the State Docks Director, and the Great Seal of the State of Alabama or a facsimile thereof shall be impressed, printed or otherwise reproduced thereon and shall be attested by the signature of the Secretary of State; provided, that facsimile signatures of any one or any two (but not all) of said officers may be reproduced on any of such bonds in lieu of being manually signed thereon. Coupons attached to the bonds and representing installments of interest thereon shall be signed with the facsimile signature of the State Treasurer, which facsimile signature shall constitute due and sufficient authentication of said coupons.

"All bonds issued under the provisions of this amendment, together with the interest income thereon, shall forever be exempt from taxation in this State.

"The authorization to incur debt and issue bonds contained in this amendment shall supersede and take the place of any authorization for Alabama State Docks Department to issue revenue bonds granted by act of the Legislature in effect on the effective date of this amendment.

"The provisions of this amendment shall be self-executing and authorization from or other action by the Legislature shall not be a prerequisite to the issuance of bonds hereunder."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 4

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Any provision of the Constitution of Alabama or amendments thereto to the contrary notwithstanding, the legislature may be appropriate laws authorize the state to engage in works of internal improvement by fulfilling the requirements of local contribution, participation and cooperation now or hereafter established by the United States in connection with the construction and maintenance of a navigable waterway (herein called "the waterway") between Montgomery and Gadsden and to the Alabama-Georgia boundary.

"The legislature may by appropriate laws authorize the state to become indebted, and in evidence of such indebtedness, to sell and issue its interest-bearing bonds, in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $10,000,000, for the purpose of enabling the state to discharge obligations at any time authorized by the legislature to be undertaken in connection with the waterway project; provided that the expenses incurred in connection with the sale and issuance of the bonds may also be paid from the proceeds thereof. Bonds evidencing the herein provided for indebtedness may be issued as direct general obligations of the state, and the state may pledge its full faith and credit to the prompt payment of the principal of the bonds and the interest thereon. The herein provided for indebtedness shall not be construed to prohibit or limit appropriations from the general fund of the state which from time to time may be made for the purpose of enabling the state to discharge obligations at any time authorized by the legislature to be undertaken in connection with the waterway project.

"The legislature may by appropriate laws establish a public corporation and may confer upon it, in addition to all other necessary powers, full power to undertake the obligations that the state is permitted under the foregoing provisions of this amendment to undertake in connection with the waterway project. The legislature may from time to time appropriate money from the general fund of the state to be expended by such public corporation and may also authorize the herein provided for general obligation bonds of the state to be sold from time to time under the supervision of such public corporation; provided, that all moneys received by such public corporation from the state, whether as appropriations from the state's general fund or as proceeds of the sale of the state's bonds, shall be expended, except for reasonable administrative expenses, in discharging obligations that the state is permitted under the foregoing provisions of this amendment to undertake in connection with the waterway project, and shall have directed such public corporation to undertake in its stead.

"Nothing herein shall authorize the legislature to establish any such public corporation to acquire by purchase, license, lease, condemnation or otherwise a hydroelectric project (or any part thereof) heretofore or hereafter licensed by the Federal Power Commission under the Federal Power Act of June 10, 1920, Public Law No. 280, 66th Congress, 2nd Session, and amendments thereto, or any such project (or any part thereof) otherwise authorized by act of Congress."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 5

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"When authorized by appropriate laws passed by the Legislature, the State of Alabama may, in promoting and aiding the commercial flow of agricultural products within the State or in aid of commerce and use of the waterways of the State, at a cost not exceeding $10,000,000, engage in works of internal improvement by promoting, developing, constructing, maintaining and operating within the State or along navigable streams and waterways now or hereafter existing within the State all manner of elevators, facilities, warehouses, docks, water and rail terminals and other structures and facilities and improvements needful for the convenient use of the same; provided that any such works or improvements shall always be and remain under the management and control of the State through the Alabama State Docks Department or other State governing agency and shall become part of the inland waterways facilities of the State. When authorized by appropriate laws passed by the Legislature, the State may, in addition to all other bonds of the State, become indebted in an aggregate principal amount of not exceeding $10,000,000 for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this amendment and may cause to be issued its general direct obligation bonds for the repayment of such indebtedness and interest thereon and pledge the faith and credit of the State thereto."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 6

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Amendment CCLXIX proposed by Act No. 274, H.297, Regular Session 1967 is amended so that said Amendment CCLXIX shall read as follows:

"Amendment CCLXIX. A. In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution of Alabama, any county or any incorporated municipality within the state which supports, jointly supports, or proposes to support a public library is hereby authorized to levy and collect a special tax of not less than five cents nor more than fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property within such County or municipality as assessed for state taxation. The proceeds of all such taxes shall be used exclusively for public library purposes; provided, that the rate of such tax and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the county or municipality and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election.

"B. Upon petition signed by two hundred or more qualified electors of any county to the court of county commissioners or like governing body, or upon a petition signed by two hundred or more qualified electors of any municipality to the governing body of such municipality, said court of county commissioners or governing body of said municipality shall order an election to be held at the time and for the rate specified in said petition to determine whether a special tax shall be levied for public library purposes within said county or said municipality; or, upon the request of any library board created pursuant to Article 4, Chapter 7, Title 55, Code of Alabama 1940, as amended, to the court of county commissioners or like governing body, or the governing body of any municipality, said court of county commissioners or governing body of said municipality, shall order an election to be held at the time and for the rate requested by the said public library board to determine whether or not a special tax shall be levied within any county or within any political subdivision of the county in which said board has control over public library services or joint services.

"C. Elections under this amendment for county public library purposes shall be held at the same time any other general or special election is held in which the voters of the entire county are qualified to vote, and elections under this amendment for municipal library purposes shall be held at the same time any other municipal election is held.

"D. If authorized by the vote of the majority of the qualified electors voting in any such election called for the purpose, the county or city governing body, as the case may be, shall levy and collect in addition to all other taxes authorized by law, a special annual ad valorem tax at the rate prescribed and approved by the electors voting in the election. If the majority vote at any election held hereunder is not in favor of the levy of the tax, or if at any such election the special tax shall be voted at a rate of less than fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property, then the governing body of the county or city, as the case may be, may from time to time thereafter call other elections hereunder on the levy of the special tax or on the increase of the rate thereof, up to but not exceeding a total amount of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars of taxable property, and must call any such election at the next general or special county-wide election or next municipal election, as the case may be, next following the receipt of the petition or request of the library board. Provided, however, that not more than one election upon the levy or upon the increase of the rate of the special tax shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months. After the special tax shall have been levied for a period of three years, the govering body of the county or city, as the case may be, may from time to time thereafter call other elections hereunder on the question of the discountinuance of the tax or a reduction on the rate thereof, upon the payment in full of all obligations then outstanding, if any, and when a reduced rate will provide sufficient revenue for the purposes for which the tax was levied. If the majority of electors participating in the election vote in favor of the discontinuance or reduction in the rate of the tax, as the case may be, such discontinuance or reduction shall become effective for the tax year next succeeding the tax year in which such election is held. Provided, that not more than one election for the discontinuance or reduction in the rate of the special tax shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months. All such elections shall be called, held and conducted in the same manner as are elections proposing the special tax."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 7

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature shall have power to divest the State of Alabama of title to that certain sixteenth section of school land described as follows: Section 16, Township 4 South, Range 2 West, St. Stephens Meridian, in Mobile County, and may provide for the grant of such lands and the income therefrom to the board of trustees of the University of South Alabama."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 8

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the constitution and laws of Alabama, the governing body of any county in which there is a state junior college shall have the power to levy and collect a special school tax not to exceed five mills on each dollar of taxable property in the county, for the support and maintenance of the state junior colleges in such county, upon the request of the state board of education, provided the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall first have been submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the county and approved by a majority of those voting at such election. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held and conducted in accordance with general laws providing for county school tax elections. The proceeds derived from any such tax shall be used and expended for the amortization of bonds issued for capitol outlay purposes and for the general operating expenses of the junior college."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 9

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the constitution and laws of Alabama, the governing body of any county in which there is a state junior college shall have the power to levy and collect a special school tax not to exceed five mills on each dollar of taxable property in the county, for the support and maintenance of the state junior colleges in such county, upon the request of the state board of education, provided the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall first have been submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the county and approved by a majority of those voting at such election. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held and conducted in accordance with general laws providing for county school tax elections. The proceeds derived from any such tax shall be used and expended for the amortization of bonds issued for capitol outlay purposes and for the general operating expenses of the junior college."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 10

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Special Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of

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Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may from time to time, by general or local laws, fix, alter, and regulate the costs and charges of courts in Barbour County, and regulate the fees, commissions, percentages, allowances, and compensation to be charged or received by the probate Judge and the sheriff of Barbour County, and may place the sheriff on a salary basis and provide for the fees charged or collected by him to be paid into the county treasury from which his salary shall be paid."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 11

STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to any taxes now authorized or that may be hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, each school district in Calhoun County, except the school district comprising the City of Anniston, shall have the power to levy and collect for public school purposes in such district an annual special ad valorem tax on the taxable properties in such district at a rate not exceeding in any one year five mills on each dollar of the value of the said properties as the same shall be assessed for state taxation; provided that prior to the levy of any special tax authorized in this paragraph, there shall be submitted to the electors of the district in which the tax is proposed to be levied, at a special election called for that purpose in the said district, the question of whether the said tax or any part thereof shall be levied, the rate thereof, the time it is to continue (which shall not exceed thirty years), and the purpose thereof, and the said tax shall be authorized at such election by a majority of the qualified electors of the district voting at such election; provided further, that if a majority of the qualified electors of any of the said districts participating in the election on the ratification of this amendment shall vote for the ratification of this amendment, then the approval of this amendment as expressed by the vote in said district in favor of its ratification shall, of itself, authorize the levy and collection of the said special tax for public school purposes in that district for a period of thirty years commencing with the levy for the tax year for which taxes will become due and payable to the said district on the October 1 next following the date of the said election on the ratification of this amendment.

"Elections on the question of the levy of a district tax under the provisions of this amendment may be held at any time and from time to time, provided, that if at any such election held after the ratification of this amendment the proposal to levy the tax so submitted should be defeated then the proposal may not be submitted at another election held in the same district within one year from the last election held under this amendment. Each such election held after the ratification of this amendment shall be called and held, the results declared, and the tax levied and collected in the same manner as now or hereafter provided by law in the case of school district taxes authorized by Amendment III to the Constitution of Alabama, except that no county-wide tax shall be required as a condition precedent for a district tax under this amendment.

"The funds arising from the district tax herein authorized to be levied in each school district shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the school district in which such district tax is levied. Nothing in this amendment shall be deemed to prevent the consolidation of any two or more school districts in Calhoun County in accordance with the applicable provisions of general law."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 12

STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Governing body of Covington County shall have power to levy and collect annually a special school district tax not exceeding fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in school districts number 1 and 2, Covington County, as assessed for state taxation, for public school purposes, provided the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the districts and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election. Such tax shall be in addition to all other taxes provided for by law. The funds arising from such special district tax levied and collected by the county shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the public schools in said districts. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held, and conducted in relation to the levying of special school district taxes under the third amendment to the Constitution.

If a majority of the qualified electors of school districts number 1 and 2, Covington County, who participate in the election on the adoption, then the approval of the amendment as expressed by such vote shall of itself authorize the levying of the special tax provided for herein at the maximum rate specified for a period of not exceeding twenty years."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 13

STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The governing body of Colbert County shall have power to levy and collect annually a special school district tax not exceeding one dollar on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in school districts number one and number two in Colbert County, as assessed for state taxation, for public school purposes, provided the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the districts and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election. Such tax shall be in addition to all other taxes provided for by law. The funds arising from such special district tax levied and collected by the county shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the districts. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held, and conducted in the same way that elections are called, held, and conducted in relation to the levying of special school district taxes under the third amendment to the Constitution."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 14

STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Each school district of Lawrence County shall, subject to authorization at an election in such district as hereinafter provided, have power to levy and collect a special district tax, at a rate not exceeding five mills on each dollar (being equivalent to 50 cents on each $100) of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in such district for public school purposes therein, which special tax shall be in addition to all taxes now authorized or that may hereafter be authorized by the Constitution of Alabama to be levied in such district; provided, that no tax shall levied under this amendment unless the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue, and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the district in which the tax is proposed to be levied and shall have been authorized by a majority of the qualified electors voting at the election at which the submission is made. Each election held under this amendment shall be called and held, the ballots canvassed, the results declared, and the tax levied and collected in the same manner as is now or may hereafter be provided by law in the case of school district taxes authorized by Amendment III to the Constitution of Alabama, except that no countywide tax shall be required to be levied as a condition precedent to either the authorization of levy of a district tax under this amendment. The holding of one election shall not preclude a later election in the same district under the authority of this amendment. The proceeds of any special district tax authorized by this amendment shall be expended solely for public school purposes in the district in which the tax shall be levied.

"The County Bord of Education of Lawrence County may from time to time, without the necessity of any election, change the boundaries of any school district at any time existing in the county, or consolidate any two or more school districts therein, if the taxes authorized to be levied for public school purposes in all of the territory in such district after such change of boundaries or consolidation is effected shall be at the same aggregate rate and for the same duration of time; provided, that nothing contained herein shall be construed to impair or permit the impairment of the obligation of any contract created with respect to any securities theretofore issued with respect to any such school district. The provisions of the preceding sentence shall not be deemed to abridge any existing power conferred on the said County Board of Education by any existing law, but shall be in addition thereto."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 15

STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The court of county commissioners, board of revenue or like governing body of Dale County shall have the power to levy and collect a special property tax in addition to all other taxes, now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, of not exceeding one-half of one per cent on the value of the taxable property in the county situated outside the corporate limits of Ozark, as such property was assessed for state taxation during the preceding year, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for educational purposes, but may be pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness issued for public school purposes, which pledges shall take priority as provided in such bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof and the time such tax is proposed to be continued, shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the county residing outside the corporate limits of Ozark, and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Elections on proposals to levy this tax on the property in the county situated outside the corporate limits of Ozark shall be called and held in the same manner as now provided by law for an election on the school district tax authorized in Amendment III, Article XIX, of the Constitution of Alabama. The tax on property situated outside the corporate limits of Ozark shall be collected in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as the taxes of the State are collected, and the revenues derived from such tax shall be used solely for school construction and other educational purposes in the territory of the county outside the corporate limits of Ozark.

"The City of Ozark shall likewise have the power to levy and collect a special property tax, in addition to all other taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, of not exceeding one-half of one per cent on the value of the taxable property situated within the corporate limits of the city, as assessed for state taxation during the preceding year, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for educational purposes, but may be pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness issued for public school purposes, which pledges shall take priority as provided in such bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof and the time such tax is proposed to be continued, shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the city and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Elections on proposals to levy this tax on property situated within the corporate limits of Ozark shall be ordered, and held in the same manner as provided by the law applicable to municipal corporations for elections to authorize the issuance of municipal bonds. The additional tax authorized by this amendment to be levied on property situated within the corporate limits of Ozark shall be collected in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as other taxes levied on property by the City of Ozark are collected, and the revenues derived from this tax shall be used solely for school construction and other educational purposes within the limits of the City of Ozark.

"If any proposal to levy a tax hereunder is defeated in any election, subsequent elections thereon may be held at any time.

"This amendment shall be self-executing."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 16

STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The court of county commissioners, board of revenue or like governing body of Etowah County shall have the power to levy and collect a special property tax, in addition to all other taxes, now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, of not exceeding one-half of one per cent on the value of the taxable property in the county situated outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla, as such property was assessed for state taxation during the preceding year, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for educational purposes, but may be pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness issued for public school purposes which pledges shall take priority as provided in such bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof and the time such tax is proposed to be continued, shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the county residing outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla, and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Elections on proposals to levy this tax on the property in the county situated outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla shall be called and held in the same manner as now provided by law for an election on the school district tax authorized in Amendment III, Article XIX, of the Constitution of Alabama. The tax on property situated outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla shall be collected in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as the taxes of the State are collected, and the revenues derived from such tax shall be used solely for schools and other educational purposes in the territory of the county outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla.

"If any proposal to levy a tax hereunder is defeated in any election, subsequent elections thereon may be held at any time.

"Nothing contained in this amendment shall be construed to authorize the levy and collection of an additional tax on property situated within the corporate limits of the Cities of Gadsden or Attalla.

"This amendment shall be self-executing."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO 17

STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may from time to time, by general or local laws applicable to or operative in Tallapoosa County, fix, regulate, and alter the fees, commission, allowances, and salaries, includng the method and basis of their compensation, to be charged or received by the judge of probate, sheriff, tax assessor, tax collector, and clerk and register of the circuit Court of Tallapoosa County; and may place any or all of such officers on a salary and provide for the fees, commissions, allowances, and percentages collectible by such officers to be paid into the treasury from which their salaries are paid. Provided, that no law changing the method or basis for compensating such officers shall become effective unless it is approved by a majority of the qualified electors of the county who vote thereon at a referendum election held for such purpose."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 18

STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"It is hereby proposed that Amendment CLXXV to the Constitution of Alabama, as submitted December 5, 1961 and proclaimed ratified December 18, 1961, and amended by Amendment CCLX submitted November 8, 1966 and proclaimed ratified November 17, 1966, be further amended by striking out the last sentence in said Amendments CLXXV as amended and inserting in lieu thereof the following sentence:

"The proceeds of any special district tax authorized by this amendment shall be expended for the support of education only in the special district or separate district in which the tax is levied."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 19

STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section 1. In addition to any taxes now authorized, or that may be hereafter authorized, by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, there is hereby levied a special school tax of one dollar on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in the School Tax District of the City of Oneonta, Blount county, to be used soley for public school purposes; provided the levy of said tax shall first have been approved by the qualified electors of the School District as hereinafter provided.

"Section 2. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Oneonta who vote thereon vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment when it is submitted, the additional tax provided for in Section 1 shall be levied and collected without any other election having been held thereon. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City Oneonta who vote thereon vote against its approval, the tax shall not be levied unless the rate of the tax, the time is is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been again submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Oneonta and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Subsequent elections may be held at intervals of not less than one year and shall be called, held, conducted, paid for, and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in Constitutional Amendment III; provided, however, that it shall not be a condition precedent to any election on the school district tax herein provided for or to the levy and collection of such tax that a like or any other county-wide school tax be being levied and collected in Blount County.

"Section 3. In the event the special school tax herein authorized shall be approved as herein provided and the Board of Education of the City of Oneonta anticipates the proceeds therefrom by issuing securities payable, in whole or in part, out of such proceeds, the provisions of Sections 220, 221 and 224 of Title 52 of the Code of Alabama of 1940 shall not apply to any such securities."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 20

STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may from time to time, by general or local law, provide for the transfer of the duties, or a part of the duties, of one county officer of Talladega County to another officer of such county; or consolidate any two or more offices of such county into one county office and provide for the abolition of the office or offices left without duties, or create a completely new office in such county and transfer to such office a part of the duties of each of several other offices without abolishing any office in such county; provided that the officer or officers to fill the offices involved will be compensated for the performance of the duties of their offices by a salary fixed according to law."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 21

STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section A. As used in this amendment the following terms shall be given the following respective meanings:

"County" means Mobile County.

"Special tax" means the annual ad valorem tax at the rate of ½ of 1 per centum (equivalent to 5 mills on each dollar) of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county authorized to be levied by the county by the amendment known as Amendment XVIII to the Constituion of Alabama, as amended by the amendment to the Constitution known as Amendment CLII, and also provided for in the amendments to the constitution known as Amendments C, CXXII, CLI, CXCIII and CXCV.

"Section B. Mob'le County is hereby authorized to issue from time to time its bonds, not exceeding $3,000,000 in aggregate principal amount, of which $1,000,000 in principal amount shall be issued for the purpose of acquiring, providing, constructing and equipping a building for use as a Juvenile Detention Home for the county in conjunction with the Juvenile Court of the county, and $2,000,000 in principal amount shall be issued for the purpose of acquiring, providing, constructing and equipping additions and improvements to the county courthouse building in the county; provided, that if all of the proceeds from the bonds issued for either of the said purposes shall not be needed for the purpose for which they were issued then the balance not so needed may in the sound judgment of the governing body of the county be expended for the said other purpose. The aggregate principal amount of all bonds at any time issued under this amendment, when added to the aggregate principal amount of all bonds at any time issued under this amendment, when added to the aggregate principal amount of all then outstanding bonds theretofore issued by the county under any other amendment to the Constitution of Alabama that are payable from or secured by the special tax shall not exceed 6½ per centum of the assessed valuation of the taxable property situated in the county as assessed for state taxation for the state tax year next preceding that during which any bonds herein authorized shall be issued.

"No bonds may be issued under the authority of this amendment until after the question of the issuance of such bonds shall have been submitted to the qualified electors of the county at an election called for that purpose by the governing body of the county and a majority of the said qualified electors voting at the said election shall have voted in favor of the issuance of such bonds; provided, that if a majority of the qualified electors of the county participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment shall vote for the adoption thereof, then the approval of this amendment expressed by the said vote in favor of its adoption shall of itself authorize the issuance of the bonds provided for in this amendment and no additional election by the electors of the county shall be required to authorize the issuance of the said bonds. If the majority of the qualified electors of the county participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment should not vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment, or if the majority of the qualified electors of the county voting at any election calleo by the governing body of the county under the provisions of this amendment should not vote in favor of the issuance of the bonds proposed at an election so called, the governing body of the county may from time to time call other elections hereunder on the issuance of such bonds, but not more than one such election shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months. Any such election called by the governing body of the county shall be called, held, conducted and canvassed, and may be contested, in the manner and within the time provided by the then existing general laws of Alabama pertaining to elections on the issuance of bonds by counties.

"The bonds issued hereunder shall be general obligations of the county for the payment of the principal of and interest on which the full faith and credit of the county shall be irrevocably pledged, and in addition thereto there shall be irrevocably pledged for payment of the said principal and interest so much of the special tax as may be necessary to pay the said principal and interest at their respective maturities, each such pledge to be on a parity with all valid pledges of the special tax at any time heretofore or hereafter made, to such extent as shall not impair the obligation of any then existing valid prior pledges.

"The principal of each series of bonds issued under the amendment shall mature in annual installments, the first of which installments shall mature not later than three (3) years after the date of the bonds of that series and the last of which shall mature not later than thirty (30) years after the date of the bonds of that series provided, that the maturities of each series of bonds issued under this amendment shall be arranged so that (a) no annual installment of principal of the bonds of such series maturing during any fiscal year of the county shall be more than four times as great as the smallest installment of principal of the same series maturing during any prior fiscal year, and (b) the aggregate amount of principal and interest that will mature in any one fiscal year with respect to that series of bonds, and also all other bonds theretofore issued by the county and then outstanding that are payable out of or secured by a pledge of the special tax, shall not exceed the amount of the proceeds collected from the special tax during the then next preceding tax year. Except as herein otherwise provided, all bonds issued under this amendment shall be issued in accordance with, and shall be subject to, the provisions of the general laws of Alabama existing at the time of the issuance of such bonds respecting the sale execution, issuance and redemption of bonds by counties. The indebtedness evidenced by the bonds issued under this amendment or under any other amendment to the constitution which are payable out of or are secured by a pledge of the special tax shall be in addition to and shall not be charged against the limitation on the indebtedness of the county provided for in Section 224 of the constitution.

"So long as the principal of or interest on any of the bonds issued under this amendment remain unpaid, the governing body of Mobile County shall continue the levy of the special tax at such rate as may be sufficient to pay the said principal and interest at their respective maturities; provided that the total rate of the special tax that may be levied and collected for payment of the said bonds and all other bonds payable out of or secured by a pledge of the special tax shall not exceed 4-½ mills on each dollar of the assessed valuation of all properties subject to taxation by the county as assessed for state taxation and that the said rate of 4-½ mills on each dollar of the said assessed valuation shall be reduced for each tax year for which the special hospital tax authorized in Paragraph G of the amendment to the constitution known as Amendment No. CXCV shall have been levied at a rate exceeding 1 mill on each dollar of the taxable property in the county, any such reduction to be by ½ mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county, or by rate of millage equal to the rate by which the said special hospital tax levied for that tax year exceeds one mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of such taxable property, whichever shall be the lesser reduction. The provisions of this paragraph shall be applicable, however, only to such extent as shall not impair the obligation of any pledges of the special tax heretofore made for the benefit of any bonds issued by the county prior to the adoption of this amendment.

"The provisions of this amendment shall be self-executing and authorization from or other action by the Legislature shall not be a prerequisite to the issuance of bonds hereunder or the levy of the special tax for payment thereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF; I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 22

STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"A. As used in this amendment the following terms shall be given the following respective meanings.

"County" means Mobile County.

"Special tax" means the annual ad valorem tax at the rate of ½ of 1 per centum (equivalent to 5 mills on each dollar, of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county authorized to be levied by the county by the amendment known as Amendment XVIII to the Constitution of Alabama, as amended by the amendment to the constitution known as Amendment CLII, and also provided for in the amendments to the constitution known as Amendments C, CXXII, CLI, CXCIII and CXCV.

"B. Commencing with the levy for the tax year beginning October 1, 1969 (for which tax year the special tax will become payable on October 1, 1970) the special tax shall be levied annually by the governing body of the county on the assessed valuation of all property subject to taxation by the county, as assessed for state taxation for the next preceding year, at the following rates for the following respective purposes:

"(a) ½ mill on each dollar (equivalent to 1-20 of 1 percent) of the said assessed valuation shall be levied for the general purposes of the county to be paid into and disbursed by the governing body of the county out of the general fund of the county; and

"(b) 4-½ mills on each dollar (equivalent to 9-20 of 1 percent) of

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said assessed valuation shall be levied for payment of the principal of and interest on all bonds of the county heretofore and hereafter issued that are payable out of or secured by a pledge of the special tax; provided, that the said rate of 4-1/2 mills on each $1.00 of the said assessed valuation shall be reduced for each tax year for which the special hospital tax authorized in Paragraph G of the amendment to the constitution known as Amendment No. CXCV shall have been levied at a rate exceeding 1 mill on each dollar of the taxable property in the county, any such reduction to be by 1/2 mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county or by rate of millage equal to the rate by which the said special hospital tax levied for that tax year exceeds one mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of such taxable property, whichever shall be the lesser reduction."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 23

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Any provision of the Constitution of laws of the State of Alabama to the contrary notwithstanding, any muncipality in Pickens County, or any one or more of them, shall have full and continuing power and authority, after an election held in accordance herewith, to do any one or more of the following:

"1. To purchase, construct, lease, or otherwise acquire real property, plants, buildings, factories, works, facilities, machinery and equipment of any kind.

"2. To lease, sell for cash or on credit, exchange, give and convey any such property described in subdivision 1 above, to any person, firm, association or corporation.

"3. To promote local industrial, commercial or agricultural development and the location of new industries or businesses therein.

"4. To become a stockholder in any corporation, association or company.

"5. To lend its credit or to grant public moneys and things of value in aid of, or to, any individual, firm, association, or corporation whatsoever.

"6. To become indebted and to issue and sell interest bearing bonds, warrants (which may be payable from funds to be realized in future years), notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness, to a principal amount not exceeding fifty percent of the assessed value of taxable property therein as determined for state taxation, in order to secure funds for the purchase, construction, lease or acquisition of any of the property described in subdivision 1 above or to be used in furtherance of any of the other powers or authorities granted in this amendment. Such obligations or evidences of indebtedness may (in addition to any pledge or pledges authorized by subdivision 8 of this amendment) be issued upon the full faith and credit of the muncipality or may be limited as to the source of their payment.

"7. To levy and collect annually, in addition to all other taxes now authorized or permitted, a special tax or taxes of not exceeding two percent on the value of all taxable property therein as determined for state taxation, in the same manner as other county or muncipal taxes are levied and collected. Such tax may be upon all property in any municipality in Pickens County or upon all property in any district the boundaries of which the governing body of such municipality shall describe and which it shall determine to be specially improved and benefited by any proposed use or expenditure of the proceeds of such tax.

"8. To pledge to the payment of any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness the annual proceeds from any such special tax or taxes and to obligate itself irrevocably to continue to levy and collect such taxes annually until such obligations or evidences of indebtedness are paid in full and to pledge thereto any rental or sales proceeds of property leased or sold by it.

"9. To create a public authority or corporation having such powers, managed and governed by such board or governing body and subject to sucn limitations as the governing body of any municipality in Pickens County may impose, by approving and filing a certificate to that effect in the office of the judge of probate or the secretary of state, or their respective successors in function, and to delegate to such public authority or corporation and its board or governing body all powers and authority conferred in this amendment upon any such municipality.

"The recital in any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness that they were issued pursuant to this amendment or that they were issued to provide funds to be used in furtherance of any power or authority herein authorized or that any special tax herein authorized has been pledged to the payment thereof shall be conclusive; no purchaser or holder thereof need inquire further; and the levy and collection of such tax shall continue until the principal of and interest on such obligations or evidences of indebtedness shall have been paid in full. The bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness issued hereunder shall not be considered an indebtedness of any municipality in Pickens County for the purpose of determining the borrowing capacity of such municipality under Sections 224 and 225 of the Constitution; and the taxes herein authorized shall be in addition to those provided for or permitted in Sections 215 and 216 of the Constitution and all amendments thereto.

"This amendment shall be self-executing; but the Legislature shall have the right and power by general, special or local act to adopt laws supplemental to this amendment or in furtherance of the purposes and objectives hereinabove set forth."

"10. No municipality shall make any engagement or commitment or undertake any project under the provisions hereof unless and until the proposition has been approved by a majority of the qualified electors of such municipality. The governing body of any municipality may provide for holding such elections, but in no case shall an election be held until notice of the election and of the proposition to be voted on has been published for at least three successive weeks."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 24

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"For the promotion of local industrial, commercial or agricultural development, Morgan County and the City of Hartselle and the City of Decatur shall each separately or any two or more of them jointly have full and continuing power.

(a) to purchase, construct, lease and otherwise acquire industrial, commercial and agricultural projects or sites, including real and personal property, plants, buildings, factories, works, facilities, machinery and equipment of any kind whatsoever;

(b) to lease, sell, exchange or otherwise convey all or any part of any such project or site to any person, firm or corporation;

(c) after an approving election as hereinafter provided, if required, to sell and issue for such purposes interest-bearing general obligation bonds. Neither the county nor the cities shall issue any bonds under the authority of this amendment, other than bonds issued to finance the acquisition or development of industrial sites, such development to include the extension and installation of streets and roadways and utility services, unless the question of the issuance of such bonds has first been submitted to the qualified electors of the county or the cities, as the case may be, and approved at such election by a majority of the qualified electors voting thereat. Each such election shall be called, held and conducted, and may be contested, in the manner provided by law for county or muncipal bond elections, as the case may be. Bonds issued under the authority of this amendment shall not be considered indebtedness of the county or the cities, as the case may be, within the meaning of Sections 224 and 225 of the Constitution of Alabama, but neither the county nor the cities shall at any time issue any bonds under the authority of this amedment if as a result thereof it will have outstanding an aggregate principal amount of bonds issued hereunder in excess of twenty per cent of an assessed value of the property in the county or the cities, as the case may be. Neither shall the county or the cities issue any bonds under the authority of this amendment, except bonds issued to finance the acquisition or development of industrial sites, such development to include the extension and installation of streets and roadways and utility services, unless prior thereto or contemporaneously therewith the county or the cities, as the case may be, has entered into a lease or other similar agreement, with respect to the project being financed by such bonds, providing for the payment to the county or the cities, as the case may be, of net rentals sufficient to pay the principal of and the interest on such bonds at the respective maturities. of such principal and interest, and any bonds issued hereunder shall be secured by a pledge of such rentals and may be secured by a foreclosable mortgage on such project and by a pledge of any other taxes and revenues which the county or the cities, as the case may be, is authorized by law to pledge to the payment of its bonded indebtedness. All bonds issued under the authority of this amendment shall be sold at public sale in the manner required by law for the sale of county or municipal bonds, as the case may be, and shall mature and be payable in annual or semi-annual installments in such amounts and at such times as to result in the aggregate amount of principal and interest maturing thereon in each year following the year of their issurance being substantially equal, but shall not be subject to any other provisions of law relating to maturities of county or municipal bonds. In the event that any such action is necessary to prevent or cure a default in payment of the principal of or the interest on any bonds issued under the authority of this amendment, the county or the cities, as the case may be, is authorized to levy and collect ad valorem taxes without limitation as to rate or amount, on the assessed value of all taxable property in the county or the cities, as the case may be, but only so long as and only to such extent as necessary to prevent or cure any such default.

"In carrying out the purposes of this amendment, neither Morgan County nor the City of Hartselle nor the City of Decatur shall be subject to the provisions of Section 93 of the Constitution of Alabama, and the taxes which the county and the cities are hereinabove authorized to levy and collect are in addition to all other taxes which the county and the cities are authorized to levy and collect. This amendment shall be self-executing, but notwithstanding any contrary provisions of Section 104 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Legislature shall have the power, by general, special or local act, to enact laws supplemental hereto or in furtherance of the purposes hereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 25

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section 1. In addition to any taxes now authorized, or that may be hereafter authorized, by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, there is hereby levied a special school tax of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in School Tax District No. 1, Madison County, Alabama, which comprises all of Madison County, Alabama except the City of Huntsville, Alabama, to be used solely for public school purposes; provided the levy of said tax shall first have been approved by the qualified electors of the School District as hereinafter provided.

"Section 2. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of said School Tax District No. 1, Madison County, Alabama, who vote thereon vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment when it is submitted, the additional tax provided for in Section 1 shall be levied and collected for a period of thirty years without any other election having been held thereon. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of School Tax District No. 1, Madison County, Alabama, who vote thereon vote against its approval, the tax shall not be levied unless the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been again submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of School Tax District One, Madison County, Alabama, and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Subsequent elections may be held at intervals of not less than one year and shall be called, held, conducted, paid for and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in Constitutional Amendment III".

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 26

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section 1. In addition to any taxes now authorized, or that may be hereafter authorized, by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, there is hereby levied a special school tax of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville in Madison County to be used solely for public school purposes; provided the levy of said tax shall first have been approved by the qualified electors of the School District as hereinafter provided.

"Section 2. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville who vote thereon vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment when it is submitted, the additional tax provided for in Section 1 shall be levied and collected for a period of thirty years without any other election having been held hereon. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville who vote thereon vote against its approval, the tax shall not be levied unless the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been again submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Subsequent elections may be held at intervals of not less than one year and shall be called, held, conducted, paid for, and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in Constitutional Amendment III."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 27

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature of Alabama may hereafter, from time to time by general or local laws, fix, regulate, and alter the costs, charges of courts, fees, commissions, allowances, or compensation to be charged or received by the sheriff of Bibb County, and may also fix, regulate, and alter the method or basis of compensating such officer."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 28

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Whenever the tax authorized to be levied by Amendment No. 72 to the Constitution shall have been approved by vote of the qualified electors of Chambers County and levied by the governing body of the county, the proceeds of such tax may be used for any health purposes of the county, including providing of health facilities of all kinds and of health services; and the governing body of Chambers County may, in its discretion, expend any part of the proceeds thereof in cooperation with any one or more of the municipalities of the county, or in cooperation with any public or private non-profit hospital corporation; or the county governing body may cooperate in the consolidation of all such hospitals, facilities and services in Chambers county and expend all or any part of the proceeds of the said tax in support thereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 29

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Any provision of the Constitution or laws of the State of Alabama to the contrary notwithstanding, Marengo County acting through the county governing body shall have full and continuing power and authority, after an election held in accordance herewith, to do any one or more of the following:

"1. To purchase, construct, lease, or otherwise acquire real property, plants, buildings, factories, works, facilities, machinery and equipment of any kind.

"2. To lease, sell for cash or on credit, exchange, give and convey any such property described in subdivision 1 above, to any person, firm association or corporation.

"3. To promote local industrial, commercial or agricultural development and the location of new industries or businesses therein.

"4. To become a stockholder in any corporation, association or company.

"5. To lend its credit or to grant public moneys and things of value in aid of, or to, any individuel, firm, association, or corporation whatsoever.

"6. To become indebted and to issue and sell interest bearing bonds, warrants (which may be payable from funds to be realized in future years), notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness, to a principal amount not exceeding fifty percent of the assessed value of taxable property therein as determined for state taxation, in order to secure funds for the purchase, construction, lease or acquisition of any of the property described in subdivision 1 above or to be used in furtherance of any of the other powers or authorities granted in this amendment. Such obligations or evidences of indebtedness may (in addition to any pledge or pledges authorized by subdivision 8 of this amendment) be issued upon the full faith and credit of Marengo County, or may be limited as to the source of their payment.

"The recital in any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness that they were issued pursuant to this amendment or that they were issued to provide funds to be used in furtherance of any power or authority herein authorized or that any special tax herein authorized has been pledged to the payment thereof shall be conclusive; no purchaser or holder thereof need inquire further; and the levy and collection of such tax shall continue until the principal of and interest on such obligations or evidence of indebtedness shall have been paid in full. The bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness issued hereunder shall not be considered an indebtedness of Marengo County for the purpose of determining the borrowing capacity of the county under Section 224 of the Constitution; and the taxes herein authorized shall be in addition to those provided for or permitted in Section 215 of the Constitution and all amendments thereto.

"7. To levy and collect annually, in addition to all other taxes now authorized or permitted, a special tax or taxes of not exceeding two percent on the value of all taxable property therein as determined for state taxation in the same manner as other county taxes are levied and collected. Such tax may be upon all property in the county, or upon all property in any district the boundaries of which the governing body of such county shall describe and which it shall determine to be specially improved and benefited by any proposed use or expenditure of the proceeds of such tax.

"8. To pledge to the payment of any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness the annual proceeds from any such special tax or taxes and to obligate itself irrevocably to continue to levy and collect such taxes annually until such obligations or evidence of indebtedness are paid in full and to pledge thereto any rental or sales proceeds of property leased or sold by it.

"9. To create a public authority or corporation having such powers, managed and governed by such board or governing body subject to such limitations as the governing body of Marengo County may impose, by approving and filing a certificate to that effect in the office of the judge of probate or the Secretary of State, or their respective successors in function, and to delegate to such public authority or corporation and its board or governing body all powers and authority conferred in this amendment upon the county.

"Marengo County shall not make any engagement or commitment or undertake any project under the provisions hereof unless and until the proposition has been approved by a majority of the qualified electors of the county who vote thereon at a referendum election held for such purpose. The governing body of the county may provide for holding such election, but in no case shall an election be held notice of the election and of the proposition to be voted on has been published once a week for three successive weeks before the election.

"This amendment shall be self-executing; but the Legislature may enact general, special or local laws supplemental to this amendment or in furtherance of the purposes and objectives hereinabove set forth."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 30

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to all other taxes now or hereafter authorized, the governing body of Lee County, in the State of Alabama, is authorized to levy, in the school district of the said county that comprises all of the territory of the said county outside of the corporate limits of the cities of Auburn and Opelika, a special district tax at a rate not exceeding 50c on each $100 of the valuation of the taxable property in the said district as assessed for state taxation; provided, that no such tax shall be levied hereunder unless the rate of the said tax, the time it is to continue, and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the said district and voted for by a majority of those voting in such election; provided, further, that if a majority of the qualified electors of the said district participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment shall vote for the adoption thereof, then the approval of this amendment expressed by the said vote in favor of its adoption shall of itself authorize the levy of the said tax, without an additional election, for a period of thirty consecutive years commencing with the levy for the tax year beginning October 1, 1969. Each election on the levy of the said tax held subsequent to the ratification of this amendment shall be called, held, conducted and canvassed, and notice thereof shall be given, in the manner and within the time provided by the then existing general laws of Alabama pertaining to elections on the levy of district school taxes under the provisions of Amendment III to the Constitution, except that the holding of any such election in the said district or the collection of the said tax therein shall not be dependent upon the levy and collection of any other tax, including specifically the three-mill special county school tax provided for in the said Amendment III. If the majority of the qualified electors of the said district participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment should not vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment, or if the majority of the qualified electors of the said district voting at any election called by the governing body of Lee County under the provisions of this amendment should not vote in favor of the levy of the said tax proposed at the election so called, the governing body of Lee County may from time to time call other elections hereunder on the levy of the said tax, but not more than one such election shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months.

"Nothing contained in this amendment shall be construed to authorize the levy of an additional tax on any propery within the corporate limits of either the City of Auburn or the City of Opelika."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 31

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may by general or local law provide that a trial tax or charge on litigation of not more than two dollars ($2.00) shall be taxed as costs in any case, action, or proceeding hereafter filed, whether at law or in equity, in the Circuit Court of Russell County and in the Court of Common Pleas of Russell County, which tax shall be in addition to any court costs heretofore authorized. The proceeds of such tax or charge shall be used for establishing, equipping, maintaining and operating a public law library in Russell County, including the payment of the salaries of the personnel needed to operate such library."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 32

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to any taxes now authorized or that may be hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, the several school districts of Talladega County shall have the power to levy and collect a special district tax of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in such districts for public school purposes; provided, that the time during which such tax is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors in each such district and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election, the election to be held in the same manner as provided by Code of Alabama 1940, Title 52, Chapter 10, Article 7 for an election on the school district tax authorized in Article XIX of the Constitution of Alabama. The funds arising from such special tax levied in any district which votes the same independently of the county shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the district as the law may direct."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 33

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Any provision of the Constitution or laws of the State of Alabama to the contrary, notwithstanding, the governing body of the City of Birmingham shall have full and continuing power and authority to alienate or lease for a fair consideration and upon such terms as are acceptable to it any public park or playground or any part or portion thereof owned by said City, provided such governing body by resolution adopted by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the members thereof determine that such public park or playground or part or portion thereof to be alienated or leased is no longer needed as a public park or playground or a part or portion thereof; and provided further that the Park and Recreation Board of said City, if there be such a board at the time of such alienation or leasing, shall have prior thereto by resolution adopted by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the members of said Board determined that such public park or playground or portion thereof to be alienated or leased is no longer needed as a public park or a part or portion thereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 34

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

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"In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, the counties of Lawrence, Limestone and Morgan, in this State, each shall have the power to levy and collect a special tax up to three mills on each dollar's worth of taxable property in the county, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for general health purposes; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof, and the times such taxes are proposed to be continued, shall have first been submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of each of such counties, and voted for by the majority of those voting at such elections in all three such counties. The special tax provided herein may be renewed from time to time, in the manner provided herein, for such periods of time as are necessary. If any proposal to levy the taxes is defeated in any election, subsequent elections thereon may be held at any time. The elections provided for herein shall be called, held, conducted, and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in amendment Three, Article 19 of the Constitution of Alabama and by Article 7, Chapter 10, Title 52 of the Code of Alabama 1940; but the governing bodies of the counties of Lawrence, Limestone and Morgan shall each provide for paying the expense of the election in its county. The county tax collector of each of such counties shall collect the tax in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as the taxes of the State are collected, and he shall keep the proceeds of this tax separate and apart from all other funds, and shall keep clear accounts thereof. The tax collector shall distribute the proceeds of this special tax in the manner prescribed by the governing body of the county and the revenue derived from the tax levied hereunder shall be used for general health purposes in the county where levied or in cooperation with the other two counties named above."

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Wilsonville Fine Arts Club sponsors yule lighting contest

The Wilsonville Fine Arts Club met in the home of Mrs. Austin Mitchell the evening of Nov. 17th, Mrs. Sammy McEwen presiding.

Mrs. A. B. Carder chairman of the Christmas lighting committee reported that the lights will be put up soon after Thanksgiving. Funds are still needed for this project. Donations will be appreciated.

The Club will sponsor again this year the contest for outdoor lighting. Blanks are available at Sammy's Store and Scruggs Furniture and Carpet. Prizes will be given for the most attractive homes.

Mrs. Kiah Mitchell presented the program for the evening on "The Gift of Words". Mrs. Joel Carey won the prize in a "Famous Quotes" contest.

Visitors for the evening were Mrs. Charles Ledbetter and Mrs. J. W. Davis.

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The Wilsonville Womens Society of Christian Service met on Nov. 18th at the parsonage. Mrs. Milas Anders and Mrs. Jimmy Morris were hostesses.

Mrs. Bob Boyles and Mrs. Lloyd Carlson presented a Thanksgiving program.

Mrs. Reed Smith presided during the business session. Committees were appointed to prepare Thanksgiving baskets and select Christmas gifts for shut ins. Plans were made for the Christmas program.

After the business session a social hour was enjoyed by the members and visitors, Mrs. Charles Ledbetter and Mrs. Casey Hardison.

Wooley

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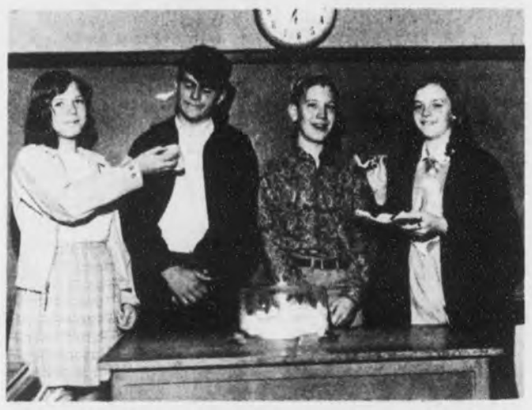
wore it to a recent Alabama night football game and ventures she was the only one in the stadium who was warm).

Miss Wooley feels that the policies followed by the U. S. Bureau of Indian Affairs are not relevant to the needs of the Indians or the Eskimos of Alaska. The VISTA program strives to strengthen members of minority cultures in their own enviroment, while the traditional approach of the Bureau of Indian Affairs is to send young people far from home for educational training.

While in Elam she lived in a wooden house provided by the government, but it had no running water and no electricity. She cooked on a one-burner stove and loved the experience so much she said she would not exchange it for anything.

She is now trying to decide whether to accept a VISTA assignment in Washington, D.C. or in Texas. She is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Wooley.



HAVE A BITE! - - Larry Palmer, president of Siluria Jr. 4-H Club and David Buckner, Vice-President, sample the winning foods in the Siluria Jr. 4-H Breads and Dairy Foods Contests. Becky Benson, (l.) 1st place Breads Contest and Susan Davis, (r.) 1st place Dairy Foods Contest, offer the boys some of their winning product.

Tournament underway

Six high school basketball teams from Shelby County and one team from Bibb County are participating in the Holiday Classic this week at Thompson High School.

Tournament action began Wednesday night. In the semi-final games tonight Calera, who received a first-round bye, plays the winner of the Bibb County - Columbiana game at 7 p.m. The winner of the Vincent - Chelsea contest plays the winner of the Montevallo - Thompson game at 8:30 p.m.

The consolation game is scheduled for 7 p.m. Friday night with the championship contest to follow at 8:30 p.m.

Calera High School students participate in Career Day

Career Day at Calera High School last Friday featured 23 speakers, all authorities in their fields of industry, education and business.

Sponsored by the senior Beta Club, the day was organized and directed by Mrs. Lamont Franklin. Purpose was to give students a brief look at different occupations in which they expressed an interest.

According to senior Rickey Ousley, the day was not only a success, but of great benefit to students. Many students expressed new ideas for careers, while others were left with a confusion of several ideas, Ousley said, and the importance of a college education was noted by all.

Those participating were Colleges: Jefferson State, John Nash; UA, Ray Holland; UM, Darold Dunlavy; Auburn, Robert Strong; So. Research, Jean Wells; Rust Engr., Paul G. White; United Electronics, Wm. Campy; So. Centr. Bell, Mrs. Bernice Jarrett; Mrs. Shirley Waldrop. U. S. Marines, M/Sgt. Egin; Navy, J.W. Reach; Air Force, Sgt. Barnett;

Eastern Airlines; Henry Gobeil; Birmingham News, Tony Faletta; Trade Schools, D. A. Hudson; Medical Technologist, Mrs. Ramona Glass; Beautician, Mrs. Brenda Cooper; Mrs. Linda Weaver; Model, Mrs. Gail Meubourn; Teacher, Dr. Lawrence Malone; Secretary, Mrs. A.C. Jeter; Medical Student, Joe Howell; Nurse, Mrs. Jenny Sims; Pharmacist, Bill Travis; WBRC TV, Joe Langston.

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$84,000 cut by OAC affects Shelby County

By Marcia M. Sears

A cut-back of $84,000 per year is underway in the three county Eleventh Area Opportunity Action Committee.

Shelby, Bibb and Chilton Counties will share the loss as the Nixon Administration changes the direction of the nation's poverty program, emphasizing more participation by the poor.

Burton K. Mullins, Eleventh Area Director, is in Atlanta this week seeking answers to several questions with regard to the new policies.

Assistant Director Belcher Hombon, told The Reporter that the cut-back has eliminated the popular home management program in which staff members visited the sick and the aged. About 36 to 38 persons will be cut from the payroll in this move.

The Neighborhood Referral Service, headed by Mrs. Elizabeth Roy of Calera is being replaced by a community organization program. The service aides who provided transportation for the poor to doctors, hospitals, therapy centers and various government agencies, have been lost completely in the re-shuffle, Hobson said.

Mrs. Roy will head the community organization. Under this program, each community will have a club with an advisory board. The clubs will be composed of the poor and will elect people from their membership to advise the executive board on problems of the poor.

The services provided by the former consumer action and financial counseling groups will be revised with emphasis now

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Pelham hires night man

The Town of Pelham has added a person to its staff in order to provide 24-hour service at the Town Hall.

Residents may now call the city number, 663-3901, at any hour of the day or night for fire, police or other emergency needs, according to Pelham Police Chief Jimmy Thompson.

The new night man is Paul McDonald. He has been on duty for about a month. Installation of radio equipment was completed last week.

"OPERATION SHIP–SHAPE" - - It's "avast there, and turn to with a will" for members of Explorer Post 559 in Montevallo as they work on their new acquisition - - a sea-worthy vessel donated to the post by John H. Roberts of Montevallo. Applying the elbow grease in a recent session are (l-r) Jeff Wilson, David McGaughy (top) and Gary Richardson. The 25-foot boat, formerly used as a shrimping vessel on the Gulf coast, is undergoing a complete face lifting including fiberglassing, engine and instrument overhaul and other refitting. When completed next spring, Explorers and their leaders plan both short and long run trips on Alabama waterways.

Shelby man gunned down, brother's bond $75,000

A family argument brought violence once again to Shelby last Saturday afternoon.

Harvey Troy Connell, 27, died of gunshot wounds after a dispute with his brother, Donald, 39.

The argument allegedly occured when Troy Connell tried to extinguish a grass fire at the home of their parents in the Spring Creek community near Lay Lake.

County Coroner Billy Thompson told The Reporter the shots were fired about 11:30 a.m. and Troy Connell died at Shelby Memorial about three hours later.

The only eye witness was Donald Connell's 14-year-old son.

Both the brothers are well known to county law enforcement officials and judges, having appeared in court on numerous charges in the past.

According to details supplied by Sheriff C.P. Walker, Donald ordered his brother to allow the fire to burn. Troy continued putting it out because he thought it threatened their parents' home. Donald's first shot missed and went through the window of the house. Then Troy ran around an out building where Donald felled him with two more shots.

Each of the brothers lives in house trailers with their families in the same community. The parents' home is located near the Carden's dance hall.

Bond for Donald Connell was set Monday at $75,000. He remains in county jail charged with murder.

Farmers, fishermen get IRS forms early

About three million 1969 Federal income tax forms for America's farmers and fishermen will be sent to them around December 1, a month earlier than usual, the Internal Revenue Service announced today. All other taxpayers will receive their packages about January 1.

A first for Internal Revenue, the early mailing is an attempt to assist the farmers and fishermen in taking advantage of options open to them in filing returns and paying their tax, IRS officials said.

Estimated tax forms, in a separate package, will reach farmers and fishermen about the same date. In previous years, the estimated tax forms were included in the income tax packages.

Farmers and fishermen have a choice of filing dates: They may elect to file and pay in full an estimated tax declaration by January 15, 1970, and file an income tax return by the April 15 deadline; or they may elect to file only an income tax return by February 16 and pay the tax due with the return. Like the other 77 million taxpayers expected to file tax returns for 1969, farmers and fishermen will be using the new income tax Form 1040.

The form is a one-page, basic form to which separate schedules can be added to cover any tax situation.

GIVE THESE HANDS SOMETHING BETTER TO DO - - Give these hands the chance to learn a useful trade. Hundreds of our youth face lives of futility and crime because they are not trained in the skills that modern life needs. Vote Tuesday for the one mill tax to build a vocational high school in Shelby County. The benefits will extend to everyone. The cost will be very very small.

(Shelby County Reporter editorial comment and drawing)

Reporter backs proposals--

Voters hold key to progress

A double barrelled opportunity to make significant progress in the Shelby County school system presents itself to county voters next Tuesday.

Shelby Countians will find two local issues on the ballot. One is a referendum asking if the county wishes to continue to elect its superintendent of education. The other proposes a one mill property tax to be used for educational purposes.

The Reporter hopes voters will change the county's present method of selecting a county superintendent of education and will give its elected Board of Education power to appoint the county's chief school official.

Most of our professional administrators, comparable in many respects to superintendents of education are already appointed instead of elected. College presidents, hospital administrators, virtually all cabinet members at the state and national levels and such officials as highway directors and health officers are usually appointed.

Under the appointment system the Board of Education, like Congress, members of state legislatures and members of other boards, will continue to be elected and will establish policy. The board will reflect the wishes of the electorate and the implementation of policy will be carried out by an expert, a professional, who by education, training and experience has demonstrated administrative and technical competence.

This is logical, reasonable and it works well.

This method keeps the policy making body directly responsible to the electorate because the board, like legislatures and Congress must be elected at frequent intervals.

This method also permits the elected board to establish qualifications for the office. It also makes it possible for the board to employ the very best person available to implement board policies.

This method also permits the superintendent to go about his business without taking time off from his professional duties to campaign for election. It also permits him to make professional decisions instead of politically expedient decisions.

The Alabama Education Study Commission, a 21-member group composed of four members of the Alabama House of Representatives, three state Senators, representatives of all levels of education and some of the state's most respected business leaders recognized the strengths and weaknesses in both systems.

Alabama's Governor has analyzed both systems.

The Commission and the Governor have recommended the appointment of superintendents of education on the state and county levels.

The Shelby County Reporter wishes to emphasize to its readers that a unique opportunity exists for Shelby County to move forward, to avail itself of a better method of operating its schools.

The working of the referendum on Tuesday's ballot is in the form of a question, asking: "Do you favor continued election of the County Superintendent of Education by the voters of Shelby County?"

The Reporter hopes voters will vote "NO". A "NO" vote will permit the county to more efficiently utilize experience and talents. It will be a vote for efficiency and economy of administration. It will allow the elected Board of Education to appoint its administrative official, the County Superintendent of Education.

The simple arithmetic involved in the proposed one

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Mary Macklyn Farris named to 'Outstanding Young Women'

MARY MACKLYN FARRIS

Mary Macklyn Farris of Alabaster has been selected for inclusion in the annual biographical compilation, "Outstanding Young Women of America."

Miss Farris was nominated by the University of Montevallo. Guidelines for selection include community service, professional excellence, business advancement and civic and professional recognition.

The program is designed to recognize the abilities of young women between the ages of 21 and 35.

Miss Farris is a qualified systems engineer in the IBM Birmingham branch office. She assists in designing data processing systems, supplies technical guidance in programming, and participates as an instructor in formal technical education of customer data processing personnel.

She has earned an IBM District Manager's Award for outstanding work.

She is a graduate of Thompson High School, where she was class valedictorian. At U.M. she earned a BS degree with Highest Honors. Among other honors, she received a gold medal from the Alabama Chapter of Chemists, the Alpha Lambda Delta award, the AAUW award, and the Elite Night Mathematics award.

Before joining IBM, she worked with Southern Natural Gas as a mathematician. An avid horsewoman, Miss Farris has participated in horse shows throughout the Southeast.

Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Farris of Alabaster.

Drillers seeking geological data

Drilling for "geological information" continues in Shelby County this week. The usual secrecy surrounds the operations and The Reporter was unable to obtain any new information from persons willing to be quoted.

However, it now appears that oil and gas are not the object of the drilling. Shallow core tests are being made with tin, nickel and other metals being mentioned as possibilities.

Companies in addition to Humble Oil have been interested in several sites in and around the county. A rumor persists that drilling will be undertaken in the Coosa River or along its shoreline.

LIFE SCOUTS - - Five Columbiana boys, (from left) Jim McCullers, Alan Hume, Jeff Hill, Sammy Bristow and Ross Walker attained the rank of Life Scouts during a board of review recently. Hill is senior patrol leader and Bristow the assistant senior patrol leader.

Sheriff charges five Leeds boys with Western Auto burglary

Within a week after the burglary at Western Auto in Columbiana, Sheriff's deputies arrested five youths and charged them with the crime.

Monday night the last of the five, Gary Wayne Jones of Leeds was brought to jail. Thought to be the leader of the group, he is absent without leave from an army post in Arizona.

The guns and ammunition stolen from the store have not been recovered. It is thought that the loot has been sold and the money divided among the group.

The other four charged with second degree burglary are William Harris, Jr., Victor H. Anders, Terry Lynn Ramey, all of Leeds, and Robert Eugene Gragge, Rt. 1, Leeds, according to information supplied The Reporter by Sheriff C.P. Walker.

Central Civitan Club for trade school tax

(Editor's Note) The following is the context of a letter sent to The Reporter by Dick Buckner, Publicity Chairman of the Central Civitan Club of Alabaster - Siluria, explaining the position of that organization on the proposed taxation for building a vocational high school in Shelby County).

At the regular meeting of Central Civitan Club of Alabaster - Siluria last week, the members passed a resolution in support of the one-mill ad valorem tax to be voted on December 9, 1969.

This tax, if passed by the voters, will assure Shelby County of getting an area vocational high school. If the voters approve the tax, several communities in the county have offered to donate a building site for the school.

A vocational high school would assure many, who now for one reason or other fail to complete their education, a chance to train for a trade or a vocation and to get some practical experience while earning their high school diploma.

The students will attend their regular high school one half day and the vocation high school one half day. There will be night classes for adults who want to learn a new vocation or acquire further knowledge and skill in their present trade or vocation.

Industries planning a move or expansion are vitally interested in the facilities for training skilled workers and the quality of education in an area where they might move or expand into. This would be a large factor in securing new industry in our county.

Industry will pay 75% of the tax with which the county will pay the local part of building this area vocational school. One mill additional property tax will cost the tax payer ten cents per one hundred dollars of assessed value or $1.00 per thousand. The majority of homeowners will pay less than a dollar increase.

We feel this school will mean many times this amount to everyone in Shelby County and we request your vote and your support of this worthy project.

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

Probate Judge Conrad M. Fowler is being called on for considerable traveling as President of the National Association of Counties. He is to address the Ohio Association of County Officials in Columbus, Ohio on December 2; attend a White House Conference on Food, Nutrition, and Health December 3 and 4; and deliver the banquet speech on the night of December 4 at Columbia, South Carolina to the Legislative Conference of the South Carolina Association of Counties. He and Mrs. Fowler will attend the winter meeting of the Virginia Association of Counties at Williamsburg, Virginia on December 8.

The regular meeting of the Shelby County Board of Revenue, scheduled for December 8, will be held December 10.

The election next Tuesday will be held at the Maylene Community Center for residents of Beat 19, Box 1, and not at the Union Hall, which was the usual place for holding elections in this box, according to Probate Judge Conrad Fowler.

The Maylene Community Center was formerly the Maylene School.

Election officials throughout the county will be the same ones who participated in the election on October 7.

Sample ballots for the December 9 election are available now in the courthouse and in all post offices throughout the county.

Voters are urged to obtain a sample ballot and study it in advance of election day to decide how they want to vote on the many important issues to be decided.

The Probate Office needs more information on the following automobile license tags: 58-7856, 58-7857 and 58-8356. If you have one of these tag numbers, please call the Probate Office, 669-2191.

Moore urges vote for trade school

We, the people of Shelby County, have been offered the opportunity of building an Area Vocational High School with 80% of the cost being borne by the Government.

The Board of Education felt that such an opportunity should not be overlooked. They felt so strongly the need for such a school in our school system that they have asked the people to tax themselves in order to finance the 20% of the cost as required.

A recent State survey revealed that 31% of the school drop-outs were due to the failure of the school program to meet the needs and interests of the students. A survey of Shelby County's school records points out that of the 849 students who started to school in the first grade in 1957-58, only 401 graduated last year. It is thought that **many of those 448 drop-outs would have completed their high school education if they could have had the benefit of a vocational high school.**

The Area Vocational Trade School will give those students who would normally drop out of school, or those who do not choose to go to college, an opportunity to learn a trade or skill, and aid them in becoming an employed and productive citizen. Adults will, also, be able to attend night school classes.

Students attending the trade school will have the professional services of a guidance counselor to help select the trade most suited to their abilities.

The long needed chance to give so many of our boys and girls an opportunity to learn a trade or skill is so important, and the tax so small, that the **Board of Education urges you to vote for the one mill tax on December 9, 1969.**

Lavon Moore, Chairman
Shelby County Board of Education

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CLASS FAVORITES AT MONTEVALLO - - Elected by their fellow students to honors as 1969-70 Class Favorites are: (l-r, front), sophomore Sid Williams, Greenville; seniors John Amari and Marti Alfano, Birmingham; (top), sophomore Sally Hicks, Luverne; freshmen, Diane Pukl, Huntsville; Denny Skellie, Homewood; and juniors Patty Mickwee and Graham Bobo, Birmingham. Favorites were presented during annual Elite Nite festivities honoring student leadership, academic achievement, personality and feminine beauty.

Alpha Pi plans Christmas project

Alpha Pi Chapter of Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc. met Monday, November 24 at the home of Soror Lelia J. White on White Street in Montevallo.

The business agenda included plans for attending the regional meeting in Montgomery on December 6 and the Christmas project at the December meeting.

Soror Onnie D. Fluker will fill-in the unexpired term of Soror Alice D. Burt as editor-in-chief. Soror Burt is on leave for the year.

Members attending were Sorors Junnie W. Craig, Kathlyn Boyd, Mary A. Kelly, Lola M. Alexander, Anna M. Nunn, Addie Lacey, Lelia White, Eddie McGinnis, Mary Smitherman, and Onnie D. Fluker. Soror Evelyn Adams of Alpha Alpha Chapter, Montgomery, was visiting at the meeting.

The December meeting will be hosted by Soror Ollie R. Carter in Harpersville, on December 15.

OBITUARY
A. T. Avara

The father of Mrs. Dan Gillis of Alabaster, Mr. A. T. Avara, died unexpectedly last Saturday in Birmingham.

A native of Mississippi, Mr. Avara had made his home in Birmingham for more than 40 years. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon. He was a member of the Episcopal Church.

In addition to Mrs. Gillis, he is survived by his widow, his mother, two other daughters, Mrs. George Harris of Homewood and Mrs. Owen Felis of Tuscaloosa; two sisters and one brother.

Auto safety draws attention

A Senate floor vote for safer automobiles was pledged by Sen. John Sparkman.

The Sparkman pledge came shortly after the Senate Commerce Committee voted to strengthen the auto safety standard law enacted in 1966.

Specifically, Sparkman said he would vote for a provision of the bill to require auto manufacturers to repair, at their own expense, any customer's car containing defects that constitute a safety hazard. The bill is expected to reach the Senate floor within the next few weeks.

OBITUARY
Oliver Camp Ambrose

Oliver Camp Ambrose, 72, passed away at a veterans hospital Nov. 15, 1969. Funeral services were conducted from Hoffman-Rockco Chapel in Montevallo Nov. 17, at three o'clock P.M.

Survivors are: widow, Mrs. Willie Mae Ambrose; two sisters: Mrs. Lillian Ambrose Griffin, Maylene, and Miss Lavada Ambrose, Birmingham; four brothers: Ralph Ambrose of Decatur, Ga.; F. L. Ambrose of Alexandria, Va.; E. A. Ambrose of Anniston; and J. R. Ambrose of Robertsdale, Ala.

Interment in Montevallo Cemetery.

Cut-back

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going to the establishment of cooperatives.

The area of housing services is in a state of flux. Housing is a big problem, Hobson said, and new policies have not yet been clearly defined for this area.

The current budget for the Eleventh Area is on a tentative four month basis.

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College students support appointment of superintendent

Dear Sir:

On December 9 the people of Alabama will vote on a series of amendments. As future teachers, our Sociology of Education class at Birmingham – Southern College is very concerned that one particular amendment not be lost in the shuffle. This amendment deals with the election of the State Board of Education and the appointment of the State Superintendent of Education. With our present system, the State Superintendent is popularly elected and the Board is an appointed body. The proposed amendment provides for the popular election of the State Board of Education and the appointment of the Superintendent by the Board.

We feel this arrangement will be much superior to our present one. The State Superintendent can be appointed by the Board on the basis of his merits for the position, rather than his political ability. Besides the advantage of allowing the Superintendent more time for educational rather than political activities, this amendment will bring the formation of educational policies closer to the people, since they will elect one Board member from each of their respective Congressional districts.

We, as students and future teachers, feel this amendment would be a step forward for Alabama education and urge you to support it on December 9.

Sincerely,
Toney McClain, Chairman
Student Legislative Committee
Students in Education at
Birmingham-Southern College

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Appreciation dinner to honor Flowers

A Walter Flowers appreciation dinner is scheduled for next Tuesday, Dec. 9, at 7:30 p.m.

The $50 per plate dinner will be held in Tuscaloosa at the Stafford Hotel. The dinner's organizers state that the affair is designed to show appreciation to Congressman Flowers for his work and accomplishments as the Fifth District's freshmen representative as well as to get a start on raising funds for the upcoming campaign.

Tickets will be available at the door or in advance from Bo Fields, P. O. Box 1742, Tuscaloosa, Ala. 35401.

Chelsea High holds pageant

Chelsea High School will hold its annual Miss CHS Pageant Saturday night at 7:30.

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S.M. "Red" Mahan of Montevallo has been appointed Lecture of the 12th district of Masons, consisting of Shelby and Bibb Counties.

He succeeds Lewis Lawley, who held the title for 20 years. The late Walter C. Weems preceeded Lawley and was Lecture for 17 years.

Mahan's appointment was announced by Hon. John Brandon, the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons of Alabama.

BAG TWO SPIKES - - (From left) Jeff Hand, Buster Suttle, Lynn Rabren and Kyle Joiner killed these two spike deer recently while hunting near Joinertown. (Photo by Wayne Rasco)

For Christmas Seals--
Fowler designates 'Mail-It-Day'

"In our area there are 52 people who have TB", according to Judge C.M. Fowler, Shelby County Christmas Seal Chairman.

"But these people are getting care, taking pills. Their TB can be cured", Fowler said. "The real problem is the people in this county who have TB and don't know it. They have no symptoms, but they can be spreading their germs.

"Once TB is diagnosed", according to Fowler, "a person with the disease becomes non-infectious - - that is, he cannot spread his germs to others - - after he has been placed on drug therapy. The pills can eventually cure the disease.

"Pills can prevent as well as cure TB", Fowler said. "A person infected with TB germs - - but who does not have active disease - - should take pills called isonaizid for one year.

"The first step to find out if you have a TB infection is to have a tuberculin skin test", he said. "Even when the test indicates no disease is present, people should ask their doctors for this test every year with their annual check-up. TB can be caught at any time by anyone."

Contributions to the 1969 Christmas Seal Campaign help combat TB, emphysema, other respiratory diseases, air pollution, and cigarette smoking.

Friday, December 5 and 12 have been designated as "Mail-It-Day" by C. M. Fowler, Shelby County Christmas Seal Chairman, in an effort to encourage all county residents to answer their Christmas Seal letter. The Christmas Seals, sole support of the Shelby County Tuberculosis Association, went into the mail on November 12.

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New Hope News

By Mrs. J. M. Denson

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wallace have returned to their home in Birmingham after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Taft Sheets here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Horace Mullins with their children spent the Holidays here where they were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Cross. They reside in Huntsville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hammonds of Wylam were among the visitors here recently when they were guests of her sister, Mrs. Carl Street and family.

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Mrs. Grady Denson of Birmingham spent Thanksgiving as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Earl Fallin and other relatives.

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Mr. B. C. Lee who underwent surgery at St. Vincent Hospital is improving at his home on Valley Dale Road.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Street of Daina, Fla. are spending several days here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Street and other relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Niel Bailey and children have returned to their home in Prattville after having been guests of his mother, Mrs. Virginia Bailey here recently

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Mr. and Mrs. Trion Eiland of Talladega were guests of Mrs. D. J. Bates and other relatives on Valley Dale Road Friday.

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Mrs. Lorene McGuire is improving at the Shelby Memorial Hospital where she has been a patient for several days.

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Mrs. H. M. Winslett spent Sunday in Siluria where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Winslett.

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Mrs. W. E. Sorrell is spending several days in Tuscaloosa where she is the house guest of her son, Bobby Sorrell and family.

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Rev. and Mrs. Talmadge Bright with their son, Glen, visited Rev. and Mrs. Tom Bright and other relatives in Cullman Thursday.

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The Bazaar sponsored by the C.P.W. was a successful affair. Many families enjoyed the delicious spaghetti dinner and purchased unique gifts. Approximately $900 was collected to go on the organ fund.

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Numbers of people were present at the Presbyterian Church Wednesday evening to attend the Thanksgiving Service. Rev. Virgil Horsely, Pastor of the Baptist Church was responsible for an inspiring message.

OBITUARY

Athon Oneal Sammons

Athon Oneal Sammons, 47, Rt. 1, Jemison died on Thanksgiving Day when the milk truck he was driving collided with a train in the Campo community south of Calera.

Funeral services were held on Nov. 30 at the Providence Baptist Church, Rev. Alvin Porter officiating.

He is survived by his widow, Betty Jean; his mother, Mrs. Eva Sammons, both of Jemison; a stepdaughter, Sandra Marie Cherry, two stepsons, David and Glenn Cherry, two sisters, two brothers and four grandchildren.

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SOCIETY NEWS and PERSONAL MENTION

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Thanksgiving think-overs

Another Thanksgiving Day has come and gone leaving many happy memories of family re-unions, friendly phone calls, pop in visits through the day - - the traditional "Bird of Cranberry" dinner with all accessories - - etc. etc. - - and everyone who has been in the office since this occasion agrees that America is the best place on earth to live. So many blessings have been showered upon this great country of ours - - and from the greatest metropolis on down to Main Street, people have - - in their own way - - expressed their gratitude.

Now that the unforgettable day has passed, memories of many thoughtful kindnesses rendered us come trooping up for review as we take our place in front of a thoroughly "integrated" black and white keyed recorder in an endeavor to bring you the news happenings in and around our town and county since last I had the privilege of visiting - through the medium of the penpoint industry - - in your hospitable homes. First - - let me remind you that if Thanksgiving Day is over - - Christmas cannot be far behind.

Visitors in our office this December morning say they are not going to wait until the last minute rush to do their Yuletide shopping - - but, judging from past years - - we will wager that they will! However, stores here on Main are replete with appropriate gifts for every member of your family; our merchants are extending a generous line of credit (if you need it) - - and a "lay-a-way" plan for your convenience - - so, as far as we can judge - - there seems little excuse to leave your home town to do your Christmas shopping. At least - - we think you should give home town merchants the courtesy of a "look-see" before treking off elsewhere. They have gone all out to please you; and they will appreciate your consideration.

The Community Chest officials - - those altruistic ones in our town who are thinking of the hundreds of children in our immediate vicinity who will not be able to share in the joys that the Christmas-tide brings - - without your generous contribution to the annual fund provided through the joint endeavor of the Methodist and Baptist churches - - have issued an urgent call for funds to apply on this project through their chairmen - - Oliver Head and Bob Hume who tell me that $750 will be needed to take care of the needy families whose names have already been turned in. These "wee ones" - - less fortunate children than your own, will not be able to share in the joys that a visit from Santa brings without your financial aid to this worthy project. Please contact one of these gentlemen for further information. As far as we are personally concerned no one thing is more tragic than witnessing the disappointed look on the face of a little one at this Glad Season of the year. It has happened here and it will happen again unless you and you and you and me - - see that it doesn't.

Let's unite on this mission of bringing happiness into the life of a little child on Christmas Eve - - and preserve this dream of Santa and his reindeers - - Life is so much sweeter while it lingers!

M.W.W.

Vincents welcome twins

Twin daughters arrived at the home of Major and Mrs. Glenn Vincent in Arlington, Va., on Nov. 18, 1969 and the little newcomers have joined the Vincent's other three children making five little fellows now waiting to welcome the Major when he comes home after completing his daily assignment at the Pentagon in Washington, D. C.

The names of the two little feminine charmers are Rebecca and Armanda; and the grandparents in Columbiana sharing the joys this double blessed event always brings are Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Vincent who have just returned home following their initial introduction to the latest additions to their family circle.

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Mr. and Mrs. Greg Gordon of Pisgah, were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gordon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Homer Walton have returned from Columbia, S. C. where they were the holiday guests of their son, Homer Walton Jr.

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Dr. and Mrs. John Martin, (June Luttrell) Susan, Skip and Virginia Martin of Jackson, Miss., were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Elliott.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Holcombe of Atlanta, Ralph Holcombe of Haleyville, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bazemore, Albert Tinney, Margaret Tinney, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Payton and daughters all of Sylacauga, were numbered among the out of town guests who came to Columbiana to personally wish for many more "happy retruns of the day" for Lapsley Holcombe who was guest of honor in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Myra Gunter, on Nov. 30, when his 83rd birthday anniversary was observed.

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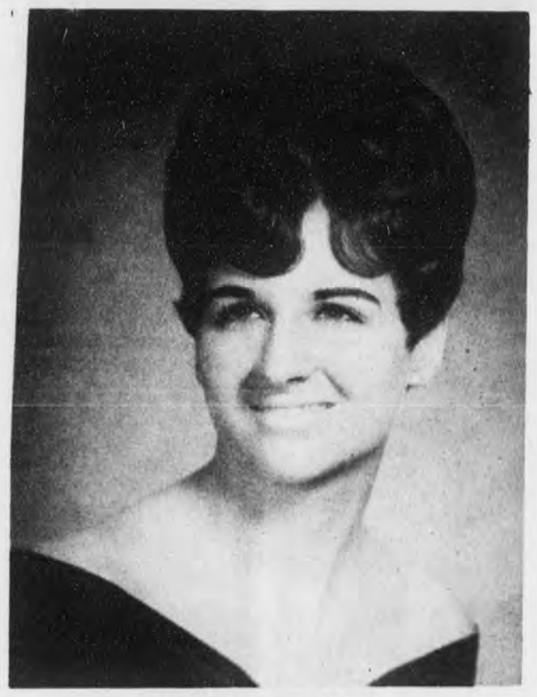
The Rev. George W. Riddle of Gadsden, was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wales W. Wallace Jr., last Wednesday. Bill is a former home town boy who is always assured of a warm welcome from his many friends and former classmates in Columbiana - - even if his visit is - - due to his busy life - - a brief one.



MISS FAITH BRANHAM
. . . to marry Thomas Dwight Lacey

Faith Branham to marry Dec. 27

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Branham of Alabaster announce the engagement of their daughter, Faith, to Thomas Dwight Lacey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lacey of Leeds.

Miss Brahnha's grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Payne, Mrs. W. L. Branham, Sr., and the late Mr. W. L. Branham, Sr.

Mrs. Laceys' grandparents are Mrs. Charlene Davis, Mr. Ethel Lacey and the late Mr. Thomas Lacey of Leeds.

The wedding will be December 27th at First Baptist Church of Alabaster.

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A surprise visit from Buster Suttle of Yale University gladdened the Thanksgiving Season for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Suttle.

Baptists hold 'M' Night

Monday night, Dec. 1, at 7:20, "M" NIght was held in the First Baptist Church of Columbiana with a large attendance from churches in Shelby County. The musical program was under the direction of Gaines Hyche, minister of music of this church; and the drama sketches were presented by Rodney Ellis, Baptist Campus Minister of University of Montevallo.

Dr. J. R. White, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Montgomery was the inspirational speaker.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank (Butch) Ellis will leave next week for a trip to New York.

Marylanders journey south for Thanksgiving holidays

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, Sharon and John Martin Jr., from Maryland, had their first personal experience in participating in the traditionally far-famed southern hospitality when they came to Columbiana to spend the holiday season with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Denny (Mary Gene Edmondson). When we had the pleasure of adding our welcome to Main Street, these attractive guests were enjoying a brunch hosted by Mrs. Jeff Edmondson in her cafe - - and that ham, hot biscuit, and red-eye gravy truly looked good. The visitors told us they "loved the South" and hoped soon for a return visit. Mr. Martin and Mr. Denny were war veterans and the re-union at Thanksgiving was a joyous event.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bailey (Janice Ticen) of Tuscaloosa, were week end guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. Bernice Ticen.

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Regret to learn that Mrs. Helen Stinson of the post office staff is a patient in Shelby Memorial.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Joiner of Joinertown hosted the largest family gathering on Thanksgiving Day that we have heard about. Forty members of this greatly beloved family enjoyed the buffet dinner served by the genial hosts.

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Pvt. "Yogi" Sheffield, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sheffield of Columbiana, is home from Camp Polk, La., to enjoy the army leave granted before he answers the call on Dec. 12 to proceed to his next assignment which is Vietnam.

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A1/c Michael Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Shaw Sr., spent Thanksgiving with his parents and will remain for a 30 day leave from his military base in Travis AFB, California.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Henry Lowe, Lafayette, Ala., Mr. and Mrs. James Robert Lowe, Mark, and Julie Lowe, of Jackson, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. Allan Suttle and Buster Suttle were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Suttle on Thanksgiving Day. They were joined during the afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Fulton, Hank Spires Sr., Hank Spires Jr., and Miss Ann Norman of Chattanooga, Tenn. A quail hunt provided entertainment for the Nimrods among the congenial crowd.

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If you are interested in enrolling in the second semester of the Howard Extension Center which is located in the Baptist Building in Columbiana, plan to enroll promptly on Jan. 13. Classes are conducted each Tuesday night with capable instructors in charge.

Miss Vines weds Danny Ray Akers

The home of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Vines in Jemison, furnished the setting for the marriage of their daughter, Cynthia Sue, and Danny Ray Akers, the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Dan Akers, (formerly of Columbiana) on the evening of Nov. 26, 1969, at 8:30 o'clock. The Rev. Louis Brasher, officiated.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a white satin A-line gown trimmed with venise lace. Her veil of illusion fell from a cluster of satin bows and she carried an orchid and stephanotis floral arrangement on a white Bible.

Mrs. Patricia Roseberry, sister of the bride, was honor attendant, and Susan Vines, a younger sister, served as candle lighter.

The best man was Jerry Roseberry, of Columbus, Ga.

Following the ceremony, a reception was hosted by the bride's parents. Out of town guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Roseberry, Columbus, Ga., Mrs. Lincoln Vines, Clanton; Mrs. George Lewis, Mrs. Daphene Gore, Allan Gore of Louisiana, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Argo, Mrs. William Oakes, Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Nivens, Mr. and Mrs. William Rasco all of Columbiana.

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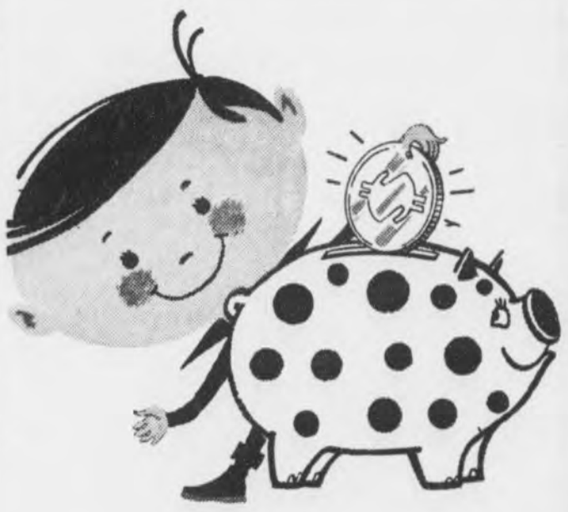

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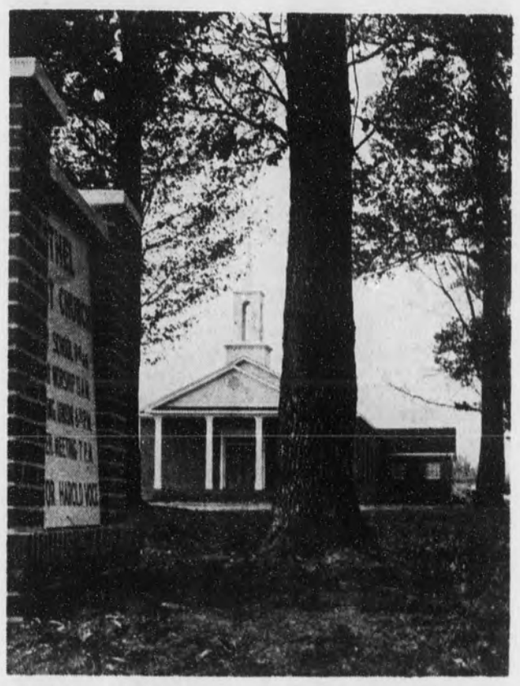

REBUILT CHURCH - - A person away from the Columbiana area for the past few years would never know that Bethel Baptist Church burned. Before the ashes were cool, the congregation made plans to rebuild their church and shown above is the product of their efforts.

AU students to graduate

Gov. Albert P. Brewer will be the commencement speaker for fall quarter exercises at Auburn University Dec. 12.

Seven students from Shelby County are scheduled to receive degrees: **Alabaster**: John Allen Montgomery, Jr., B.S. in Pharmacy; **Columbiana**: Brinton Alton Owen, Bach. of Busn, Admin.; Raymond Jerome Reinhardsen, Bach. of Ind. Engr.; Sara Eileen Carter, B.S. in Ed.; **Harpersville**: Danny Maurice Wyatt, Bach. of Elec. Engr.; **Montevallo**: Sharon Elinor Woolley, M.A.; Barbara Anne Barclary Bell, Bach. of Inst. Food Mgt.

Columbiana personals--

Baptist men plan annual retreat

Friday, Dec. 5, holds special interest for Shelby Baptist men who will meet in the third annual Men's Retreat at Hargis Christian Retreat. The program will begin at 4:30 P.M. and supper will be served at 6:00 P.M. after which the evening program will be presented.

Billy Whitten is in charge of all information regarding this annual event. Your reservations should be made in advance.

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Guests enjoying a delectable Thanksgiving Day dinner with Miss Annie Epperson included: Mr. and Mrs. Evan Tarpley, Jana and Darryl Tarpley of Atlanta; and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Gulledge of Oneonta.

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Members of the Columbiana Methodist Choirs are preparing for their annual musical presentation during the Yuletide Season and have announced that the Christmas program will be given this year on Sunday, Dec. 21 - - Bill Parrish and Sue Phillips, directing the choral presentations.

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The collegiates livened up the Main Drag during the past week end. All came home to enjoy Thanksgiving with "home folk".

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Mrs. Mary Farr left Columbiana last week for a flying trip to California where she will meet her son, Gene Farr, who has arrived in the states after a long stay in Vietnam.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ross Mullins motored to Fort Polk, La., during the long week end holiday to be with their son, Dr. Bob Mullins, Mrs. Mullins and Christy for the Thanksgiving Season.

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Pvt. Johnney Ray Penhale of Helena, has finished his basic training in Ft. Benning, Ga. and will proceed to Ft. Rucker for further training in the U. S. Army. Johnney thinks he will specialize either in Electronics or in airplane mechanics. He is 17 years old and volunteered his services to Uncle Sam. He says he "likes it fine and just may make the army his career".

It is always a refreshing experience to talk with these young, enthusiastic patriots.

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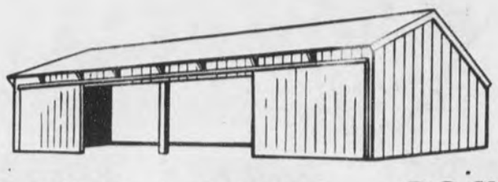

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Dec.4,11,18,25,1969 †122.

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Notice to Contractors
Federal Aid Secondary Project No. S-5915(101)
Shelby County, Alabama
Sealed bids will be received by the Alabama Highway Director at the office of the Alabama Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 10:00 o'clock A.M., December 19, 1969, and at that time publicly opened for constructing the Grading, Drainage and Bituminous Pavement on the Interchange of I-65 and a county road near the Shelby County Airport. Length - 0.687 mile.

The entire project shall be completed in one hundred (100) working days.

Proposal fee is $5.00. Plans are available for $11.70. Plans and proposals are available in Room 304 of the Highway Department. Plans and proposals will be mailed upon receipt of remittance. No refunds will be made.

Minimum wage rates for this project have been pre-determined by the Secretary of Labor and are set forth in the advertised specifications and are subject to the Work Hours Act of 1962, PL 87-581, and implementing regulations.

Certified check or bid bond for 5% of bid (Maximum - $10,000.00) made payable to the Alabama Highway Department must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith.

The proposed work shall be performed in conformity with the rules and regulations for carrying out the Federal Highway Act.

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In accordance with the rules and regulations of the Alabama Highway Department, proposals will be issued only to prequalified contractors or their authorized representatives, upon requests that are received before ten o'clock A.M., on the day previous to the day of opening of bids.

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The right to reject any or all bids is reserved. Marion H. Wilkins, Highway Director
Dec.4,11,18 †123.

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Estate of Annie Lee McDade Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 24th day of November, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
John McDade
Administrator of the Estate of Annie Lee McDade, deceased
Nov. 27, Dec. 4,11,1969. †121.

Legal Notice
Estate of Andrew Lee Wilson, Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 13 day of November, 1969 by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
Pearl C. Wilson
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Nov.20,27,Dec.4, 1969. †120.

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Dana Whetstone honored with tea

A miscellaneous tea honoring Miss Dana Whetstone, bride elect of Mike Whitfield, was given Sunday afternoon Nov. 30th, at the home of Mrs. Lynder G. Henry, in Alabaster. Mrs. D. D. Whetstone and Mrs. Tolbert Whitfield received the guests with Miss Whetstone and Mrs. Henry. Mrs. Norse Luker registered the guests who called between 2 and 4. Other hostesses were: Mrs. Leslie Green, Mrs. M. M. Moore, Jr., Mrs. Claude Kirkland, Mrs. T. W. Branham and Mrs. Obie Moore.

Thirty guests attended a lingerie shower for Miss Whetstone, Tuesday Dec. 2 at 7:30. Mrs. Harvey Williams was hostess at her home in West end.

Miss Whetstone will honor her attendants at a luncheon Dec. 13 at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Whitfield will be hosts for the after rehearsal party at their home on Dec. 19.

The wedding will be Dec. 20 at First Baptist Church of Alabaster.

HAVE YOUR SAY...
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HOST AGENT - - (From left) Frank Matherson, class vice president; and Kathy McQueen, class president; are shown with Ralph J. Miles, agent in charge of the Birmingham office of the FBI, after Miles addressed the Thompson High student body. J. B. Denham, Jr., (right) is teacher of the seventh grade class which sponsored the talk.

FBI agent speaks at Thompson High

Special to The Reporter

"There is no greater desire among young people than to want to belong to a group."

Ralph J. Miles, head of the Southern Region of the F.B.I., stressed this statement when he spoke to the Thompson High School student body and faculty on November 26.

He encouraged each student to examine carefully and to study closely a group or an organization before becoming associated with it. He suggested that each student consider the membership, the leadership, the aims, and the actions of an organization before he decides to participate.

Three groups that he warned against and urged the students to exercise extreme caution about were the Students for a Democratic Society, the Black Panther Party, and the Klu Klux Klan. In the opinion of the F.B.I. these three groups along with many others do not have the best interest of America at heart.

"We need idealism - - idealism in a form which young people can inject into their veins." He encouraged students to participate in those organizations which have genuine concern for all persons. He advised participation in groups "... that are going places, counting for something and moving forward." He closed with, "Look before you leap!"

The assembly was sponsored by Mr. Denham's seventh grade homeroom.

Art topic of Vignettes

The home of Mrs. John Newell furnished the setting for the regular monthly meeting of the Vignette Club on Nov. 25. Mrs. Robert Hume was co-hostess for the occasion.

The program was in charge of Mrs. H. S. Bristow Jr., who presented as guest speaker, London Bridges, a widely known artist and instructor in Art History at Walker Junior College in Jasper. Miss Bridges chose for her subject: "Playing Hands" and her discussion centered around Art as a phase of play with one's hands.

Following the program, Mrs. Harold Harlin, president, conducted a brief business session at which time a March of Dimes campaign for funds was set for January. Mrs. H. S. Bristow was named chairman of this drive.

Miss Becky Jennings was a guest and a cordial welcome was extended Mrs. James L. Naish as a new member.

Westover News--

Festive holidays still ringing

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

The Thanksgiving Holidays with all its festive gatherings are still ringing in many of our homes. Some of our guests have come and gone, but there are others who are remaining for a little longer visit with relatives and friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arnold (Nubbin) Moore, Scottie and Pam, of South Haven, Mississippi, are visiting in the homes of the Curtis Moore's and Mrs. Annie Goode. They are combining the Holidays and a vacation in one trip. Welcome home, you Mississippians!

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The Charlie Bailey family gathered at their home on Highway 280 West. Among these visitors were: Mrs. J. W. Stanley, Shelia, Michael and Lisa, of Russellville; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Taylor, Beth Ann, and Janet, of Inglenook; Mr. and Mrs. Warner L. Bailey, of Adger; and Mrs. Annie B. Adams.

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Mrs. Velma Shaw's home rang with much merriment to celebrate her home-going and the holiday. The children and grandchildren present were: Mr. and Mrs. Lane Shaw, and Donna Fay; Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Shaw; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Shaw, Gregg and Larry; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shaw; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Layton; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Scheinert; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Shaw, Jerry Dale and Kevin; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thrasher, and Tracey Lane, Joe Neil, and Stanley Thrasher; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kelton, and Kelley.

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Mrs. W. R. Sexton flew to Nashville, Tennessee last Friday to attend the wedding of her grandson, Alton Eugene Fox, of Franklin, Tennessee, to Miss Betty Jane Lankford.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sexton, of Lexington, Tennessee spent the holidays with their grandparents, the W. R. Sextons.

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The members of the Union Methodist Church's WSCS met in the recreation hall of the Church, on Monday night of last week. The theme for the evening was "American Indians, the Forgotten Minority."

Autumn leaves, nuts, fruits, and red candles were used to decorate the tables and hall. The napkins and placemats were printed with Indian folklore and achievements. A full menu consisting of foods similar to Indian's diets was served.

Mrs. Susie Hall and Mrs. Mary Crawford were hostesses for this impressive meeting.

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Word has been received of the death of Mr. C. W. Champion of a heart attack suffered on last Thursday afternoon at his home in Orlando, Florida.

Mr. Champion is the son of Mrs. Ever Champion of Westover, and the late Mr. Fred Champion. He is survived by his wife Mrs. Carol Champion, two sons: Charles Wesley, of Vietnam; Daryl, of Orlando; two brothers and two sisters.

Holiday guests in the home of Mrs. Elsie Archer Jones were Mrs. Mable Blackwell, Mrs. Era Burgin, Mrs. Lavaine Parker, and Mrs. Tommy Jones, of Mobile.

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Miss Lankford weds in Tennessee

The marriage of Miss Betty Jane Lankford and Alton Eugene Fox of Franklin was solemnized at 4 p.m. Saturday, at Liberty Hill Church of Christ, with Crawford Jones officiating.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Lankford. Mr. Fox is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Fox, of Franklin, and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sexton of Westover.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white satin and Alencon lace accented in seed pearls. Her tiered veil of silk illusion fell from a headpiece of petals with seed pearls. She carried a cascade bouquet of gardenias, white roses, and ivy.

Miss Mary Rodgers was maid of honor and Carla Lankford, the bride's sister, was junior bridesmaid. They wore gowns of red velvet and white satin and carried bouquets of white Fuji chrysanthemums, roses, and ivy.

Wayne Fox served his brother as best man. Lynn Fox, brother of the bridgroom, was a groomsman and ushers were Vernon Fox of Brentwood and John Fox, the father of the bridegroom.

The parents of the bride entertained at a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parman following the ceremony. Later, the bridal couple left for a wedding trip to Gatlinburg, Tennessee.

The bride is a graduate of Fairview High School and attended Belmont College. She is employed in the chemistry department at Vanderbilt University.

Mr. Fox, also a graduate of Fairview High School, attended Middle Tennessee State University in Murfreesboro before joining the U. S. Naval Reserve. He is now stationed aboard the USS Franklin Roosevelt in Mayport, Florida.

Kiwanis Club tours school

Columbiana Kiwanis Club members and their wives will visit the Area Vocation High School in Clanton Thursday night, Dec. 4. If other adults are interested in visiting this school, they are cordially invited to meet the Kiwanis group at the Administration Building in Clanton at 7:30 P. M. and accompany the group from Columbiana to view this outstanding educational asset to Chilton County's school facilities.

BIG BASS - - Rick Smith of Columbiana proudly displays a five-pound largemouth bass that he caught recently at Adams Lake on the Chelsea Highway.

PTO meets Tuesday

The second organizational meeting of the Columbiana Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) will be held at the Columbiana Elementary School Tuesday night, December 9th, at 7:30 o'clock. All parents and teachers are requested to attend. At this time the organization's constitution and bylaws will be presented and adopted.

Refreshments and visitation with parents and teachers will be held in the school auditorium following the meeting.

Montevallo News

By Bert Seaman

1st Lt. Murphy McGehee has recently returned from a 13 month tour of duty in Korea and is now visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. McGehee. He will leave Dec. 14 for George AFB Calif. where he will be stationed.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lawler Sr. with grandsons Ronnie, Randy and Raymond Yancey spent the Thanksgiving holidays fishing at Panama City, Fla.

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Mrs. Bobbie Prince and daughter Sandra have recently moved to Shreveport, La.

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Mrs. Madie Ward Barrett of Plymouth, N. H. spent the Thanksigiving holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. S. Ward.

Rev. and Mrs. H. Frank Ledford has as their guests for the week-end, their son Edwin and his family from Atlanta, Ga.

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Dr. and Mrs. James Connell and Jeff spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Connell's sister in Perry, Ga.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pete Guthrie and family spent Thanksgiving in Montgomery visiting relatives.

Singing Sunday

A singing will be held Sunday afternoon at the Old Chapel Church near Wilsonville.

Featured singers will be present. The singing starts at 1:30 p.m. Everyone is invited.

Welcome To Our

Open House

Sunday, December 7, from 2 to 5 p. m.

Refreshments will be served. Register for a free floral Christmas gift to be given to the lucky person whose name is drawn.

See our selection of Christmas arrangements, potted flowers and door swags. We're decorating especially for you!

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JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

Don't let us startle you, but three weeks from today is Christmas! We can scarcely believe it, and as always, are not ready for it. Our first shipment of Kathryn Windham's book "Thirteen Alabama Ghosts & Jeffrey" was a complete sell-out at the Falcon Book Store in Montevallo. But we sent off a rush order, and have another supply. Put this on your Christmas list for someone; it's fascinating!

Our Christmas stock is all out for your inspectión; it includes books, book plates, calendars, and other items. So come in soon. Serving you is our pleasure.

ARE COUNTRY SET GIRLS SPOILED? ABSOLUTELY!

Country Set salutes Santa's favorite colors in a merry holiday trio! Pick a red double-breasted blazer, stock tie blouse and zig-zag pleated skirt with a strictly Parisian air. Blazer $33 and skirt $18 blouse $12

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AN OPPORTUNITY FOR SHELBY COUNTY

ON TUES. DEC. 9

VOTE

° TO FREE THE OFFICE OF COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION FROM POLITICAL CAMPAIGNING

° TO INCREASE EFFICIENCY IN SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

The Alabama Education Study Commission Urges This Change

In its official report the Alabama Education Study Commission states:

" . . . . There is general agreement that the superintendent should be a professional executive, appointed by the board of education. Such an arrangement would allow closer cooperation between the superintendent and the board of education. Further, this structure would free the superintendent from weighing all decisions in terms of votes. An elected board and an appointed superintendent would allow all citizens a voice in determining the direction of their schools but it would not, at the same time, tie the hands of the superintendent in the ways in which direct election seems to do."

The State And County Superintendents Of Education Favor This Change

Alabama's Governor Recommends This Change

The Alabama Education Association Urges This Change

Because Of The Wording Of Act No. 1039, Pertaining To Shelby County

ACT NO. 1039

NO

REFERENDUM--SHELBY COUNTY
(UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF ACT NO. 1039, REGULAR SESSION, 1969)
DO YOU FAVOR CONTINUED ELECTION OF THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION BY THE VOTERS OF SHELBY COUNTY?

YOU MUST VOTE "NO"

TO MAKE THIS CHANGE

Paid Political Advertisement, Paid for by Montevallo Committee for Better Schools,
Milton L. Orr, Jr., James Seaman, Agee Kelly, J.A. Brown, Ralph Sears, T.E. Watson, Chairman

CERTIFICATE PRESENTED - - Bill Clark (left), county commander of the American Legion, and Talmadge Johnson (right), Calera post commander, present a citation recognizing the job referral priority given to qualified veterans by the State Employment Office in Calera. Bill Varden, head of the Calera office, accepts the award in behalf of personnel in the office.

Corky Bell Dance Studio opens in Columbiana Rec Hall

The eighth studio from the Corky Bell Dance School in Birmingham has opened in the Rec Building in Columbiana and Mary Jim Tucker is the instructor. Miss Tucker comes to Columbiana each Saturday morning to teach the pre-school, and first and second grade groups in the art of terpsichore. Much interest is being manifested among "small fry". Even the "manikins" who, sometimes, at the early age of six years, are reluctant to come forward - - However this shyness does not apply to handsome and personable Yance Hall, six year old son of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Hall. Yance says that he is ready to begin "right now"!

Classes are held each Saturday morning in the Rec Building from 9 to 11 o'clock and the talented instructor of the various tempos and rhythms are hopeful that students from the high school may become interested so that a class featuring this age group may be organized.

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Regret to learn that Mrs. Emmie Davidson of Helena - - a former resident of Columbiana, has sustained a broken hip, due to a fall last Friday. She is a patient in Shelby Memorial.

Now Open

See Our Stock of Pet Supplies and Small Pets.

We have all Kinds of Tropical Fish.

Alabaster Pet Shop
Main Street

County trade school good investment

Continued from Page 1

mill tax makes it necessary for the Reporter to support this proposal.

Whenever it is possible to make an investment and get quadruple your money back, it is unquestionably a good investment.

If you can get $6 for $1.50 invested, it is only logical to do so.

In the case before us next Tuesday, the federal government will furnish $600,000 to build and equip an Area Vocational School, if Shelby County will put up $150,000.

The proposed Vocational High School will be staffed by the Federal and State government at no cost to Shelby County.

From the monetary point of view, this should make the proposal very attractive to all voters.

On the subject of what the proposed Vocational High School will do for Shelby County, the Reporter believes it will prove to be one of the county's greatest assets.

The school will serve both high school age citizens as well as adults. It will tend to keep our young people in school and at the same time provide them with an opportunity to learn a skill or trade and make them more employable.

It will provide an opportunity for adults to improve their skills for purposes of advancement in their present jobs, or to learn a new skill for a new job.

The proposed Vocational School will provide personnel trained in skills and trades to staff our existing industries. It will also provide an upgraded labor supply that in turn will make Shelby County even more attractive to new and expanding industries.

These advantages to our county are great. The potential is almost unmeasurable. The cost is virtually negligible. To the great majority of Shelby County property owners the cost will be **less than $1.50 per year ... less than one-half cent per day.** An almost unnoticeable cost for an unmeasurable gain.

The Reporter hopes Shelby Countians will take advantage of these two opportunities to make Shelby County an even better place to live, work and play.

- - R. W. S.

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SHELBY COUNTY REPORTER

No. 1

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE
GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Special Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"1. General supervision of the public schools in Alabama shall be vested in a state board of education, which shall be elected in such manner as the legislature may provide.

"2. The chief state school officer shall be the state superintendent of education, who shall be appointed by the state board of education and serve at its pleasure. The Authority and duties of the superintendent of education shall be determined by the state board of education according to such regulations as the legislature may prescribe. The superintendent of education shall receive an annual salary which shall be fixed by the Legislature of Alabama and shall be paid from the state treasury in installments as the salaries of other state officers are paid.

"3. The Legislature shall enact appropriate laws to implement or enforce this article of amendment.

"4. The provisions of Articles 5 and 14 of the Constitution of Alabama as amended in conflict with this article are expressly repealed. However, this amendment shall not be so construed as to affect the election or term of the state superintendent of education chosen before it becomes valid as a part of the Constitution."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 2

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may enact appropriate legislation authorizing and providing for the following persons to register to vote by mail, if they prossess the qualifications of an elector and are not disqualified from voting under the Constitution and laws of Alabama, namely, members of the armed forces of the United States, persons employed outside the United States, and the spouses and children of such persons, provided, however, that such persons shall be entitled to register only in the counties where they were residents prior to entering the status which makes them eligible for such registration."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 3

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The State of Alabama is authorized to become indebted for the purpose of financing the work required of the Alabama State Docks as the local sponsoring agency for the improvement in Mobile Harbor, Alabama, known as the Theodore Ship Channel project or for additional improvements for the Alabama State Docks and in evidence of the indebtedness so incurred to issue and sell, in addition to all other bonds of the State, interest bearing general obligation bonds of the State not exceeding four million dollars ($4,000,000) in principal amount. The full faith and credit and taxing power of the State are hereby pledged to the prompt and faithful payment of the principal of the bonds and the interest thereon.

"The Alabama State Docks Department (which term as used herein shall be construed to include any other agency of the State they may succeed to said Department's functions) shall, subject to the provisions of the bond order relating to the sale of the $10,000,000 principal amount of general obligation seaport facilities bonds of the State of Alabama dated March 1, 1964, pledge and use so much of the revenues derived from its seaport facilities as may be necessary to pay at their maturities the principal of and interest on said bonds, and may pledge, agree to use, and use so much of said revenues as the said Department with the approval of the Governor may determine shall be necessary or desirable to build up and maintain reserves for the payment of said principal and interest for the maintenance, replacement and improvement of its seaport facilities. The proceeds from the sale of any such bonds shall, after payment of the reasonable and necessary expense of their issurance, be set aside in a special fund in the State Treasury and shall be paid out to the Alabama State Docks Department upon authorization by the Governor and shall be held by the said Department in a special trust fund and therefrom disbursed to pay the reasonable and necessary costs required of the Alabama State Docks as the local sponsoring agency for the improvement in Mobile Harbor, Alabama, known as the Theordore Ship Channel project or to pay the reasonable and necessary costs of constructing, dredging of approaches thereto and equipment of works of internal improvement for use and operation as a part of additional State Docks facilities; provided that, if said Department shall have issued any notes in anticipation of the sale of bonds for any of said purposes, then so much as may be necessary, not exceeding $2,000,000, shall be used to retire or fund said notes.

"The Alabama State Docks Department is hereby vested with full authority, subject to the provisions of the bond order relating to the sale of $10,000,000 principal amount of general obligation seaport facilities bonds of the State of Alabama dated March 1, 1964, and except as limited herein, to prescribe the terms of the bonds and to provide for the issuance and sale thereof. The bonds may be sold, executed and delivered at any time and from time to time, may be in such forms, denominations, series and number, may be of such tenor and maturities, may bear such date or dates, may be in registered or bearer form either as to principal or interest or both, with rights of conversion into another form, may be payable in such installments and at such place or places, may bear interest at such rate or rates, payable and evidenced in such manner, and may contain provisions for redemption at the option of the State to be exercised by the State Docks Department at such date or dates prior to their maturity and upon payment of such redemption price or prices, all as shall be provided by the said Department in the order or orders under which the bonds are issued. The principal of each series of bonds shall mature in annual installments in such amount as shall be specified in the authorizing order or orders, the first of which installments shall mature not later than one year after the date of the bonds of such series and the last of which installments shall mature not later than twenty years after the date of the bonds of the same series. The largest installment of principal and interest maturing on each series of the bonds in any one year shall not exceed twice the preceding smallest installment of principal and interest maturing thereon in any prior year. None of the bonds shall be sold for less than face value plus accrued interest thereon to the date of delivery. The bonds shall be sold only at public sale or sales, either on sealed bids or at auction, after such advertisement as may be prescribed by the said Department to the bidder whose bid reflects the lowest net interest cost to the State computed to the respective maturities of the bonds sold; provided that if no bid deemed acceptable by the said Department is received all bids may be rejected.

"The bonds shall be signed in the name of the State by the Governor and countersigned by the State Docks Director, and the Great Seal of the State of Alabama or a facsimile thereof shall be impressed, printed or otherwise reproduced thereon and shall be attested by the signature of the Secretary of State; provided, that facsimile signatures of any one or any two (but not all) of said officers may be reproduced on any of such bonds in lieu of being manually signed thereon. Coupons attached to the bonds and representing installments of interest thereon shall be signed with the facsimile signature of the State Treasurer, which facsimile signature shall constitute due and sufficient authentication of said coupons.

"All bonds issued under the provisions of this amendment, together with the interest income thereon, shall forever be exempt from taxation in this State.

"The authorization to incur debt and issue bonds contained in this amendment shall supersede and take the place of any authorization for Alabama State Docks Department to issue revenue bonds granted by act of the Legislature in effect on the effective date of this amendment.

"The provisions of this amendment shall be self-executing and authorization from or other action by the Legislature shall not be a prerequisite to the issuance of bonds hereunder."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 4

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Any provision of the Constitution of Alabama or amendments thereto to the contrary notwithstanding, the legislature may be appropriate laws authorize the state to engage in works of internal improvement by fulfilling the requirements of local contribution, participation and cooperation now or hereafter established by the United States in connection with the construction and maintenance of a navigable waterway (herein called "the waterway") between Montgomery and Gadsden and to the Alabama-Georgia boundary.

"The legislature may by appropriate laws authorize the state to become indebted, and in evidence of such indebtedness, to sell and issue its interest-bearing bonds, in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $10,000,000, for the purpose of enabling the state to discharge obligations at any time authorized by the legislature to be undertaken in connection with the waterway project; provided that the expenses incurred in connection with the sale and issuance of the bonds may also be paid from the proceeds thereof. Bonds evidencing the herein provided for indebtedness may be issued as direct general obligations of the state, and the state may pledge its full faith and credit to the prompt payment of the principal of the bonds and the interest thereon. The herein provided for indebtedness shall not be construed to prohibit or limit appropriations from the general fund of the state which from time to time may be made for the purpose of enabling the state to discharge obligations at any time authorized by the legislature, to be undertaken in connection with the waterway project.

"The legislature may by appropriate laws establish a public corporation and may confer upon it, in addition to all other necessary powers, full power to undertake the obligations that the state is permitted under the foregoing provisions of this amendment to undertake in connection with the waterway project. The legislature may from time to time appropriate money from the general fund of the state to be expended by such public corporation and may also authorize the herein provided for general obligation bonds of the state to be sold from time to time under the supervision of such public corporation; provided, that all moneys received by such public corporation from the state, whether as appropriations from the state's general fund or as proceeds of the sale of the state's bonds, shall be expended, except for reasonable administrative expenses, in discharging obligations that the state is permitted under the foregoing provisions of this amendment to undertake in connection with the waterway project, and shall have directed such public corporation to undertake in its stead.

"Nothing herein shall authorize the legislature to establish any such public corporation to acquire by purchase, license, lease, condemnation or otherwise a hydroelectric project (or any part thereof) heretofore or hereafter licensed by the Federal Power Commission under the Federal Power Act of June 10, 1920, Public Law No. 280, 66th Congress, 2nd Session, and amendments thereto, or any such project (or any part thereof) otherwise authorized by act of Congress."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 5

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"When authorized by appropriate laws passed by the Legislature, the State of Alabama may, in promoting and aiding the commercial flow of agricultural products within the State or in aid of commerce and use of the waterways of the State, at a cost not exceeding $10,000,000, engage in works of internal improvement by promoting, developing, constructing, maintaining and operating within the State or along navigable streams and waterways now or hereafter existing within the State all manner of elevators, facilities, warehouses, docks, water and rail terminals and other structures and facilities and improvements needful for the convenient use of the same; provided that any such works or improvements shall always be and remain under the management and control of the State through the Alabama State Docks Department or other State governing agency and shall become part of the inland waterways facilities of the State. When authorized by appropriate laws passed by the Legislature, the State may, in addition to all other bonds of the State, become indebted in an aggregate principal amount of not exceeding $10,000,000 for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this amendment and may cause to be issued its general direct obligation bonds for the repayment of such indebtedness and interest thereon and pledge the faith and credit of the State thereto."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 6

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Amendment CCLXIX proposed by Act No. 274, H.297, Regular Session 1967 is amended so that said Amendment CCLXIX shall read as follows:

"Amendment CCLXIX. A. In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution of Alabama, any county or any incorporated municipality within the state which supports, jointly supports, or proposes to support a public library is hereby authorized to levy and collect a special tax of not less than five cents nor more than fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property within such County or municipality as assessed for state taxation. The proceeds of all such taxes shall be used exclusively for public library purposes; provided, that the rate of such tax and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the county or municipality and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election.

"B. Upon petition signed by two hundred or more qualified electors of any county to the court of county commissioners or like governing body, or upon a petition signed by two hundred or more qualified electors of any municipality to the governing body of such municipality, said court of county commissioners or governing body of said municipality shall order an election to be held at the time and for the rate specified in said petition to determine whether a special tax shall be levied for public library purposes within said county or said municipality; or, upon the request of any library board created pursuant to Article 4, Chapter 7, Title 55, Code of Alabama 1940, as amended, to the court of county commissioners or like governing body, or the governing body of any municipality, said court of county commissioners or governing body of said municipality, shall order an election to be held at the time and for the rate requested by the said public library board to determine whether or not a special tax shall be levied within any county or within any political subdivision of the county in which said board has control over public library services or joint services.

"C. Elections under this amendment for county public library purposes shall be held at the same time any other general or special election is held in which the voters of the entire county are qualified to vote, and elections under this amendment for municipal library purposes shall be held at the same time any other municipal election is held.

"D. If authorized by the vote of the majority of the qualified electors voting in any such election called for the purpose, the county or city governing body, as the case may be, shall levy and collect in addition to all other taxes authorized by law, a special annual ad valorem tax at the rate prescribed and approved by the electors voting in the election. If the majority vote at any election held hereunder is not in favor of the levy of the tax, or if at any such election the special tax shall be voted at a rate of less than fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property, then the governing body of the county or city, as the case may be, may from time to time thereafter call other elections hereunder on the levy of the special tax or on the increase of the rate thereof, up to but not exceeding a total amount of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars of taxable property, and must call any such election at the next general or special county-wide election or next municipal election, as the case may be, next following the receipt of the petition or request of the library board. Provided, however, that not more than one election upon the levy or upon the increase of the rate of the special tax shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months. After the special tax shall have been levied for a period of three years, the governing body of the county or city, as the case may be, may from time to time thereafter call other elections hereunder on the question of the discontinuance of the tax or a reduction on the rate thereof, upon the payment in full of all obligations then outstanding, if any, and when a reduced rate will provide sufficient revenue for the purposes for which the tax was levied. If the majority of electors participating in the election vote in favor of the discontinuance or reduction in the rate of the tax, as the case may be, such discontinuance or reduction shall become effective for the tax year next succeeding the tax year in which such election is held. Provided, that not more than one election for the discontinuance or reduction in the rate of the special tax shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months. All such elections shall be called, held and conducted in the same manner as are elections proposing the special tax."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 7

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature shall have power to divest the State of Alabama of title to that certain sixteenth section of school land described as follows: Section 16, Township 4 South, Range 2 West, St. Stephens Meridian, in Mobile County, and may provide for the grant of such lands and the income therefrom to the board of trustees of the University of South Alabama."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 8

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the constitution and laws of Alabama, the governing body of any county in which there is a state junior college shall have the power to levy and collect a special school tax not to exceed five mills on each dollar of taxable property in the county, for the support and maintenance of the state junior colleges in such county, upon the request of the state board of education, provided the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall first have been submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the county and approved by a majority of those voting at such election. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held and conducted in accordance with general laws providing for county school tax elections. The proceeds derived from any such tax shall be used and expended for the amortization of bonds issued for capitol outlay purposes and for the general operating expenses of the junior college."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 9

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regula. Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the constitution and laws of Alabama, the governing body of any county in which there is a state junior college shall have the power to levy and collect a special school tax not to exceed five mills on each dollar of taxable property in the county, for the support and maintenance of the state junior colleges in such county, upon the request of the state board of education, provided the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall first have been submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the county and approved by a majority of those voting at such election. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held and conducted in accordance with general laws providing for county school tax elections. The proceeds derived from any such tax shall be used and expended for the amortization of bonds issued for capitol outlay purposes and for the general operating expenses of the junior college."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor

ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 10

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Special Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of

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Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may from time to time, by general or local laws, fix, alter, and regulate the costs and charges of courts in Barbour County, and regulate the fees, commissions, percentages, allowances, and compensation to be charged or received by the probate Judge and the sheriff of Barbour County, and may place the sheriff on a salary basis and provide for the fees charged or collected by him to be paid into the county treasury from which his salary shall be paid."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 11

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to any taxes now authorized or that may be hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, each school district in Calhoun County, except the school district comprising the City of Anniston, shall have the power to levy and collect for public school purposes in such district an annual special ad valorem tax on the taxable properties in such district at a rate not exceeding in any one year five mills on each dollar of the value of the said properties as the same shall be assessed for state taxation; provided that prior to the levy of any special tax authorized in this paragraph, there shall be submitted to the electors of the district in which the tax is proposed to be levied, at a special election called for that purpose in the said district, the question of whether the said tax or any part thereof shall be levied, the rate thereof, the time it is to continue (which shall not exceed thirty years), and the purpose thereof, and the said tax shall be authorized at such election by a majority of the qualified electors of the district voting at such election; provided further, that if a majority of the qualified electors of any of the said districts participating in the election on the ratification of this amendment shall vote for the ratification of this amendment, then the approval of this amendment as expressed by the vote in said district in favor of its ratification shall, of itself, authorize the levy and collection of the said special tax for public school purposes in that district for a period of thirty years commencing with the levy for the tax year for which taxes will become due and payable to the said district on the October 1 next following the date of the said election on the ratification of this amendment.

"Elections on the question of the levy of a district tax under the provisions of this amendment may be held at any time and from time to time, provided, that if at any such election held after the ratification of this amendment the proposal to levy the tax so submitted should be defeated then the proposal may not be submitted at another election held in the same district within one year from the last election held under this amendment. Each such election held after the ratification of this amendment shall be called and held, the results declared, and the tax levied and collected in the same manner as now or hereafter provided by law in the case of school district taxes authorized by Amendment III to the Constitution of Alabama, except that no county-wide tax shall be required as a condition precedent for a district tax under this amendment.

"The funds arising from the district tax herein authorized to be levied in each school district shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the school district in which such district tax is levied. Nothing in this amendment shall be deemed to prevent the consolidation of any two or more school districts in Calhoun County in accordance with the applicable provisions of general law."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 12

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Governing body of Covington County shall have power to levy and collect annually a special school district tax not exceeding fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in school districts number 1 and 2, Covington County, as assessed for state taxation, for public school purposes, provided the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the districts and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election. Such tax shall be in addition to all other taxes provided for by law. The funds arising from such special district tax levied and collected by the county shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the public schools in said districts. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held, and conducted in relation to the levying of special school district taxes under the third amendment to the Constitution.

If a majority of the qualified electors of school districts number 1 and 2, Covington County, who participate in the election on the adoption, then the approval of the amendment as expressed by such vote shall of itself authorize the levying of the special tax provided for herein at the maximum rate specified for a period of not exceeding twenty years."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 13

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The governing body of Colbert County shall have power to levy and collect annually a special school district tax not exceeding one dollar on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in school districts number one and number two in Colbert County, as assessed for state taxation, for public school purposes, provided the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the districts and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election. Such tax shall be in addition to all other taxes provided for by law. The funds arising from such special district tax levied and collected by the county shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the districts. Elections under this amendment shall be called, held, and conducted in the same way that elections are called, held, and conducted in relation to the levying of special school district taxes under the third amendment to the Constitution."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 14

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Each school district of Lawrence County shall, subject to authorization at an election in such district as hereinafter provided, have power to levy and collect a special district tax, at a rate not exceeding five mills on each dollar (being equivalent to 50 cents on each $100) of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in such district for public school purposes therein, which special tax shall be in addition to all taxes now authorized or that may hereafter be authorized by the Constitution of Alabama to be levied in such district; provided, that no tax shall levied under this amendment unless the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue, and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the district in which the tax is proposed to be levied and shall have been authorized by a majority of the qualified electors voting at the election at which the submission is made. Each election held under this amendment shall be called and held, the ballots canvassed, the results declared, and the tax levied and collected in the same manner as is now or may hereafter be provided by law in the case of school district taxes authorized by Amendment III to the Constitution of Alabama, except that no countywide tax shall be required to be levied as a condition precedent to either the authorization of levy of a district tax under this amendment. The holding of one election shall not preclude a later election in the same district under the authority of this amendment. The proceeds of any special district tax authorized by this amendment shall be expended solely for public school purposes in the district in which the tax shall be levied.

"The County Bord of Education of Lawrence County may from time to time, without the necessity of any election, change the boundaries of any school district at any time existing in the county, or consolidate any two or more school districts therein, if the taxes authorized to be levied for public school purposes in all of the territory in such district after such change of boundaries or consolidation is effected shall be at the same aggregate rate and for the same duration of time; provided, that nothing contained herein shall be construed to impair or permit the impairment of the obligation of any contract created with respect to any securities theretofore issued with respect to any such school district. The provisions of the preceding sentence shall not be deemed to abridge any existing power conferred on the said County Board of Education by any existing law, but shall be in addition thereto."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 15

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The court of county commissioners, board of revenue or like governing body of Dale County shall have the power to levy and collect a special property tax in addition to all other taxes, now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, of not exceeding one-half of one per cent on the value of the taxable property in the county situated outside the corporate limits of Ozark, as such property was assessed for state taxation during the preceding year, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for educational purposes, but may be pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness issued for public school purposes, which pledges shall take priority as provided in such bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof and the time such tax is proposed to be continued, shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the county residing outside the corporate limits of Ozark, and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Elections on proposals to levy this tax on the property in the county situated outside the corporate limits of Ozark shall be called and held in the same manner as now provided by law for an election on the school district tax authorized in Amendment III, Article XIX, of the Constitution of Alabama. The tax on property situated outside the corporate limits of Ozark shall be collected in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as the taxes of the State are collected, and the revenues derived from such tax shall be used solely for school construction and other educational purposes in the territory of the county outside the corporate limits of Ozark.

"The City of Ozark shall likewise have the power to levy and collect a special property tax, in addition to all other taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, of not exceeding one-half of one per cent on the value of the taxable property situated within the corporate limits of the city, as assessed for state taxation during the preceding year, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for educational purposes, but may be pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness issued for public school purposes, which pledges shall take priority as provided in such bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof and the time such tax is proposed to be continued, shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the city and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Elections on proposals to levy this tax on property situated within the corporate limits of Ozark shall be ordered, and held in the same manner as provided by the law applicable to municipal corporations for elections to authorize the issuance of municipal bonds. The additional tax authorized by this amendment to be levied on property situated within the corporate limits of Ozark shall be collected in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as other taxes levied on property by the City of Ozark are collected, and the revenues derived from this tax shall be used solely for school construction and other educational purposes within the limits of the City of Ozark.

"If any proposal to levy a tax hereunder is defeated in any election, subsequent elections thereon may be held at any time.

"This amendment shall be self-executing."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. J6

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The court of county commissioners, board of revenue or like governing body of Etowah County shall have the power to levy and collect a special property tax, in addition to all other taxes, now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, of not exceeding one-half of one per cent on the value of the taxable property in the county situated outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla, as such property was assessed for state taxation during the preceding year, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for educational purposes, but may be pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness issued for public school purposes which pledges shall take priority as provided in such bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof and the time such tax is proposed to be continued, shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the county residing outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla, and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Elections on proposals to levy this tax on the property in the county situated outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla shall be called and held in the same manner as now provided by law for an election on the school district tax authorized in Amendment III, Article XIX, of the Constitution of Alabama. The tax on property situated outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla shall be collected in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as the taxes of the State are collected, and the revenues derived from such tax shall be used solely for schools and other educational purposes in the territory of the county outside the corporate limits of Gadsden and Attalla.

"If any proposal to levy a tax hereunder is defeated in any election, subsequent elections thereon may be held at any time.

"Nothing contained in this amendment shall be construed to authorize the levy and collection of an additional tax on property situated within the corporate limits of the Cities of Gadsden or Attalla.

"This amendment shall be self-executing."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO 17

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may from time to time, by general or local laws applicable to or operative in Tallapoosa County, fix, regulate, and alter the fees, commission, allowances, and salaries, includng the method and basis of their compensation, to be charged or received by the judge of probate, sheriff, tax assessor, tax collector, and clerk and register of the circuit Court of Tallapoosa County; and may place any or all of such officers on a salary and provide for the fees, commissions, allowances, and percentages collectible by such officers to be paid into the treasury from which their salaries are paid. Provided, that no law changing the method or basis for compensating such officers shall become effective unless it is approved by a majority of the qualified electors of the county who vote thereon at a referendum election held for such purpose."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 18

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"It is hereby proposed that Amendment CLXXV to the Constitution of Alabama, as submitted December 5, 1961 and proclaimed ratified December 18, 1961, and amended by Amendment CCLX submitted November 8, 1966 and proclaimed ratified November 17, 1966, be further amended by striking out the last sentence in said Amendments CLXXV as amended and inserting in lieu thereof the following sentence:

"The proceeds of any special district tax authorized by this amendment shall be expended for the support of education only in the special district or separate district in which the tax is levied."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 19

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

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NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section 1. .In addition to any taxes now authorized, or that may be hereafter authorized, by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, there is hereby levied a special school tax of one dollar on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in the School Tax District of the City of Oneonta, Blount county, to be used soley for public school purposes; provided the levy of said tax shall first have been approved by the qualified electors of the School District as hereinafter provided.

"Section 2. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Oneonta who vote thereon vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment when it is submitted, the additional tax provided for in Section 1 shall be levied and collected without any other election having been held thereon. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City Oneonta who vote thereon vote against its approval, the tax shall not be levied unless the rate of the tax, the time is is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been again submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Oneonta and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Subsequent elections may be held at intervals of not less than one year and shall be called, held, conducted, paid for, and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in Constitutional Amendment III; provided, however, that it shall not be a condition precedent to any election on the school district tax herein provided for or to the levy and collection of such tax that a like or any other county-wide school tax be being levied and collected in Blount County.

"Section 3. In the event the special school tax herein authorized shall be approved as herein provided and the Board of Education of the City of Oneonta anticipates the proceeds therefrom by issuing securities payable, in whole or in part, out of such proceeds, the provisions of Sections 220, 221 and 224 of Title 52 of the Code of Alabama of 1940 shall not apply to any such securities."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 20

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may from time to time, by general or local law, provide for the transfer of the duties, or a part of the duties, of one county officer of Talladega County to another officer of such county; or consolidate any two or more offices of such county into one county office and provide for the abolition of the office or offices left without duties, or create a completely new office in such county and transfer to such office a part of the duties of each of several other offices without abolishing any office in such county; provided that the officer or officers to fill the offices involved will be compensated for the performance of the duties of their offices by a salary fixed according to law."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 21

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

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NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section A. As used in this amendment the following terms shall be given the following respective meanings:

"County" means Mobile County.

"Special tax" means the annual ad valorem tax at the rate of ½ of 1 per centum (equivalent to 5 mills on each dollar) of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county authorized to be levied by the county by the amendment known as Amendment XVIII to the Constituion of Alabama, as amended by the amendment to the Constitution known as Amendment CLII, and also provided for in the amendments to the constitution known as Amendments C, CXXII, CLI, CXCIII and CXCV.

"Section B. Mobile County is hereby authorized to issue from time to time its bonds, not exceeding $3,000,000 in aggregate principal amount, of which $1,000,000 in principal amount shall be issued for the purpose of acquiring, providing, constructing and equipping a building for use as a Juvenile Detention Home for the county in conjunction with the Juvenile Court of the county, and $2,000,000 in principal amount shall be issued for the purpose of acquiring, providing, constructing and equipping additions and improvements to the county courthouse building in the county; provided, that if all of the proceeds from the bonds issued for either of the said purposes shall not be needed for the purpose for which they were issued then the balance not so needed may in the sound judgment of the governing body of the county be expended for the said other purpose. The aggregate principal amount of all bonds at any time issued under this amendment, when added to the aggregate principal amount of all bonds at any time issued under this amendment, when added to the aggregate principal amount of all then outstanding bonds theretofore issued by the county under any other amendment to the Constitution of Alabama that are payable from or secured by the special tax shall not exceed 6½ per centum of the assessed valuation of the taxable property situated in the county as assessed for state taxation for the state tax year next preceding that during which any bonds herein authorized shall be issued.

"No bonds may be issued under the authority of this amendment until after the question of the issuance of such bonds shall have been submitted to the qualified electors of the county at an election called for that purpose by the governing body of the county and a majority of the said qualified electors voting at the said election shall have voted in favor of the issuance of such bonds; provided, that if a majority of the qualified electors of the county participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment shall vote for the adoption thereof, then the approval of this amendment expressed by the said vote in favor of its adoption shall of itself authorize the issuance of the bonds provided for in this amendment and no additional election by the electors of the county shall be required to authorize the issuance of the said bonds. If the majority of the qualified electors of the county participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment should not vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment, or if the majority of the qualified electors of the county voting at any election called by the governing body of the county under the provisions of this amendment should not vote in favor of the issuance of the bonds proposed at an election so called, the governing body of the county may from time to time call other elections hereunder on the issuance of such bonds, but not more than one such election shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months. Any such election called by the governing body of the county shall be called, held, conducted and canvassed, and may be contested, in the manner and within the time provided by the then existing general laws of Alabama pertaining to elections on the issuance of bonds by counties.

"The bonds issued hereunder shall be general obligations of the county for the payment of the principal of and interest on which the full faith and credit of the county shall be irrevocably pledged, and in addition thereto there shall be irrevocably pledged for payment of the said principal and interest so much of the special tax as may be necessary to pay the said principal and interest at their respective maturities, each such pledge to be on a parity with all valid pledges of the special tax at any time heretofore or hereafter made, to such extent as shall not impair the obligation of any then existing valid prior pledges.

"The principal of each series of bonds issued under the amendment shall mature in annual installments, the first of which installments shall mature not later than three (3) years after the date of the bonds of that series and the last of which shall mature not later than thirty (30) years after the date of the bonds of that series; provided, that the maturities of each series of bonds issued under this amendment shall be arranged so that (a) no annual installment of principal of the bonds of such series maturing during any fiscal year of the county shall be more than four times as great as the smallest installment of principal of the same series maturing during any prior fiscal year, and (b) the aggregate amount of principal and interest that will mature in any one fiscal year with respect to that series of bonds, and also all other bonds therefore issued by the county and then outstanding that are payable out of or secured by a pledge of the special tax, shall not exceed the amount of the proceeds collected from the special tax during the then next preceding tax year. Except as herein otherwise provided, all bonds issued under this amendment shall be issued in accordance with, and shall be subject to, the provisions of the general laws of Alabama existing at the time of the issuance of such bonds respecting the sale, execution, issuance and redemption of bonds by counties. The indebtedness evidenced by the bonds issued under this amendment or under any other amendment to the constitution which are payable out of or are secured by a pledge of the special tax shall be in addition to and shall not be charged against the limitation on the indebtedness of the county provided for in Section 224 of the constitution.

"So long as the principal of or interest on any of the bonds issued under this amendment remains unpaid, the governing body of Mobile County shall continue the levy of the special tax at such rate as may be sufficient to pay the said principal and interest at their respective maturities; provided, that the total rate of the specialtax that may be levied and collected for payment of the said bonds and all other bonds payable out of or secured by a pledge of the special tax shall not exceed 4-½ mills on each dollar of the assessed valuation of all properties subject to taxation by the county as assessed for state taxation and that the said rate of 4-½ mills on each dollar of the said assessed valuation shall be reduced for each tax year for which the special hospital tax authorized in Paragraph G of the amendment to the constitution known as Amendment No. CXCV shall have been levied at a rate exceeding 1 mill on each dollar of the taxable property in the county, any such reduction to be by ½ mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county or by rate of millage equal to the rate by which the said special hospital tax levied for that tax year exceeds one mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of such taxable property, whichever shall be the lesser reduction. The provisions of this paragraph shall be applicable, however, only to such extent as shall not impair the obligation of any pledges of the special tax heretofore made for the benefit of any bonds issued by the county prior to the adoption of this amendment.

"The provisions of this amendment shall be self-executing, and authorization from or other action by the Legislature shall not be a prerequisite to the issuance of bonds hereunder or the levy of the special tax for payment thereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 22

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"A. As used in this amendment the following terms shall be given the following respective meanings:

"County" means Mobile County.

"Special tax" means the annual ad valorem tax at the rate of ½ of 1 per centum (equivalent to 5 mills on each dollar, of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county authorized to be levied by the county by the amendment known as Amendment XVIII to the Constitution of Alabama, as amended by the amendment to the constitution known as Amendment CLII, and also provided for in the amendments to the constitution known as Amendments C, CXII, CLI, CXCIII and CXCV.

"B. Commencing with the levy for the tax year beginning October 1, 1969 (for which tax year the special tax will become payable on October 1, 1970) the special tax shall be levied annually by the governing body of the county on the assessed valuation of all property subject to taxation by the county, as assessed for state taxation for the next preceding year, at the following rates for the following respective purposes:

"(a) ½ mill on each dollar (equivalent to 1-20 of 1 percent) of the said assessed valuation shall be levied for the general purposes of the county to be paid into and disbursed by the governing body of the county out of the general fund of the county; and

"(b) 4-½ mills on each dollar (equivalent to 9-20 of 1 percent) of

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said assessed valuation shall be levied for payment of the principal of and interest on all bonds of the county heretofore and hereafter issued that are payable out of or secured by a pledge of the special tax; provided, that the said rate of 4-1/2 mills on each $1.00 of the said assessed valuation shall be reduced for each tax year for which the special hospital tax authorized in Paragraph G of the amendment to the constitution known as Amendment No. CXCV shall have been levied at a rate exceeding 1 mill on each dollar of the taxable property in the county, any such reduction to be by 1/2 mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county or by rate of millage equal to the rate by which the said special hospital tax levied for that tax year exceeds one mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of such taxable property, whichever shall be the lesser reduction."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 23

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

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NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Any provision of the Constitution of laws of the State of Alabama to the contrary notwithstanding, any muncipality in Pickens County, or any one or more of them, shall have full and continuing power and authority, after an election held in accordance herewith, to do any one or more of the following:

"1. To purchase, construct, lease, or otherwise acquire real property, plants, buildings, factories, works, facilities, machinery and equipment of any kind.

"2. To lease, sell for cash or on credit, exchange, give and convey any such property described in subdivision 1 above, to any person, firm, association or corporation.

"3. To promote local industrial, commercial or agricultural development and the location of new industries or businesses therein.

"4. To become a stockholder in any corporation, association or company.

"5. To lend its credit or to grant public moneys and things of value in aid of, or to, any individual, firm, association, or corporation whatsoever.

"6. To become indebted and to issue and sell interest bearing bonds, warrants (which may be payable from funds to be realized in future years), notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness, to a principal amount not exceeding fifty percent of the assessed value of taxable property therein as determined for state taxation, in order to secure funds for the purchase, construction, lease or acquisition of any of the property described in subdivision 1 above or to be used in furtherance of any of the other powers or authorities granted in this amendment. Such obligations or evidences of indebtedness may (in addition to any pledge or pledges authorized by subdivision 8 of this amendment) be issued upon the full faith and credit of the muncipality or may be limited as to the source of their payment.

"7. To levy and collect annually, in addition to all other taxes now authorized or permitted, a special tax or taxes of not exceeding two percent on the value of all taxable property therein as determined for state taxation, in the same manner as other county or muncipal taxes are levied and collected. Such tax may be upon all property in any municipality in Pickens County or upon all property in any district the boundaries of which the governing body of such municipality shall describe and which it shall determine to be specially improved and benefited by any proposed use or expenditure of the proceeds of such tax.

"8. To pledge to the payment of any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness the annual proceeds from any such special tax or taxes and to obligate itself irrevocably to continue to levy and collect such taxes annually until such obligations or evidences of indebtedness are paid in full and to pledge thereto any rental or sales proceeds of property leased or sold by it.

"9. To create a public authority or corporation having such powers, managed and governed by such board or governing body and subject to such limitations as the governing body of any municipality in Pickens County may impose, by approving and filing a certificate to that effect in the office of the judge of probate or the secretary of state, or their respective successors in function, and to delegate to such public authority or corporation and its board or governing body all powers and authority conferred in this amendment upon any such municipality.

"The recital in any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness that they were issued pursuant to this amendment or that they were issued to provide funds to be used in furtherance of any power or authority herein authorized or that any special tax herein authorized has been pledged to the payment thereof shall be conclusive; no purchaser or holder thereof need inquire further; and the levy and collection of such tax shall continue until the principal of and interest on such obligations or evidences of indebtedness shall have been paid in full. The bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness issued hereunder shall not be considered an indebtedness of any municipality in Pickens County for the purpose of determining the borrowing capacity of such municipality under Sections 224 and 225 of the Constitution; and the taxes herein authorized shall be in addition to those provided for or permitted in Sections 215 and 216 of the Constitution and all amendments thereto.

"This amendment shall be self-executing; but the Legislature shall have the right and power by general, special or local act to adopt laws supplemental to this amendment or in furtherance of the purposes and objectives hereinabove set forth."

"10. No municipality shall make any engagement or commitment or undertake any project under the provisions hereof unless and until the proposition has been approved by a majority of the qualified electors of such municipality. The governing body of any municipality may provide for holding such elections, but in no case shall an election be held until notice of the election and of the proposition to be voted on has been published for at least three successive weeks."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

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Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 24

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"For the promotion of local industrial, commercial or agricultural development, Morgan County and the City of Hartselle and the City of Decatur shall each separately or any two or more of them jointly have full and continuing power.

(a) to purchase, construct, lease and otherwise acquire industrial, commercial and agricultural projects or sites, including real and personal property, plants, buildings, factories, works, facilities, machinery and equipment of any kind whatsoever;

(b) to lease, sell, exchange or otherwise convey all or any part of any such project or site to any person, firm or corporation;

(c) after an approving election as hereinafter provided, if required, to sell and issue for such purposes interest-bearing general obligation bonds. Neither the county nor the cities shall issue any bonds under the authority of this amendment, other than bonds issued to finance the acquisition or development of industrial sites, such development to include the extension and installation of streets and roadways and utility services, unless the question of the issuance of such bonds has first been submitted to the qualified electors of the county or the cities, as the case may be, and approved at such election by a majority of the qualified electors voting thereat. Each such election shall be called, held and conducted, and may be contested, in the manner provided by law for county or muncipal bond elections, as the case may be. Bonds issued under the authority of this amendment shall not be considered indebtedness of the county or the cities, as the case may be, within the meaning of Sections 224 and 225 of the Constitution of Alabama, but neither the county nor the cities shall at any time issue any bonds under the authority of this amedment if as a result thereof it will have outstanding an aggregate principal amount of bonds issued hereunder in excess of twenty per cent of an assessed value of the property in the county or the cities, as the case may be. Neither shall the county or the cities issue any bonds under the authority of this amendment, except bonds issued to finance the acquisition or development of industrial sites, such development to include the extension and installation of streets and roadways and utility services, unless prior thereto or contemporaneously therewith the county or the cities, as the case may be, has entered into a lease or other similar agreement, with respect to the project being financed by such bonds, providing for the payment to the county or the cities, as the case may be, of net rentals sufficient to pay the principal of and the interest on such bonds at the respective maturities of such principal and interest, and any bonds issued hereunder shall be secured by a pledge of such rentals and may be secured by a foreclosable mortgage on such project and by a pledge of any other taxes and revenues which the county or the cities, as the case may be, is authorized by law to pledge to the payment of its bonded indebtedness. All bonds issued, under the authority of this amendment shall be sold at public sale in the manner required by law for the sale of county or municipal bonds, as the case may be, and shall mature and be payable in annual or semi-annual installments in such amounts and at such times as to result in the aggregate amount of principal and interest maturing thereon in each year following the year of their issurance being substantially equal, but shall not be subject to any other provisions of law relating to maturities of county or municipal bonds. In the event that any such action is necessary to prevent or cure a default in payment of the principal of or the interest on any bonds issued under the authority of this amendment, the county or the cities, as the case may be, is authorized to levy and collect ad valorem taxes without limitation as to rate or amount, on the assessed value of all taxable property in the county or the cities, as the case may be, but only so long as and only to such extent as necessary to prevent or cure any such default.

"In carrying out the purposes of this amendment, neither Morgan County nor the City of Hartselle nor the City of Decatur shall be subject to the provisions of Section 93 of the Constitution of Alabama, and the taxes which the county and the cities are hereinabove authorized to levy and collect are in addition to all other taxes which the county and the cities are authorized to levy and collect. This amendment shall be self-executing, but notwithstanding any contrary provisions of Section 104 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Legislature shall have the power, by general, special or local act, to enact laws supplemental hereto or in furtherance of the purposes hereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 25

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section 1. In addition to any taxes now authorized, or that may be hereafter authorized, by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, there is hereby levied a special school tax of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in School Tax District No. 1, Madison County, Alabama, which comprises all of Madison County, Alabama except the City of Huntsville, Alabama, to be used solely for public school purposes; provided the levy of said tax shall first have been approved by the qualified electors of the School District as hereinafter provided.

"Section 2. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of said School Tax District No. 1, Madison County, Alabama, who vote thereon vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment when it is submitted, the additional tax provided for in Section 1 shall be levied and collected for a period of thirty years without any other election having been held thereon. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of School Tax District No. 1, Madison County, Alabama, who vote thereon vote against its approval, the tax shall not be levied unless the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been again submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of School Tax District One, Madison County, Alabama, and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Subsequent elections may be held at intervals of not less than one year and shall be called, held, conducted, paid for and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in Constitutional Amendment III".

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 26

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Section 1. In addition to any taxes now authorized, or that may be hereafter authorized, by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, there is hereby levied a special school tax of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville in Madison County to be used solely for public school purposes; provided the levy of said tax shall first have been approved by the qualified electors of the School District as hereinafter provided.

"Section 2. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville who vote thereon vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment when it is submitted, the additional tax provided for in Section 1 shall be levied and collected for a period of thirty years without any other election having been held hereon. In the event this amendment is approved and a majority of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville who vote thereon vote against its approval, the tax shall not be levied unless the rate of the tax, the time it is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been again submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the School Tax District of the City of Huntsville and voted for by a majority of those voting at the election. Subsequent elections may be held at intervals of not less than one year and shall be called, held, conducted, paid for, and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in Constitutional Amendment III."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 27

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature of Alabama may hereafter, from time to time by general or local laws, fix, regulate, and alter the costs, charges of courts, fees, commissions, allowances, or compensation to be charged or received by the sheriff of Bibb County, and may also fix, regulate, and alter the method or basis of compensating such officer."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 28

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Whenever the tax authorized to be levied by Amendment No. 72 to the Constitution shall have been approved by vote of the qualified electors of Chambers County and levied by the governing body of the county, the proceeds of such tax may be used for any health purposes of the county, including providing of health facilities of all kinds and of health services; and the governing body of Chambers County may, in its discretion, expend any part of the proceeds thereof in cooperation with any one or more of the municipalities of the county, or in cooperation with any public or private non-profit hospital corporation; or the county governing body may cooperate in the consolidation of all such hospitals, facilities and services in Chambers county and expend all or any part of the proceeds of the said tax in support thereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 29

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"Any provision of the Constitution or laws of the State of Alabama to the contrary notwithstanding, Marengo County acting through the county governing body shall have full and continuing power and authority, after an election held in accordance herewith, to do any one or more of the following:

"1. To purchase, construct, lease, or otherwise acquire real property, plants, buildings, factories, works, facilities, machinery and equipment of any kind.

"2. To lease, sell for cash or on credit, exchange, give and convey any such property described in subdivision 1 above, to any person, firm association or corporation.

"3. To promote local industrial, commercial or agricultural development and the location of new industries or businesses therein.

"4. To become a stockholder in any corporation, association or company.

"5. To lend its credit or to grant public moneys and things of value in aid of, or to, any individual, firm, association, or corporation whatsoever.

"6. To become indebted and to issue and sell interest bearing bonds, warrants (which may be payable from funds to be realized in future years), notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness, to a principal amount not exceeding fifty percent of the assessed value of taxable property therein as determined for state taxation, in order to secure funds for the purchase, construction, lease or acquisition of any of the property described in subdivision 1 above or to be used in furtherance of any of the other powers or authorities granted in this amendment. Such obligations or evidences of indebtedness may (in addition to any pledge or pledges authorized by subdivision 8 of this amendment) be issued upon the full faith and credit of Marengo County, or may be limited as to the source of their payment.

"The recital in any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness that they were issued pursuant to this amendment or that they were issued to provide funds to be used in furtherance of any power or authority herein authorized or that any special tax herein authorized has been pledged to the payment thereof shall be conclusive; no purchaser or holder thereof need inquire further; and the levy and collection of such tax shall continue until the principal of and interest on such obligations or evidence of indebtedness shall have been paid in full. The bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness issued hereunder shall not be considered an indebtedness of Marengo County for the purpose of determining the borrowing capacity of the county under Section 224 of the Constitution; and the taxes herein authorized shall be in addition to those provided for or permitted in Section 215 of the Constitution and all amendments thereto.

"7. To levy and collect annually, in addition to all other taxes now authorized or permitted, a special tax or taxes of not exceeding two percent on the value of all taxable property therein as determined for state taxation in the same manner as other county taxes are levied and collected. Such tax may be upon all property in the county, or upon all property in any district the boundaries of which the governing body of such county shall describe and which it shall determine to be specially improved and benefited by any proposed use or expenditure of the proceeds of such tax.

"8. To pledge to the payment of any bonds, warrants, notes or other obligations or evidence of indebtedness the annual proceeds from any such special tax or taxes and to obligate itself irrevocably to continue to levy and collect such taxes annually until such obligations or evidence of indebtedness are paid in full and to pledge thereto any rental or sales proceeds of property leased or sold by it.

"9. To create a public authority or corporation having such powers, managed and governed by such board or governing body subject to such limitations as the governing body of Marengo County may impose, by approving and filing a certificate to that effect in the office of the judge of probate or the Secretary of State, or their respective successors in function, and to delegate to such public authority or corporation and its board or governing body all powers and authority conferred in this amendment upon the county.

"Marengo County shall not make any engagement or commitment or undertake any project under the provisions hereof unless and until the proposition has been approved by a majority of the qualified electors of the county who vote thereon at a referendum election held for such purpose. The governing body of the county may provide for holding such election, but in no case shall an election be held notice of the election and of the proposition to be voted on has been published once a week for three successive weeks before the election.

"This amendment shall be self-executing; but the Legislature may enact general, special or local laws supplemental to this amendment or in furtherance of the purposes and objectives hereinabove set forth."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 30

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to all other taxes now or hereafter authorized, the governing body of Lee County, in the State of Alabama, is authorized to levy, in the school district of the said county that comprises all of the territory of the said county outside of the corporate limits of the cities of Auburn and Opelika, a special district tax at a rate not exceeding 50c on each $100 of the valuation of the taxable property in the said district as assessed for state taxation; provided, that no such tax shall be levied hereunder unless the rate of the said tax, the time it is to continue, and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the said district and voted for by a majority of those voting in such election; provided, further, that if a majority of the qualified electors of the said district participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment shall vote for the adoption thereof, then the approval of this amendment expressed by the said vote in favor of its adoption shall of itself authorize the levy of the said tax, without an additional election, for a period of thirty consecutive years commencing with the levy for the tax year beginning October 1, 1969. Each election on the levy of the said tax held subsequent to the ratification of this amendment shall be called, held, conducted and canvassed, and notice thereof shall be given, in the manner and within the time provided by the then existing general laws of Alabama pertaining to elections on the levy of district school taxes under the provisions of Amendment III to the Constitution, except that the holding of any such election in the said district or the collection of the said tax therein shall not be dependent upon the levy and collection of any other tax, including specifically the three-mill special county school tax provided for in the said Amendment III. If the majority of the qualified electors of the said district participating in the election on the adoption of this amendment should not vote in favor of the adoption of this amendment, or if the majority of the qualified electors of the said district voting at any election called by the governing body of Lee County under the provisions of this amendment should not vote in favor of the levy of the said tax proposed at the election so called, the governing body of Lee County may from time to time call other elections hereunder on the levy of the said tax, but not more than one such election shall be held during any period of twelve consecutive months.

"Nothing contained in this amendment shall be construed to authorize the levy of an additional tax on any propery within the corporate limits of either the City of Auburn or the City of Opelika."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 31

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature may by general or local law provide that a trial tax or charge on litigation of not more than two dollars ($2.00) shall be taxed as costs in any case, action, or proceeding hereafter filed, whether at law or in equity, in the Circuit Court of Russell County and in the Court of Common Pleas of Russell County, which tax shall be in addition to any court costs heretofore authorized. The proceeds of such tax or charge shall be used for establishing, equipping, maintaining and operating a public law library in Russell County, including the payment of the salaries of the personnel needed to operate such library."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 32

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert P. Brewer, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"In addition to any taxes now authorized or that may be hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, the several school districts of Talladega County shall have the power to levy and collect a special district tax of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in such districts for public school purposes; provided, that the time during which such tax is to continue and the purpose thereof shall have been first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors in each such district and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election, the election to be held in the same manner as provided by Code of Alabama 1940, Title 52, Chapter 10, Article 7 for an election on the school district tax authorized in Article XIX of the Constitution of Alabama. The funds arising from such special tax levied in any district which votes the same independently of the county shall be expended for the exclusive benefit of the district as the law may direct."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 33

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

WHEREAS, the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969, will be and occur on December 9, 1969; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law and by the provisions of the act submitting the amendment to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each county in the State of Alabama for four successive weeks next preceding the day appointed for the election:

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"Any provision of the Constitution or laws of the State of Alabama to the contrary, notwithstanding, the governing body of the City of Birmingham shall have full and continuing power and authority to alienate or lease for a fair consideration and upon such terms as are acceptable to it any public park or playground or any part or portion thereof owned by said City, provided such governing body by resolution adopted by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the members thereof determine that such public park or playground or part or portion thereof to be alienated or leased is no longer needed as a public park or playground or a part or portion thereof; and provided further that the Park and Recreation Board of said City, if there be such a board at the time of such alienation or leasing, shall have prior thereto by resolution adopted by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the members of said Board determined that such public park or playground or portion thereof to be alienated or leased is no longer needed as a public park or a part or portion thereof."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901 be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 9th day of December 1969 in each county in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the 14th day of October 1969.

Albert P. Brewer
Governor
ATTEST:
Mabel S. Amos
Secretary of State

NO. 34

STATE OF ALABAMA
A PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at the Regular Session 1969, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the said election be held on the first Tuesday after the expiration of three months from final adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of Alabama of 1969; and

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"In addition to all taxes now or hereafter authorized by the Constitution and laws of Alabama, the counties of Lawrence, Limestone and Morgan, in this State, each shall have the power to levy and collect a special tax up to three mills on each dollar's worth of taxable property in the county, the proceeds of which shall be used exclusively for general health purposes; provided that such tax and the purpose or purposes thereof, and the times such taxes are proposed to be continued, shall have first been submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of each of such counties, and voted for by the majority of those voting at such elections in all three such counties. The special tax provided herein may be renewed from time to time, in the manner provided herein, for such periods of time as are necessary. If any proposal to levy the taxes is defeated in any election, subsequent elections thereon may be held at any time. The elections provided for herein shall be called, held, conducted, and governed otherwise in the manner provided for an election on the school district tax authorized in amendment Three, Article 19 of the Constitution of Alabama and by Article 7, Chapter 10, Title 52 of the Code of Alabama 1940; but the governing bodies of the counties of Lawrence, Limestone and Morgan shall each provide for paying the expense of the election in its county. The county tax collector of each of such counties shall collect the tax in the same manner and under the same requirements and laws as the taxes of the State are collected, and he shall keep the proceeds of this tax separate and apart from all other funds, and shall keep clear accounts thereof. The tax collector shall distribute the proceeds of this special tax in the manner prescribed by the governing body of the county and the revenue derived from the tax levied hereunder shall be used for general health purposes in the county where levied or in cooperation with the other two counties named above."

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25 years ago–

Montevallo trapper wins award from fur service

H. J. Ingram, a well known trapper from Montevallo, is the winner of a Daily Award in the 16th National Fur Marketing Service of Sears, Roebuck & Co.

Ingram's carefully handled mink pelt brought him one of the $5.00 awards as a result of its being judged one of the three best handled skins among all pelts received at Sears Raw Fur Marketing Station in Memphis, Tenn.

This recognition entitles Ingram to consideration for one of the major awards, including the $1,000 final award which will be decided in April.

25 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dorough celebrated the passing of their 50th wedding anniversary Wednesday - An Open House and a dinner for the relatives, numbering 43, was served buffet style at the noon hour. A gold band ring on a white satin pillow was presented Mrs. Dorough by little Patsy Dorough.

25 Years Ago

Col. Henry Ayers en route to Alabama College where he addressed the student body Thursday was a distinguished guest in our office during his short stop over on Main.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. Angela Rock of New York is the charming house guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Green Sr., in Columbiana.

25 Years Ago

Students at Alabama College will be entertained by the faculty and staff with a carnival party on Thanksgiving Eve, Nov. 22 at 8 o'clock in Reynolds Hall.

A faculty play, a show by "Kennerly-the Wizard -" a lucky fish pond, portrait sketching, fortune telling and bridge will be offered as entertainment for the guests. Elizabeth Stockton of the Foreign Language Department is chairman for the evening's offerings.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. J. E. Edmondson of Columbiana has received word that her husband, Lt. J. E. Edmondson had landed in France.

25 Years Ago

Lt. Zelle Barnett of the Army Air Corps, who has recently returned to the states after serving overseas in the war zone and taking part in many bombing raids on Germany, is the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Noland Barnett. Mrs. Barnett who is a member of the SPARS joined her husband here for the family reunion.

25 Years Ago

Miss Virginia Mott of Atlanta, Ga., is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Fowler.

25 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bell of Vincent have as their guests this week, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Scales (Elizabeth Bell) and their daughter Mary Elizabeth of Pascagoula, Miss.; and Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and their daughter, Alexandrine, of Huntsville.

25 Years Ago

Sherill McClure of Sylacauga has come to Columbiana to take over the Agriculture Department at Shelby County High School. Mr. McClure is an Auburn graduate and has been employed with Dupont at Childersburg.

25 Years Ago

Standard Oil Company through its agents H. H. Bearden of Columbiana; and J. E. Armstrong of Calera, has contributed a $1,000 to the Sixth War Loan Drive in Shelby County.

25 Years Ago

Thomas L. Kendrick, a prominent and useful citizen of Chelsea died suddenly at his home, Friday. He was 70 years old.

25 Years Ago

The P.T.A. will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30. Mrs. James Curtis, Mrs. E. B. Turner and Miss Lenora Long will direct the program which is: "Peace on Earth and Goodwill Toward Men".

Bulldog cagers open with win

By S. DeMent

Montevallo's Bulldogs, under their new coach Jimmy Jones, opened the season with a 76-42 victory over the Hornets at Chelsea Nov. 25.

Danny Wyatt dropped in the first two pointer of the season just four seconds after the initial whistle to give Montevallo a quick lead. The Hornets tied up the count at 10 all later in the period, but after that the Bulldogs pulled away and by halftime had jumped out front 34-19.

A last period hurry-up effort resulted in a "foul" quarter for the Hornets, and the Bulldogs took full advantage, scoring 11 free throws in that period. Terry Davis scored 7 for 7 of the free tosses.

Leading Bulldog scorer was Robert Seay, a Prentice transfer. He hit 18. Jimmy Surface, leading rebounder for MHS, pulled 16 from the boards and scored 12 points.

Rodger Smitherman, with 12 points, and Stanley Winslett with 11 led the B team in a 47-26 win over the Chelsea B's. Gary Isbell was the Hornets' high pointman with 15.

Mark Crisswell paced the Montevallo 9th graders in a 42-8 romp over the 9th grade of Chelsea as the Bulldogs made it a triple win for opening night. Crisswell scored 10 points.

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Yule parade Friday in Montevallo

Bands from five high schools in Shelby County will be featured during Montevallo's Christmas parade scheduled for Friday afternoon.

The parade will mark the initial appearance of Santa Claus in Montevallo during the 1969 Christmas season.

GOVERNOR BREWER

Spokesmen for the Montevallo Chamber of Commerce, sponsors of the parade, state the parade will form on Oak Street between Montevallo High School and the University of Montevallo campus.

Route of the parade that is scheduled to begin at 2:00 o'clock will be along Oak Street to Wadsworth Street, south on Wadsworth Street to Island Street and in front of the Montevallo Elementary School.

After leaving the elementary school the parade will turn north on North Boundry to Main Street and proceed down Main Street. The bands will stop at the corner of Main and Middle Streets for a brief concert, the presentation of Santa Claus and a Christmas Tree lighting ceremony.

After the ceremonies the parade will move west on Main Street to Shelby Street, trun north on Shelby for two blocks to Oak Street and then return to the original staging area.

High school bands from Calera, Vincent, Shelby County High of Columbiana, Thompson of Siluria and Montevallo will participate.

The 250 band members will be guests of the University of Montevallo for lunch, prior to the parade.

SCHS students host Brewer

Governor Albert Brewer will address the student body at Shelby County High School in Columbiana Friday at 10 a. m.

This is the first time in many years that a governor in office has addressed a high school group in Shelby County.

The Governor's appearance was arranged by Montgomery Lokey, President of the SCHS Student Council.

PLANNING A MERRY CHRISTMAS - - Mrs. A. L. Wilson (left) and Mrs. Cooper Shaw display some of the gifts collected by members of the Montevallo American Legion Auxiliary. The gifts, valued at more than $425, will be sent to the Veterans Hospital in Tuscaloosa. Each veteran at the hospital will select gifts to be sent to members of his family. (Photo by Ed Blake)

School tax wins; electing superintendent approved

The vocational high school for the county is assured.

The Shelby County electorate put over the one mill property tax with a close but definite majority at the polls Tuesday.

At the same time, local residents voted to continue to elect the county superintendent of schools rather than allowing the county school board to appoint the officer.

With all but three boxes tabulated at press time, the vote in favor of the one mill tax for education was unofficially 856 to 738. The three boxes not in were Vincent, Arkwright and Dunnavant. Telephone calls indicated that the Vincent tabulation showed only one vote difference.

Unofficial figures showed that Columbiana, Montevallo, Alabaster, Wilton, Helena, Wilsonville, Chelsea, Shelby, Siluria and several other boxes favored the tax. Montevallo's three boxes indicated a vote of 187 for the tax to 114 opposed. The first two Columbiana boxes reporting favored the proposal 86 to 43.

Communities voting against the tax included Calera, 70 to 58; Pea Ridge, 40 to 10; Vandiver, 12 to 4; Pelham, 43 to 13; Harpersville, 18 to 11; Dogwood, 26 to 6 and Westover, 21 to 14.

Votes were close in many boxes and varied widely in different communities.

The tax was sought by school officials in order to raise $150,000 to match $600,000 in federal state funds for the purpose of building a vocational high school in the county.

It was apparent from the first returns that came in to the Sheriff's office that the proposal to continue electing the county school superintendent would win. Total informal tabulation, exclusive of three boxes showed the vote 1,030 in favor of electing the superintendent to 733 opposed.

Shelby County voters were either inconsistent or were confused by the wording of

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Calera Christmas parade Saturday

Calera's Christmas parade is scheduled to begin at three o'clock Saturday with bands and floats from all over the county participating.

The Calera Jaycees sponsor the parade each year. This year Miss Dian Lawler, the Jaycees's candidate for Shelby County Junior Miss will be featured in the parade.

County officials, local officials, glee clubs, clowns and beauty queens will all be a part of the annual celebration.

The parade will end this year in front of city hall according to vice-president J. B. Denham, Jr., with a patriotic rally. Denham urges all citizens of the county to make plans to attend both the parade and rally.

The Jaycees encourage everyone to bring a flag to show their patriotism.

MISS DIAN LAWLER

Vincent to dedicate new library Sunday

NEW VINCENT LIBRARY - - A formal dedication program will be held at the new Vincent Library Sunday from 2 to 4 p. m. Dr. Kermit Johnson, president of the University of Montevallo, will make the dedicatory address. The library was completed in late October at a cost of $64,000.

Art, archery exhibits featured at opening

Vincent will play host on Sunday to a public dedication of the new Vincent Library.

Dr. Kermit Johnson, President of the University of Montevallo will make the dedicatory address. The Vincent school band, under the direction of Mrs. Jo Ann Gormon will provide music.

Mrs. R. T. McGraw, Sr., Chairman of the Vincent Library Board, announced that added features at the library's dedication will include an art exhibit by Mrs. Anita Embry, an archery exhibit by Howard Hill and an exhibit of antique objects of art by Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wyatt, Jr.

The public is invited to participate in the dedicatory services. Refreshments will be served by wives of Town Council members, assisted by members of the Library Board.

The library building was completed on Oct. 28, 1969 at a cost of $64,000. Funds were made available from the federal Appalachia program, state and local sources. Architect for the library, which had to be designed to fit a long narrow lot was Charles McCauley and Associates and Dan Trawick III was in charge of construction.

Club sponsors lighting contest

"Every Light A Prayer For Peace," will be the theme of this years home decorating contest being sponsored by the Centrala Garden Club in Montevallo. Homes will be judged Dec. 23 with ribbons being awarded the winners. Those wanting their homes judged should call Mrs. Joe Doyle 665-4641 or Mrs. G. N. LaGrone 665-4781.

Proceeds from all the club's money making projects this year are being used to buy shrubbery to place around the High School.

'MISS MERRY CHRISTMAS' - - Dottie Phillips (center) will reign as "Miss Merry Christmas" at Montevallo High School during the holiday season. Selected first runner-up was Jane Watson (left) and second, Claire Tinsley. (Photo by Joe Miller)

Montevallo couple develops hobby into worldwide postage stamp business

By Don Hughes

Switching occupations is something many would like to do, but few have the courage to do.

Truman Shaw of Montevallo is one, however, who decided to kick over the traces and turn a former hobby into a fulltime occupation. And he has not once regretted doing so.

Long interested in stamp collecting, Shaw formed the Shaw Stamp Company as a sideline to provide other collectors with stamps on approval.

The number of customers rapidly grew to the point where Shaw had to decide whether to go into it fulltime or give it up completely.

Two years ago with 400 customers, he took a major step, resigning his 15-year position as chief engineer of Anderson Electric Company at Leeds.

Now he has over 2500 costomers and has had to hire extra help to handle orders. He advertises in the **New York Times, Boy's Life, American Girl**, and mechanics and sports magazines.

Mail orders pour in from all parts of the United States, Canada and the Philippines. It is interesting and exciting and he never knows what the next mail will bring.

The bulk of Shaw's business is in handling standarized collections of low and medium priced stamps. Most of his customers are teen agers and young adults who are assembling basic stamp collections.

Shaw explained to The Reporter how his business works. In response to his advertising, a customer will write, requesting a sample group of stamps on approval. If no special interests are given, Shaw sends the person a standard assortment of stamps. However, he finds that many persons indicate special interests in stamps. In such cases, Shaw's sample group will be directed to that interest.

The most popular stamps today are on space subjects, Shaw finds. Nearly all countries have issued stamps using the moon walk theme and these are being avidly sought by collectors.

The Kennedy theme is the second most popular category, followed by stamps depicting animals, fish, and birds. Many collectors have geographical preferences such as western Europe, South America or British colonies.

Mr. Shaw deals mainly in foreign stamps because of their popularity and the demands of his customers. He buys large amounts of stamps in packages or in sheets. Some stamps are canceled and classified as used stamps. Some of his stamps come from New York City, considered the stamp center of the country, but Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. is another major source, because of foreign representatives living there.

At The Reporter's request, Shaw passed along some information on mounting stamps for beginning collectors. He recommends that mint stamps be preserved in plastic mounts. They should be protected not only on the face, but also on the gum side. If a collector hinges or distrubs the gum he is lowering the value of his stamp, Shaw said. He further recommends the use of loose leaf albums so the collector can add supplements and keep his collection up to date without disturbing previously mounted specimins.

Shaw sees the stamp business as "still on the uptrend" with the increasing leisure time available to many. Stamps are not his only interest, however. The versatile Montevallo resident has a patent on a fishing lure he developed a few years ago.

STAMPS ARE HIS BUSINESS - - Mr. and Mrs. Truman Shaw are pictured at the office of the Shaw Stamp Company near Montevallo where Mr. Shaw operates a worldwide business.

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

Quote from a letter to County Engineer James L. Ray, Jr. from B. C. Good, Chief of County Aid for the State Highway Department, dated Nov. 17, 1969:

"After reviewing (Maintenance Inspection) reports, it was decided that our remarks on the customary form would not be adequate for your county. . . . . Shelby County is well into the 'excellent' category.

"From our observation of your roads in the past, and as shown by the reports, you are to be commended for exerting your capabilities in maintaining the county roads and bridges to this remarkable standard.

. . . "We respectfully suggest that you advise the Chairman of the Board of Revenue that the diligent efforts and duties performed by the members of the Board have been recognized for their services rendered."

Colonel Floyd H. Mann released the following statistics for Shelby county so far in 1969. State Troopers have investigated 396 accidents resulting in 79 injuries and 15 deaths. For the same period in 1968 your troopers had investigated 348 accidents resulting in 120 injuries and 12 deaths.

December 31, 1969 is the last chance to file for reimbursement for doctors' bills for treatment received between October 1, 1967 and September 30, 1968. This applies to everyone covered by Medicare's Supplementary Medical Insurance.

Gene White, Manager of the bessemer Social Security Office, also reminds senior citizens, "Doctor's bills for October, November and December 1969 can sometimes be applied toward the 1970 deductible."

The Social Security Office at 118 N. 18th Street in Bessemer has a staff to help the public file Medicare claims. The office hours are from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. The telephone number is 425-4334. Residents of Shelby County, Alabama can contact a representative of the Bessemer office in Calera, Alabama at the City Hall each Tuesday from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon or in the Court House in Columbiana every Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

KIWANIS AIDS LANDSCAPING - - Bill Parrish, President of the Columbiana Kiwanis Club presents a check for $200 to Mrs. Karl Harrison, Chairman of the county library program. The Kiwanis donation will be used for landscaping at the new county library in Columbiana. Looking on are librarian Mrs. Cecile Leonard (rear), Mrs. Sonya Lefkovits, Chairman of the Columbiana City Library, and Leon Meyers, treasurer of Kiwanis.

Plan telephone calls ahead for Vietnam servicemen

Shelby County residents were advised today by the telephone company to plan ahead if they wish to talk during the coming holiday season to relatives or friends stationed in Vietnam.

"It is generally easier for a serviceman to call home than for his family to try reaching him in Vietnam," said John W. Godwin. "And to avoid disappointments, servicemen are encouraged to notify their families in advance if they expect to telephone home, particularly during the holidays."

Godwin said that more than 42,000 calls were completed between the United States and Vietnam last year. "Most of the calls," he added," were made from Vietnam rather than the U. S. because of the difficulty in locating servicemen when calls come in from the states.

"The heavy concentration of so many troops in a small country at war creates some real communications problems," Godwin said. "Service is still not what we would like it to be but is has been improved substantially in recent years.

"Travel restrictions and curfews in Saigon complicate the task of locating servicemen to take telephone calls," John Godwin explained. For this reason, when a call is made to Saigon it is important for the caller to have the servicemen's unit, his APO number and, if possible, a telephone number where he can be reached.

"Until 1967," John Godwin said, "servicemen could call home only from Saigon. Calls now can be placed from hospitals and bases in Ton Son Nhut, Long Binh, Cam Rahn Bay, Nha Trang, Qui Nhon and Da Nang.

"U. S. callers, however, can reach only telephones in Saigon and the immediate vicinity.

"The speed of handling a call to Vietnam depends on the volume of calls pending at the time and the availability of the serviceman in Vietnam," Godwin said. Calls between the U. S. and Vietnam average about 350 a day. But this figure is expected to increase during the holiday season.

Calls originating in Vietnam are handled "first come, first served" at various telephone centers operated for servicemen.

"But when a serviceman does get to a telephone, it is usually just a few minutes before his call is completed to the states," John Godwin said. Saigon is thirteen hours ahead of eastern standard time.

In 1965, communications facilities in Vietnam permitted the completion of only thirty calls a day between the two countries. Two commercial high frequency radio circuits were operated four hours a day.

There are now ten circuits available for Vietnam service, and they generally are open twelve to fifteen hours a day. The circuits go by ocean cable or sattellite to Hong Kong and the rest of the way by high frequency radio.

The first three minutes of a station-to-station call to Vietnam is nine dollars. A person-to- person call costs twelve dollars for the first three minutes. Additional minute rates for both station and person calls is three dollars.

County obituaries

Mrs. Preston Klein

Friends and neighbors of Mrs. Jim Davis extended their sympathy to her and her family last Monday, Dec. 8, when they learned of the passing of her mother, Mrs. Preston Klein, 81, in the Chilton County Hispital following a lengthy illness.

Graveside rites were held in Opelika at two o'clock P. M. Tuesday. Mrs. Klein was an active member of Circle One of WSCS and a member of the Columbiana Methodist Church. She moved to Columbiana some years ago and has endeared herself to a number of friends who will regret to learn of her death.

Mrs. Klein is survived by her daughter Mrs. Ann Klein Davis, three grandchildren all of Columbiana and two sisters.

Mrs. Ethel Moore

Funeral services were conducted from the Fourmile Baptist Church, Thursday afternoon, Dec. 4, at two o'clock for Mrs. Ethel Moore, 74, who died in Shelby Memorial Hospital in Alabaster, on Dec. 2, 1969. The Rev. Elvin Liveoak, officiated.

Mrs. Moore is survived by two daughters: Mrs. N. D. Garmon and Mrs. Gordon Williams of Calera; two sons, Dr. Harold Moore and the Rev. Charles Moore. One sister and one brother and ten grandchildren.

Interment in Fourmile Cemetery - Bolton-Brown Service, directing.

Allen Norman Thrash

Allen Norman Thrash of Jemison, age 87, died on Dec. 5 at the Chilton County hospital. A native of Chilton County, the funeral was held at the Rocky Mount Methodist Church.

He is survived by five daughters, four sons, a sister, Miss Lena Mae Thrash and a brother, Ward Thrash, both of Montevallo.

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Montevallo files disclaimer in Arden zoning dispute

Montevallo's City attorney has filed a notice that the City disclaims any responsibility for enforcing the zoning ordinances in the Arden subdivision.

This move was taken on Nov. 28 after a suit was filed by three Arden residents requesting the City to enforce the zoning regulations against operating apartment buildings in the subdivision.

The disclaimer filed by the City says in effect that the City of Montevallo has no interest in the subject matter of the complaint, and by indirect reasoning, that the City does not recognize zoning ordinances.

The zoning ordinances of the City provide for a building inspector to enforce them, yet the City does not acknowledge that it has a building inspector.

Present plans of the complainants call for requesting Circuit Judge Kenneth I. Ingram for a hearing on the next non-jury docket, in January or February.

Complainants will ask for a hearing on a breach of the covenants of the Montevallo Development Company as well as enforcement of the city ordinances.

Jim Seaman attends meet

Mr. Jim Seaman of Montevallo with several other lumbermen from Alabama flew to Washington last Wednesday to attend a Congressional breakfast for Southeastern lumber manufacturers. The breakfast was held in the new Senate Office Building with Alabama Senators Allen and Sparkman and Congressman Flowers among the legislators attending.

UM Chorale in concert

The 65-voice University of Montevallo Chorale will be presented in a special concert of Christmas music, Sunday, beginning at 4:30 p.m. in the Montevallo Presbyterian Church.

The all-girl University Chorale is directed by David F. Sears, a member of the university's music department faculty.

Singing set

The regular second Saturday night singing will be held at the Shelby Church of God Saturday night, December 13, beginning at 7 p.m.

Featured singers will be the Clark Family of Calera.

The Rev. Thomas George, pastor, invites the public to attend.

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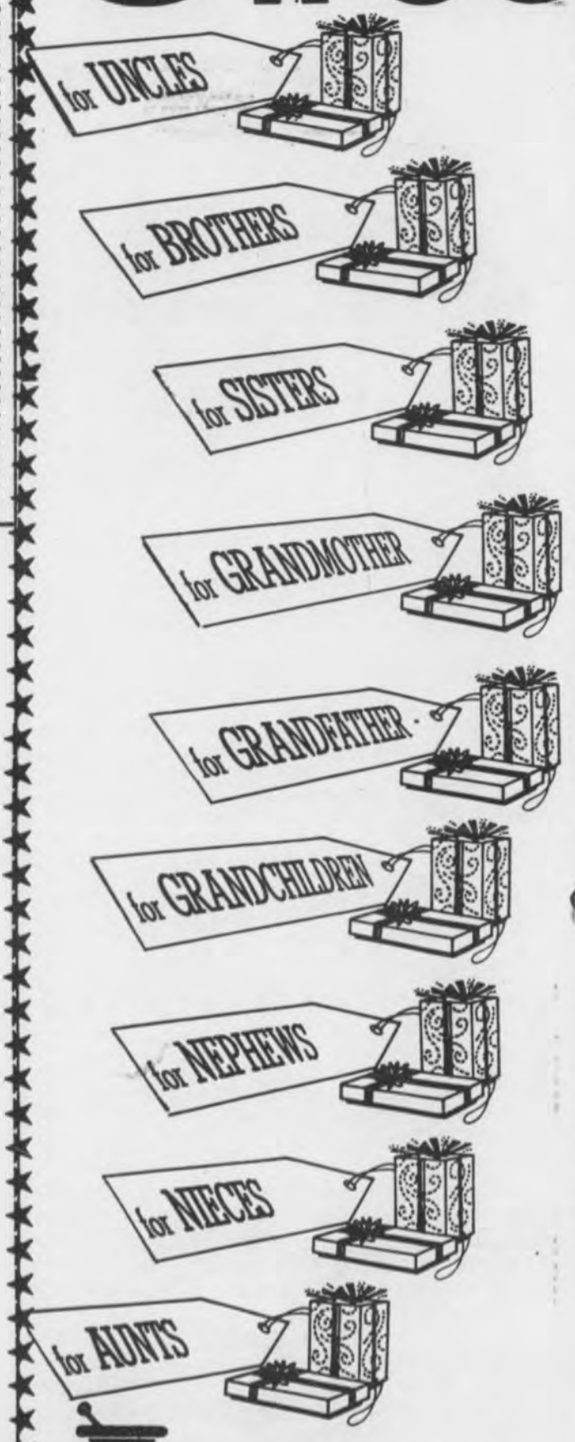

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AT CHICAGO CONGRESS -- Mike Moore (c) of Westover, Alabama's 4-H dairy project winner promotes dairy products even when out of state as he serves Jim Edwards of Montevallo (l) and Charles Wilder of Four Mile. Edwards accompanied the youths in his capacity as senior agriculture engineer with the power company to the national Congress of 4-H in Chicago. (Photo by John E. Jones)

Miss Dottie Phillips 'Merry Christmas'

Miss Dottie Phillips became the first "Miss Merry Christmas" at Montevallo High School's annual Christmas Dance Dec. 6. Mr. W. C. Corbett, Principal, climaxed a week's suspense with the crowning during lead-out festivities. Candidates in the beauty contest were presented to the school and judges at an assembly Dec. 1.

A senior at Montevallo High School, Miss Phillips is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Phillips of Pea Ridge.

Freshman Jane Watson was selected first runner-up and sophomore Claire Tinsley second runner-up. The girls were chosen by a panel of three outside judges from 43 contestants nominated by school clubs and other organizations.

Also reaching the semifinals were Beth Anthony, Nancy Barclay, Valeria Volding, Sandra Jones, Courtney Parker, Rosemary Roberts, and Nancy Taff.

The Brass Button from Jasper provided entertainment for the affair. Girls Athletic Association, directed by Mrs. Betty Yancey, sponsored the dance and contest and provided refreshments. Mr. Glen Yancey was master of ceremonies.

Sarah Weaver
for Girls Athletic Assoc.

JOTS & TITTLES
from the FALCON

Christmas spirit is in the air, and the cold weather seems to be helping it along. Can't seem to get out Christmas stock displayed properly this year; but our customers are used to looking here, there and yonder for things, and they are finding things they need and want with a minimum of assistance from us.

It's a nice time of year, and we at the FALCON BOOKSTORE in Montevallo appreciate having old and new customers come in either for things they have enjoyed in the past or new items for gift giving. If you have not been in yet, do hurry before our stock is too depleted.

Opens Tuesday

UM players present Camino Real

Featuring a cast of sixty, plus four guest artists, the Universtiy of Montevallo Theatre will stage Tennessee Williams' Camino Real three nights next week.

Camino Real will open Tuesday at 8:00 p.m. in Reynolds Hall Studio Theatre. Productions are also scheduled Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

The UM Speech Department calls Camino Real "one of the few distinctive plays of the mid-century American threatre".

"It is Tennessee Williams' one strong affirmation of the individual and of idealism", according to the Speech Department. "And while it is etched with cataclysmic violence and the delirious pain and ecstacy of a wild dream, it is also written with great pathos and tenderness."

Brooks Atkinson of the New York Times has called the play, "a strange and disturbing drama".

Four UM faculty members will have roles in the production. Mrs. Lynn Chichester plays the part of Marguerite Gautier, Dr. Benny Middaugh will be seen as Jacques Casanova, W. T. Chichester will play Mr. Gutman and Charles Majure plays Lord Byron.

Tickets may be obtained at the door on the nights of performances. An advance sale of tickets is being conducted in the University's student union building.

Thornton attends meet

Mr. Melton Thornton left last Friday to attend the American Vocational Meeting being held in Boston. Thornton is chairman of the state Vocational Association. He also serves as Alabama legislative chairman and is a member of the official executive board of the 1400 member Alabama vocational association.

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SOCIETY NEWS and PERSONAL MENTION

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Christmas spirit arrives on Main Street

"There's a song in the air - - there's a star in the sky" - - and the Christmas Spirit is in evidence on Main Street this gloriously bright blue December morning. Early shoppers are eagerly scanning the artistically decorated windows along the business section. Accompaning their "mommies" are enthusiastic Lilliputian inhabitants of Lolly-pop Land. Their little cold noses are tightly pressed against the glass window panes, and tiny chubby fingers are busily engaged in pointing out the articles Santa Claus is expected to include in his generous assortment of toys designed especially to gladden the hearts of Small Fry and brighten their little lives. Not even the war clouds, now hanging heavily over erstwhile sunny skies, have entirely dimmed the brilliance of the Star of Bethlehem - - which is casting its radiant beams in the hearts of young americanos dreaming of cow-boy suits, football regalia, space man equipment etc to make more real their march through Make-Be-Lieve Land. And a colorful array of dolls, appealing and winsome, stand all dressed up in glamorous costumes waiting to be clasped lovingly in little arms outstretched to receive them.

What a picture in this tired old war weary world! How fortunate it is that these little ones, entrusted in our keeping, do not yet realize the seriousness of this occasion, brought on by ruthless war lords. They are unaware of the tragic happenings wiser and older folk perceive on a shadowed uncertain horizon. They do not realize the chaos in which worlds and empires are fast toppling nor the suspense which the entire world is experiencing as decisions are being made which likely will affect our entire future way of life. Be glad that this is true! Let them be happy while they may - - who knows what Tomorrow - - or even next Christmas will bring?

M. W. W.

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Glad to learn that Mrs. Emmie Davidson and Mrs. Carolyn Davidson, are convalescing satisfactorily in Shelby Memorial following surgery last week.

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The Christmas meeting of the Culture Club will be in the form of a dinner date at The Club in Birmingham. This delectable delight will be held on Dec. 18.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Roberts are eagerly awaiting the arrival of the Yuletide season when they will host a family reunion at their home in Columbiana.

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The Shelby County Library building is nearing completion but we are reliably informed that the opening of this spacious building will not be held until February 1970.

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J. Pluvius and all his little raindrop men did not dampen the spirits of 14 members of the M.Y.F. as they left last Saturday evening with their leaders - Anita Sloan, Shirley Wallace and the Rev. Burl Oliver, for a dinner and picture show party in the Magic City.

This enthusiastic group is now planning a Christmas Party which will be staged during the Holiday Season. Will tell you about it later.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Sims

C. T. Sims observe 50th anniversary

December 7, 1969, marked a memorable date for Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thomas Sims, long time residents of Four Mile Community when they were honor guests on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary. The Sims home was the setting for an open house reception hosted by their children, Mrs. Blenard Roper, Mrs. Attly Adcock of Decatur; Miss Sarah Sims of Gadsden; Herbert Sims of Wilsonville; Mrs. Billy Whitten and Mrs. Earl Morris of Four Mile and Mrs. Jack Ingram of Montevallo.

Over one hundred friends and relatives called during the afternoon to extend their congratulations and best wishes for all the years to be.

In addition to their seven children, Mr. and Mrs. Sims have 19 grandchildren who shared the joyous occasion.

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SCHS Band in parade

Bill Parrish and his Marching Band from SCHS journeyed to Talladega Monday night to participate in the Christmas Parade and festivities for which this town is noted. Possibly more notables take part in this pre-Yuletide celebration than in any other town in the state.

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Regret to learn that Mr. John Bookholdt remains gravely ill in Shelby Memorial Hospital.

MISS KAREN VARDEN
. . . to wed Leonard Doss

Miss Karen Varden to wed Mr. Doss

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Varden announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Karen, to Leonard Doss, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Doss of Helena.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mrs. W. J. Varden and the late Mr. Varden of Montevallo and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McCulley of Gordo.

Mr. Doss' grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lester Doss of Helena and the late Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Cox.

The wedding is to be an event of December 27, 1969 at the Enon Baptist Church at 7:30 o'clock. Friends and relatives are cordially invited.

Helena boy, dog on magazine cover

When coon hunter's receive their next issue of the national publication "American Cooner" - -, it will hold special interest to Shelby County sportsmen for the title page features the photographic artistry of Ed Blake and pictures Doug Street of Helena Rt. with his prized coon dog.

This magazine is the leading magazine in the tree dog world and certainly this coveted recognition on the part of its editors of our journalistic co-traveller, means that Ed will possibly stop long enough to put another feather in his cap and continue whistling his merry way through the heart of Dixie, interviewing various huntsmen, fishermen - and what have you - and later, telling you about it in the Reporter.

Not only has this talented fellow won national honors for his photography - - he has also had several articles published in the leading magazines in the sports world - - and, whats more to the point - - further articles with his by-line, are being solicited by the editors.

None are happier over this further step-up on the ladder of success than those of us who have had the privilege of sharing some of his ambitious dreams and watching them "come true". M.W.W.

Danny Wyatt receives honor

Congratulations are in order for Danny M. Wyatt of Harpersville, who has received the "Outstanding Graudating Engineer" award at Auburn University for the fall quarter during a recent honors banquet. Dean J. Grady Cox made the presentation.

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Schools will close for the Christmas Holiday Season on Dec. 19, and resume the scholastic routine on Jan. 5.

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Howard Mooney, well known huntsman about town, is looking forward to a blue Christmas if someone doesn't find his shot gun he lost while hunting last week. See his ad in the classified section of this paper. Can't do much hunting without a shot gun.

Methodist Church to present White Christmas program

Sunday evening, Dec. 21, at 7 o'clock, a White Christmas program will be presented in the Columbiana Methodist Church. The Chrismon Tree, decorated with Christian symbols will be one of the interesting features of the Christmas Season. It will be put up and decorated next Sunday.

Many long weeks have been spent in making these symbols and they each have a meaning which will be explained on an interpretation sheet to be distributed next Sunday.

Christmas parties scheduled in Fellowship Hall include the party Mrs. H. M. Gordon is giving for the elementary group she teaches which will be Friday, and the Couples Class have reserved the hall for Saturday.

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Mrs. G. C. Moore Jr., has returned from a plane trip to Oklahoma City where she spent the Thanksgiving Holidays as the guest of her daughter Mrs. Margaret Moore Linville and Mr. Linville.

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Community Christmas Service Program

Chairmen of the Community Christmas Service Program announce two important dates to remember in carrying out the service to less fortunate ones in our community. They are Dec. 23, 2:00 o'clock P. M. at High School, for the packaging of gifts; Dec. 24, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. for the distribution of gifts to children 13 years and under in families living in a three mile radius of Columbiana.

For further information please contact Oliver Head or Robert Hume who have spearheaded this altruistic service sponsored by the Methodist and Baptist churches in Columbiana.

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Legend of Snowman Dec. 12

The Valley School will present a cast of talented young musicians on the evening of Dec. 12, at 7:30, when they give their interpretation of the operetta bearing the title: "The Legend of the Snowman". Patrons and friends of this school are urgently requested to attend. Tickets are now on sale at the school.

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Gaines Hyche Accepts Position With Church in Marion

Gaines Hyche, who came to Columbiana last June, to accept the position of Minister of Music at First Baptist Church, has resigned to take over the position of Minister of Music and Youth with a Baptist Church in Marion. He and his family left Monday for their new assignment.

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Thelma Vincent Appointed Justice of Peace

Thelma Vincent of Columbiana has been appointed Justice of the Peace in this area. She succeeds the late Cecil Duke who held this position for years before his death. Mrs. Vincent is one of two women now holding this judicial office in Shelby County. The other woman currently serving the Calera area is Mrs. Pearl Crawford.

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Baptist Enjoy Fellowship

A pre-Christmas Fellowship Dinner, hosted by the First Baptist Church, with Clyde Joiner as master of ceremonies, was held in the Education Building at seven o'clock on the evening of Dec. 3, when over 200 members and their families enjoyed the delectable turkey dinner and the well planned musical program presented by Kristy Parrish, Jeannie Turner, Nancy Isbell and Jo Lightsey accompanied by Glenda Lightsey, pianist.

Following the dinner, the Rev. Merry Christmas from Cahaba Heights Baptist Church, was presented by the Rev. Raymond Scroggins, as guest speaker for the occasion. Mr. Christmas chose for his subject "Stewardship and Tithing". His talk was received with keen appreciation. It was both thought - provoking and entertaining.

The children of the church were not forgotten. They were entertained in the nursery department by a trained personnel and served refreshments between the games and contests selected for all age groups in the Primary Department.

Register now for contest

The Wilsonville Fine Arts Club will sponsor a Christmas decorating contest for the Town of Wilsonville again this year. The contest is open to any residents of Wilsonville who wish to have their homes judged.

Registration blanks will be available at Sammy's and at Scrugg's Trading Post. First place prize will be $10, and second place will receive a prize of $5. Judging will take place on the night of December 23, from 7:30 until 9:00.

The Job Opportunities in the Business Sector (JOBS) program has set as its goal, the placement of 338,000 disadvantaged jobless persons in full-time jobs by June 1970 and 614,000 by June 1971.

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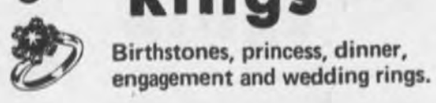

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In Alabaster–

Miss Brandenberg weds Mr. Seales

MRS. BOBBY JOE SEALES
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Miss Diane Brandenberg of Alabaster became the bride of Bobby Joe Seales of Alabaster in a ceremony Saturday evening, December 6th at The First Baptist Church of Alabaster. The Rev. Ronnie Euler and Rev. Olen E. Nall officiated at the seven o'clock double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer L. Brandenberg of Alabaster. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Seales of Alabaster.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Miss Anieta Breland. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Kathy Clanton, Miss Kay Peeples, Miss Nelda Littlefield, and Mrs. Linda Staggs. They wore floor length red bonded granduer gowns and carried white moon palms in colonial style.

Flower girls were Miss Charlotte Brandenberg and Miss Elaine Brandenberg. They wore red velvet dresses trimmed with white lace.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length white peau de soir gown covered with white chantilly lace. She carried a white Bible with a cascade of stephanotis and white orchid. Her finger tip veil was held by a jeweled crown.

David Aaron of Pelham served Mr. Seales as best man. Groomsmen were Colyn Headley, Wayne Staggs, George Posey, and Steve Brandenberg. John Brandenberg served as ring bearer. Ushers were Keith Remke, Ronnie Whitley, Charles Parker, Pat Shaw, Mike Yessick, Yogi Massey, Steve Bunn, and Randy Abbott.

The soloist was Mrs. Carolyn Headley and was accompanied by Miss Donna Coleman, organist. Mrs. Celia Scarborough was pianist.

A reception followed in the church parlor.

After a wedding trip to the Smokies the couple will be at home in Alabaster.

Election

Continued from page 1

Act 1039. While voting to continue to elect the county superintendent of education, they voted in favor of a constitutional amendment that provides for the appointment of the state superintendent.

In Shelby County, Amendment number one apparently carried by slightly more than 50 votes.

In other constitutional amendments, number eight, the proposed pension fund for volunteer fire fighters in Alabama was defeated by county voters by some 200 votes.

Amendment number 20, proposing the consolidation of county offices in neighboring Talladega County, was defeated nearly two to one.

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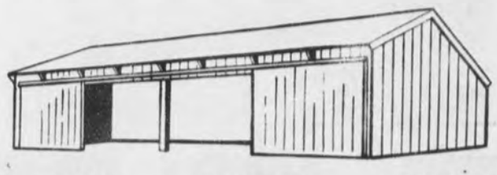

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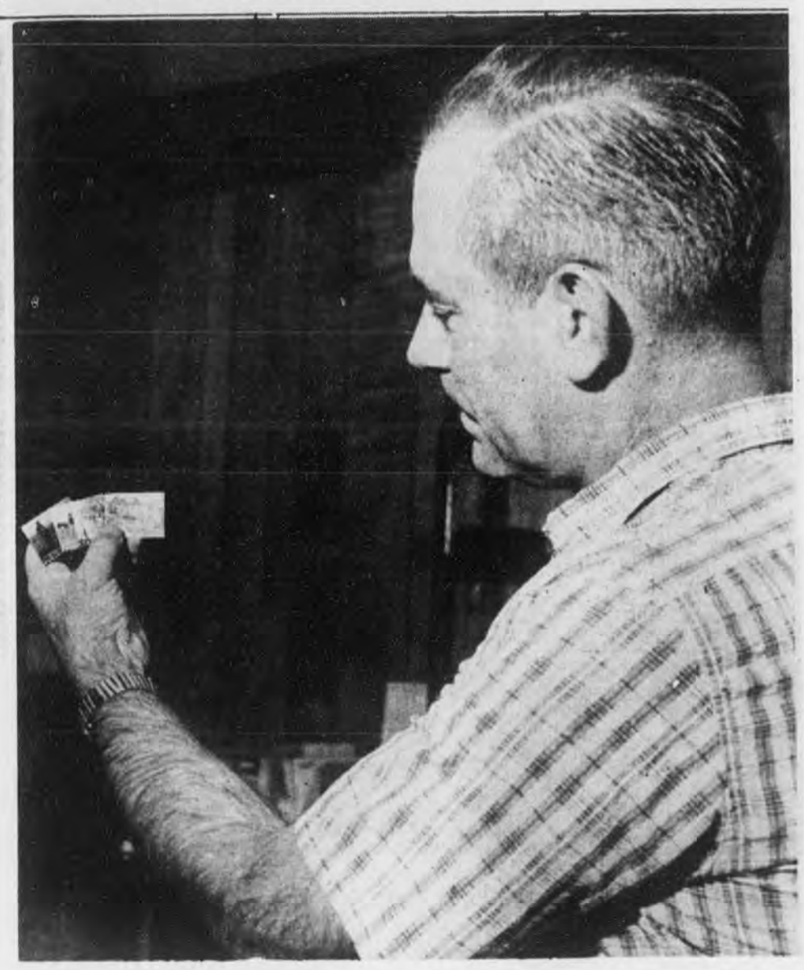

GREAT PAINTINGS IN STAMPS - - Truman Shaw holds stamps recently issued by Bhutan depicting great paintings. Many stamp enthusiasts limit their collections to topics they favor. Stamps depicting space subjects are the most popular at present, Shaw states (Story on page 1. Photos by Don Hughes)

Legal Notice
The State of Alabama
Shelby County
PROBATE COURT
In the matter of the estate of Mary C. Finley Latham, deceased

To Mrs. Annie F. Rose, 209 South Albany St., Tampa Florida 33606; Virgil C. Finley, 4401 N.W. 4th Court, Plantation, Florida 33313; Mrs. Mary Nell Shaw, 420 Meadowlark Drive, Albany, Georgia; Mrs. Byrtle Crowell, 519 Cottage Grove Street, South Bend, Indiana 46616; M-Sgt. Robert Carlton Johnson, 2101 Comanche, Glendale, Arizona 85301; Mrs. Opal Petty, Star Route, Midkiff, Texas 79755; Mrs. Lucille Walthall, 1705 Missouri Street, Houston, Texas 77006; Mrs. Beatrice Cartwright, 609 Ash Street, Teague, Texas 75860; Hershel Finley, 1720 North Highway 288, Clute, Texas 77531; Vernon Finley, Route 3, Teague, Texas 75860; Vivian Burns, Box 68, Ladonia, Texas 75449; James T. Finley, 2101 Yale, Fort Worth, Texas, and Mary Smith, 129 Trumpet Vine, Lake Jackson, Texas 77566,

You will hereby take notice, that on this day came Will Howard Finley and produced to the Court a paper writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Mary C. Finley Latham, deceased, and codicil thereto, and moves the court to admit the said will and codicil to Probate and Record.

You are notified to be and appear before me, at my office in the Court House of said County at Columbiana, Alabama, on the 9th day of January, 1970 at 10:00 A.M., when the motion will be considered, and show, if anything you have to allege, why said paper writing should not be admitted to Probate and record, as the true last will and testament and codicil of said decedent Mary C. Finley Latham

Done and ordered this 8th day of December, 1969.

S/Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate,
Shelby County, Ala.
Dec.11,18,25,'69 †127.

Notice to Contractors
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Sealed bids will be received by the Alabama Highway Director at the office of the Alabama Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 10:00 o'clock A.M., December 19, 1969, and at that time publicly opened for constructing the Grading, Drainage and Bituminous Pavement on the Interchange of I-65 and a county road near the Shelby County Airport. Length - 0.687 mile.

The entire project shall be completed in one hundred (100) working days.

Proposal fee is $5.00. Plans are available for $11.70. Plans and proposals are available in Room 304 of the Highway Department. Plans and proposals will be mailed upon receipt of remittance. No refunds will be made.

Minimum wage rates for this project have been pre-determined by the Secretary of Labor and are set forth in the advertised specifications and are subject to the Work Hours Act of 1962, PL 87-581, and implementing regulations.

Certified check or bid bond for 5% of bid (Maximum - $10,000.00) made payable to the Alabama Highway Department must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith.

The proposed work shall be performed in conformity with the rules and regulations for carrying out the Federal Highway Act.

Plans and Specifications are on file in Room 304 of the Alabama Highway Department at Montgomery, Alabama 36104.

In accordance with the rules and regulations of the Alabama Highway Department, proposals will be issued only to prequalified contractors or their authorized representatives, upon requests that are received before ten o'clock A.M., on the day previous to the day of opening of bids.

The Alabama Highway Department, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act, of 1964 (78 Stat. 252) and the Regulations of the Department of Commerce (15 C.F.R., Part 8), issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the ground of race, color, or national origin.

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Dec.4,11,18 †123.

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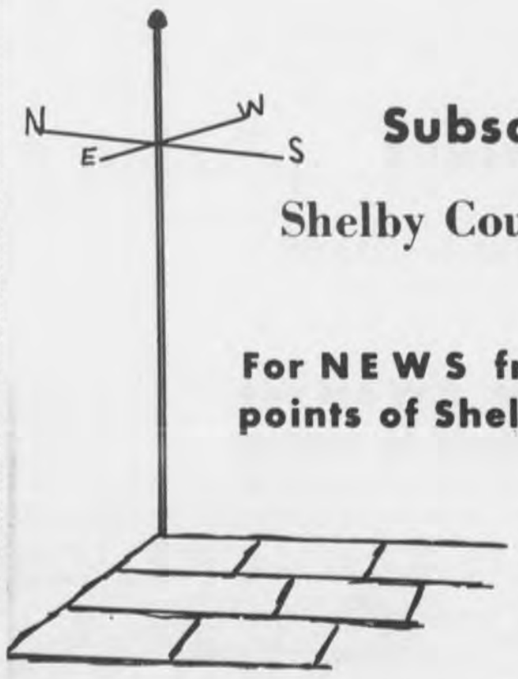

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Estate of Talbert S. Martin Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
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Bessie E. Martin
Administratrix of the Estate of Talbert S. Martin, Deceased
Dec. 11,18,25, †128.

Legal Notice
Completion of Contract

In accordance with Section 16, Title 50, Code of Alabama, 1940, notice is hereby given that Hugh M. Motes, General Contractors, Inc., have completed the contract for the construction of Columbiana and Shelby County Library at Columbiana, Ala., for the Shelby County Library System, Owner, and have made request for final settlement of said contract.

Hugh M. Motes,
General Contractors, Inc.,
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Dec.4,11,18,25,1969 †122.

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Grace Lucas
Executrix of the Estate of T. L. Lucas, Deceased
Dec.11,18,25,1969 †124.

Legal Notice
Estate of John M. Stinson Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 5 day of December, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Frank Ellis, Jr.
Frank Ellis, Jr., Executor of the Estate of John M. Stinson, Deceased
Dec. 11,18,25,1969. †125.

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Completion of Contract

Peyton & Sain Co., Inc., hereby gives notice that they have completed contract with the State of Alabama for construction of Project No. FAS-5904(101) in Shelby County and that the State has set the date for final settlement as January 15, 1970. All claims should be filed at our office in Birmingham, Alabama 2310 - 21st Street before the date set for final settlement.

Peyton & Sain Co., Inc
Birmingham, Alabama
Dec.11, 18, 25,1969; Jan 1 1970 †126

Legal Notice
Estate of Annie Lee McDade Deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 24th day of November, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

John McDade
Administrator of the Estate of Annie Lee McDade, deceased
Nov. 27, Dec. 4,11,1969. †121.

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In loving memory of my dear husband Alster Atchison who passed away 14 years ago today Dec, 10th, 1956.
God beckoned him with his outstretched hands.
And said come with me to heaven's land.
And he was not afraid to go.
Although the path he did not know.
So he took God's hand without fear.
God had safely sent him here,
Had told him he would lead the way
And welcome him back to heaven one day
And so he did not journey alone
To see the land to us unknown.
Yes, oh so gently he took God's hand.
And with him he returned to the Promised land.
And today in heaven with streets of gold.
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Good Morning--

Lighting little candles

By Milton Bird

The first time I saw her she was sitting with Mr. Joe Walker in the hospital at Alabaster. But Joe was sicker than we knew and passed away before another Thursday rolled around. So I didn't see her again for several weeks. And then I saw her again, sitting with another loved-one, Mrs. Lucille Wooten from Helena. Afterward I went with her to visit a friend, Mr. Clyde Bishop from Bishop Creek.

That's the way it was between us, for a few minutes on a Thursday afternoon, in Shelby Memorial Hospital at Alabaster. Because Mrs. Ida Authier, who lives in Alabaster, had found out that giving of one's time lights little candles that shine on you the same as on others.

Maybe that was why, on a Wednesday before a Thursday, a bluebird, high in a bright fall sky, let a song go that drifted away on a little wind, in a place so still and quite I could almost hear the sound of its wings.

And didn't the bluebird know, in some strange way, that I was there, watching for a squirrel that had rustled the leaves in a scaleybark tree forty feet away.

The bluebird gave a song, and Mrs. Ida Authier gave her time. And, looking back, I think that maybe they were the same. Since the important thing, no matter where we run into it, is giving.

There is no other way to light a little candle that will shine on you the same as it shines on others.

Music students present recital

Students from the Katie Parrish Music Studio in Columbiana were presented in a pre Christmas Piano Recital in the Education Building at the First Baptist Church on Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. The Christmas motif was carried out in the artistic table decorations; and songs, carols, piano solos etc were rendered by 33 students who reflected the excellent training they had received under the supervision of Katie Parrish's widely recognized musicianship.

Following the varied program enjoyed by parents, grandparents and friends of the youthful musicians, Miss Kristy Parrish and Miss Deetsie Spires served delectable iced drinks, cakes, candies, nuts and coffee to the guests who expressed their appreciation for this delightful trip into Melodyland.

Mrs. Parrish was assisted in the amenities of the occasion by Mrs. Ann Smith and Mrs. Elsie Hardison.

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Westover welcomes newest member to community

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

As the old year, 1969, is rapidly plunging into past history, I suppose it is a privilege to have mixed emotions in our news media. First, I wish to welcome the tiniest and youngest member of our community's family, Little Miss Angela Denise Goode, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Goode, of Leeds, Route One, and granddaughter of Mrs. Annie Goode, of Westover. Angela was born on December 2, at South Highlands Infirmary. Her mother, the former Miss Faye Sims, of Westover, was formerly employed by the Reporter, and receives our congratulations for this wonderful baby.

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Members of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church have been busy redecorating and refurbishing their parsonage for their new pastor, the Rev. Alan Johnston and Mrs. Johnston. The Johnston's are "moving in" now, and are being warmly welcomed by the members of the church.

Rev. Johnston is a Theological student at Samford University and his wife is also studying at the University. On Sunday afternoon, he was ordained as a minister at the 9th Avenue Baptist Church, in Birmingham. Rev. Herman Parker gave the charge to the church and was assisted by Rev. Knapp, of Chattanooga, Tenn., who gave the charge to the Pastor.

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On Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Gardner (Buddy) were entertained at a tea, from two until four, in honor of their 60th wedding anniversary, at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Homer L. Martin, in Vincent. Mr. and Mrs. Gardner were married on December 5, 1909, at the home of Mrs. Gardner's parents, the late J. H. Kincaids of Calcis, with a Rev. Stephens performing the ceremony.

Besides Mrs. Martin, they have another daughter, Mrs. Gordon Davis, of Vincent. There are nine grandchildren and eleven great - grandchildren.

Mr. Gardner was reared in Westover, and as I often say, "Goodness, we have known each other for 200 years." He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Gardner of Westover.

Among the guests present for this occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Gardner, of Bonifay, Florida and their five children; a sister, Mrs. Nobie Payne, of Columbiana, and a host of other nieces and nephews. There were 85 guests who registered in the guest book.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Smith of Petersburg, Virginia, are guests in the homes of their mother, Mrs. Nell Shelton, and son and family, the Shelton Smiths. It is always a delight to visit with this couple when they come down. We just look forward to the days when Mr. Smith retires and they become permanent residents of our community.

Mr. Bill Thomas is home from St. Vincent's Hospital where he spent several days for exploratory treatments.

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We are always glad when we can say welcome home to the James Hairston families, as they are away so much of the time with their occupations. Mr. Hairston, Senior, has recently undergone surgery, but is recuperating nicely at his home here.

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Montevallo defeats Indian Springs

By Susie DeMent

A thriller from the first whistle, the Montevallo - Indian Springs basketball game last Friday night ended in a third victory for the Bulldogs as they outscored the Springers 57-54.

Playing at Indian Springs, three MHSers hit in double figures with Robert Seay leading the way with 21 points. Jimmy Surface had 12; Danny Wyatt, 10.

Top scorer for the game was Steve Powell of IS, who put in 23 points, 7 of which came at the free-throw line.

Powell scored the first basket from the tip-off to give Indian Springs the lead for 20 seconds. Then a quick basket and a free toss by Surface put the Bulldogs out front until two seconds before the end of the first quarter when Powell again pulled his team ahead 16-15.

The Springers could score only 10 points in the second period, while the Bulldogs hit for 14 to give Montevallo a 29-26 halftime lead.

By the final period the Bulldogs had spread the margin to 50-39; but hitting for only 7 points in that quarter, they saw the losers pull to 55-54 with two seconds remaining. Then when IS knocked the ball out of bounds, Wyatt took the throw-in and was intentionally fouled. The consistent guard laid in two more points after the final whistle had blown.

On the previous night the Bulldogs had defeated the Eagles 85-66 at Calera. Leading scorers in that game were Seay (28) and Anthony Staffney (14). Rick Ousley had 21 points and Rick Plaice 19 for the losers.

Scoring by quarters:

MHS - 24, 20, 17, 24, 85
CHS - 13, 18, 12, 23, 66.

DAR to meet in Montevallo

Mrs. Charles L. Gormley will be hostess, and Mrs. W. C. Weems co-hostess for the meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution, on Monday, December 15th at 7:30 P.M., at the home of Mrs. Gormley in Montevallo. The program will be "The Battle of Horseshoe Bend and Related History of Tallapoosa County," by Mrs. Julia Coley Duncan.

Anyone interested and eligible for membership is invited to attend and join this worthwhile organization.

HARDCOURT ACTION AT U. OF M. - - Jump action comes in the Alabama Collegiate Conference clash between the U. of Montevallo (dark uniforms) and Livingston U. as Falcon forward James Hobbs (45) and L.U. forward Bob Golsby (54) go high for the toss-up. Other U. of M. players shown are (from left) guard Mike Newell (35), forward Bobby Golden (53) and center Bill Rountree (51). Tiger guard Mike Hutto (12) is in foreground. The falcons won 100-91.

UM Falcons hit 100 mark, defeat Livingston University

For the first time this season, the University of Montevallo Falcons hit the century mark when they played host to Livingston University's netsters, Saturday night.

Coach Bill Jones' basketballers chalked up victory number four in downing the visitors from Livingston 100 to 91.

Showing a marked improvement in hitting from the floor and also in charity shots, the Falcons were successful in 53% of their field shots and on 75% of their free throws.

Five Falcons scored in double figures Saturday night. James Hobbs, a 6-6 junior from Athens had 35; Mike Newell, a 6-2 junior from Hueytown had 22; Jimmy Golden, a 6-5 junior from Ozark had 13; Al O'Brien, a 6-4 senior from Chicago had 12; and Bill Rountree a 6-6 senior from Wetumpka had 10.

Mike Newell continues to pace the Falcons in scoring. Newell has netted 126 points in the six games played this season.

Saturday night's contest with Livingston was an Alabama Collegiate Conference game and puts the Falcons one and one in conference play. The U of M is now four wins and two losses overall.

The next home game for Montevallo is set for Saturday night when the Falcons host the Red Wave of Troy State.

Tip off time will be 7:30 on the UM campus.

Wade Morton, Jr. practices in county

Wade H. Morton, Jr., attorney-at-law, has moved to Columbiana to be associated with the firm of Wallace and Ellis.

Morton holds a B. S. degree in commerce and business administration from the University of Alabama and an LL.B. degree from the UA Law School, awarded in 1964.

He saw three years of military duty with the U. S. Army as a captain in the judge advocate general's office. He was awarded the army commendation medal for his legal work at Fort Gordon, Georgia.

WADE MORTON, JR.

Before coming to Columbiana the young attorney practiced law in Tuscaloosa with the firm of Hubbard and Waldrop, handling general trial practice of civil and criminal cases.

His hobbies are hunting, fishing and other outdoor sports.

With our men

Private Larry J. Dorough, 20, has been promoted to grade E-2 on graduation from basic combat training at Ft. Benning, Ga.

A 1968 graduate of Vincent High School, Pvt. Dorough is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Dorough, Rt. 1, Sterrett. His wife, Janet, is from Bessemer.

Seaman Apprentice Joel W. Roberson, USCG, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Roberson of Route 1, Siluria, graduated from recruit training at the Coast Guard Training Center, Alameda, California.

Marine Private Donald W. McWhorter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie P. McWhorter of Route 1, Sterrett and Marine Private Bobby D. Lindley, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Lindley of Route 1, Vincent, have completed the Automotive Mechanic Course at the Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N. C.

Army Pfc. John T. Boykin Jr., whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Boykin, and wife, Virginia, live on Route 1, Shelby, was assigned as an airborne sensor specialist with the 210th Aviation Battalion in Vietnam, Oct. 30.

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Arnold P Freeman	Alabaster
Lewis Richardson	Calera
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Johnny Alfred Lee	Columbiana
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Herschel L DeVinner	Montevallo
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Jerry D B Bunt	Shelby
Clyde R Robinson	Harpersville
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25 years ago--

'The Masquers' present 'Builders of Christmas Fires'

On Friday evening, Dec. 15, "The Masquers" will present in the High School auditorium a playlet bearing the title "Builder of Christmas Fires" - - and a dramatization of "Why the Chimes Rang".

Christmas carols will be sung by the student choir accompanied by Miss Allene Pope.

25 Years Ago

The annual Communion Banquet for men and boys from the Methodist Church will be held in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J.H. Crawford Thursday night at 7:30. All men and boys who worship at this church are urged to attend. The banquet will be followed by Communion at the church, according to an announcement by the Rev. J.M. Holland, pastor.

25 Years Ago

Miss Jessie May Butler has returned to her home in Columbiana following surgery in a hospital in Birmingham.

25 Years Ago

The latest cotton census shows that 3,963 bales of cotton were ginned in Shelby County from the crop of 1944 prior to Dec. 1.

25 Years Ago

Misses Doris Merrell and Margaret Cole, students at A.P.I. have arrived in Columbiana to spend the holidays with their parents.

25 Years Ago

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Rux Carter of Columbiana on Dec. 17, whom they have named Elsie Carolyn. Mrs. Carter and baby are in Jefferson Hospital.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. Gray Goodwin will entertain members of the Culture Club at her home on Dec. 21. This will be the annual Christmas party always enjoyed by members of this organization.

25 Years Ago

The Louisville and Nashville Railroad, one of Alabama's biggest taxpayers came across with its advalorem taxes which amounted to $668,000, a month ahead of the deadline this year.

25 Years Ago

A White Christmas program, arranged by Mrs. P. O. Luck will be presented in the Columbiana Methodist Church Sunday, Dec. 17. All contributions will be given to the Methodist Children's Home in Selma.

25 Years Ago

One of the most patriotic people we have encountered is Mrs. W. D. New, one of the County's older citizens, who lives with her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Veasey at Twin Oaks. Last week, Mrs. New purchased a $1,000 war bond saying she was anxious to help the war effort in any way she could so her grandsons in service could return to their homes as quickly as possible as well as all other members of the armed services.

25 Years Ago

Ruth Kite was hostess at a dinner party Wednesday night when she entertained at her home the following guests: Betty Lyon, Jimmy Curtis, Peggy Lyon, Jerald Edwards, Warren Duke and Durwood Davis.

F. C. Todds retire in Shelby County

Floyd C. Todd and his wife moved to Shelby County 18 months ago, with retirement in mind.

They thus joined the ever-increasing numbers of persons who are deciding on such a move to get away from big city life and get closer to the land.

Todd will retire on December 14 from the U.S. Post Office in downtown Birmingham. He has been with the Post Office for over 33 years.

The eight acres he and his wife purchased in the Dargin Community north of Calera, will keep him occupied in his retirement years.

Already much a part of the community, Mr. Todd is taking an active role in the Concord Baptist Church as superintendent of the adult Sunday School department.

His retirement date coincides with his birthday.

League meets

The Alabaster Suburban League will hold its regular meeting Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the Henry Tolbert's home in Alabaster.

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MEETING THE GOVERNOR - - Members of Shelby County High School band were among the crowd of students surging onto the stage to shake Governor Albert Brewer's hand after his address to the student body last Friday. It was the first time in recent memory that a governor has appeared at the Columbiana school. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Governor Brewer speaks at Shelby County High

By Marcia M. Sears

"You're the most involved, searching, probing generation that ever lived" were the words Governor Albert Brewer used in addressing the Shelby County High School student body Friday morning.

The Alabama Governor received an enthusiastic welcome as he entered the auditorium filled with students. Brewer is the first governor in memory to address a student group in Columbiana.

He hit on a favorite theme as he told the students to prepare themselves educationally and then plan to stay in Alabama to work and provide leadership for their state.

After revealing that his own 14-year-old daughter sometimes refers to him as "Guv-Baby", the Alabama Chief Executive went into a more serious vein pointing out that Alabama has ten per cent of the nation's natural resources, yet represents just two per cent of the nation's territory.

He noted that the state should provide an ever increasing number of opportunities for young people and should establish and maintain a strong ethical and moral tone.

City and county officials seated on the platform were gratified when the Governor told the students, "It's the local officials who really keep the government going. The real foundation of the country is in local government."

The governor was greeted at the school by Montgomery Lokey President of the Student Council, Mr. J. H. Upchurch, Principal, and several local officials. After a flight from Montgomery to the Shelby County Airport, the Governor was driven to Columbjana by State Troopers.

He was accompanied by his executive secretary Robert Cleckler, a former resident of Columbiana.

Dr. John B. Walters elected hospital board chairman

Dr. John B. Walters, Jr., has been elected to the office of Chairman of the Board of Directors of Shelby Memorial Hospital.

He succeeds Herchiel Z. Meadows, who completed serving a two-year term as chairman in late November.

Other officers elected are D. B. Smith of Vincent, vice-chairman; Truitt A. Farris, of Alabaster, secretary and Oscar Harris, Rt. 1, Helena, treasurer.

The new chairman is Dean of the College of Liberal Arts at the University of Montevallo. He has been a member of the hospital board since 1967.

Other members of the Board are: Mr. Herchiel Z. Meadows, Mr. Claudus E. Tidwell, Mr. Eugene Abercrombie, Mrs. Jessie F. McGaughy, Mr. W. A. Henke, Mr. Russell Seay, and Albert L. Scott. Dr. Percy Nolen is an ex-officio member in his capacity of chairman of the county medical association.

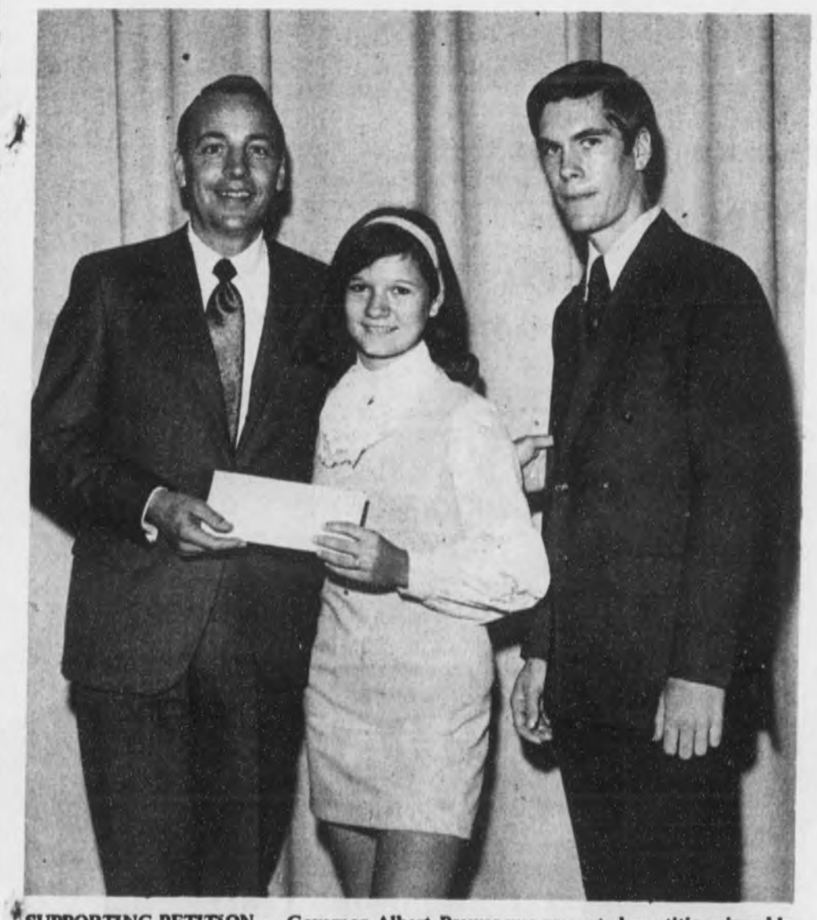
The Shelby County Board of Revenue appoints persons to serve on the hospital board of directors. The directors then elect officers from within the membership. The directors are not paid for their services.

DR. JOHN WALTERS

Santa, Christmas beauties highlight county parades

CALERA CAROLS - - Elected to lead the spirit of Christmas in Calera are, from left, Amelia Golden, Lee Ann Rhodes, Linda Wooten, Junior Miss Christmas Carol; Wanda Gilbreath, Miss Christmas Carol; Tammy Jones, Little Miss Christmas Carol; and Barbara Hewett. They are shown spreading Christmas cheer to the crowd as they ride in the annual Jaycee Christmas parade. The parade signalled the arrival of the Christmas season in Calera. (Photo by Ed Blake)

MONTEVALLO LAUNCHES CHRISTMAS - - Thompson High School's band strikes up a Christmas note in the Montevallo Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade. Five bands from county high schools participated in the event launching the Christmas season in downtown Montevallo. (Photo by Ed Blake)



SUPPORTING PETITION - - Governor Albert Brewer was presented a petition signed by about 250 Shelby County High School students supporting his anti-pornograph campaign by Debbie Burks. The Governor appeared in Columbiana at the request invitation of the Student Council. Montgomery Lokey, Council president is at right.

Vocational school tax approved by 121 votes

The tax to build a vocational high school in Shelby County was approved by the voters by a 121 vote majority.

Official returns from the December 9 election show that the one mill county ad valorem tax for educational purposes was approved by a vote of 914 to 793.

On the other local issue on the ballot, Shelby County voters cast 1,124 votes to continue electing the county superintendent of education as against 781 who wanted the school board to have the power to appoint a superintendent.

Of the 34 proposed amendments to the state constitution on the December 9 ballot, Shelby County voters turned down only five. They voted 951 to 753 against Amendment 6 which would have allowed counties and municipalities to levy property taxes for library purposes.

The firemen's retirement amendment was voted down by 982 to 902. Number 8 on the ballot, this would have provided a tax on insurance premiums for retirement funds.

Amendment 20, allowing the state legislature to consolidate county offices in Talladega county was defeated here by 899 to 398, the biggest defeat of any amendment.

Shelby County voters turned down a trial tax in Russell County to be used for a

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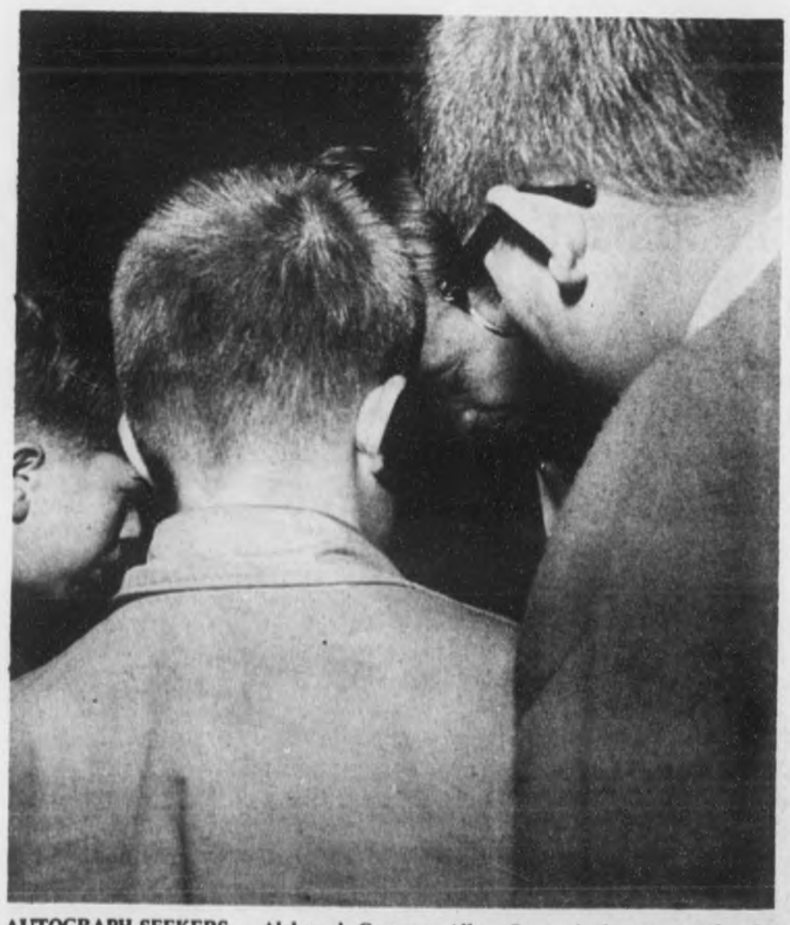
County miners approve Boyle

Coal miners in Shelby County agreed with the national UMW electorate on December 9, approving the election of W. A. "Tony" Boyle over Joseph a Yablonski for the office of national president of the union.

Jake Pitts, President of United Mine Workers 5908 Straven local told The Reporter the local union voted two to one for Boyle. The men who voted all work at Segco Mine No. 2. The union hall is located at Maylene.

The national election is being challenged by Yablonski who indicated he would go to court to challenge the outcome.



AUTOGRAPH SEEKERS - - Alabama's Governor Albert Brewer is almost covered up by admirers seeking his autograph after his address at Shelby County High School. The popular Chief Executive charmed the students, faculty and invited guests in his appearance at the school Friday.

Peter Nagy-Farkas in concert tonight

The premiere performance of Peter Nagy-Farkas' "Variations on a Theme by Thomas Campian" will be a highlight of tonight's concert by the University of Montevallo Symphonic Wind Ensemble.

Composer Nagy-Farkas, a native of Yugoslavia, joined the University of Montevallo faculty in September of last year after a career than included such diverse vocations as performances with the Yugoslavia Symphony Orchestra, working in a French automobile factory, washing dishes in San Francisco and serving as visiting professor at Lewis and Clark College in Portland, Oregon.

During the 1950's Nagy-Farkas, who today is an assistant professor of music at Montevallo, traveled with the Yugoslav orchestra throughout Europe, in the Soviet Union, Red China and elsewhere in the Far East. He was touring the United States when the Hungarian revolution broke out in 1956.

Nagy-Farkas decided at that time he wanted to live in the U. S., but for personal reasons returned to Yugoslavia.

Three years later he defected to the West.

Following participation in a music festival in eastern France, the composer - performer traveled to Paris and received political asylum from the French government.

He then discovered it would have taken him about ten years to enter the U. S. on the Yugoslav quota. But, while living in a Perisian subway and working in an automobile factory, friends advised him to see the cultural affairs attache at the U. S. Embassy.

When Nagy-Farkas told the U. S official he wanted to be a teacher and compose music, arrangements were made for him to receive a grant permitting him to pursue his musical studies in Paris.

This training enabled him to be granted a special permit by the U. S. to enter this country a year later. He was classified as a person who had sufficient professional training to potentially benefit American society.

After arriving in the United States and while attempting to establish musical contacts, Nagy-Farkas found employment as a dishwasher in a San Jose, California grade school and as a part time cook in a Greek-Turkish restaurant in San Francisco.

While teaching part time at the University of Puget Sound in Washington state he completed his work on a master's degree.

Now, an American citizen, the 37 year-old musician moved to Shelby County, Alabama during the summer of 1968 and has been teaching music composition and music theory at the University of Montevallo for the past 16 months.

He began composing the work that will be performed tonight shortly after moving to Alabama. He completed the composition early this fall.

Entitled "Variations on a Theme by Thomas Campian", the composition is described as a contemporary treatment of a theme developed by the 16th century English composer Thomas Campian.

Tonight's concert by the 55-piece symphonic wind ensemble will be directed by John C. Owen.

Concert time is 8:15 p. m. in Palmer Hall Auditorium on the Montevallo campus.

The concert is open to the public, free of charge.

Pelman wreck kills man

Fred Guyce, 43, of Birmingham, was killed in a highway accident Tuesday morning about 6:15.

The two-vehicle collision occured about one-tenth of a mile north of Pelham on Highway 31.

State Trooper Bill Bradshaw was the investigating officer.

Mrs. Preston hosts club

Mrs. Roy Preston was the hostess to the Cahaba Valley Homemakers Club in her home in Cherokee Heights on December 9th. The spirit of the Christmas season was in evidence in the decorations throughout the house.

After a very interesting program, the music chairman led the members in singing Christmas carols, followed by a luncheon. The club would welcome new members, according to Mrs. F. A. Miller, secretary.

YULETIDE SALUTE - - Student field directors of high school bands in Shelby County represent their fellow band members in offering a Yuletide salute to citizens throughout central Alabama. Shown at the University of Montevallo campus prior to the annual Christmas parade in Montevallo are: (l-r, kneeling), Dee Dee Garrett, Montevallo High; Kathy McLeroy, Shelby County High, Columbiana; (standing), Tommy Sanders, Calera High; Gordon Sumner, Thompson High, Siluria; and Mack Allison, Vincent High. Some 250 county bandsmen took part in the parade, formally launching a series of seasonal activities throughout Shelby County.

Columbiana councilmen set new business license schedule

A new schedule of licenses for commercial and professional enterprises is announced this week by the Mayor and City Council of Columbiana.

The revision is the first since 1963. Its chief purpose is to include the manufacturing industries of Columbiana that were not covered by the old ordinance. Manufacturers will pay city licenses based on annual gross sales, the lowest license being $15 and the highest $350 per year.

Attorneys, dentists and doctors' licenses were raised to $70 each. The scale governing licenses to be paid by contractors and builders was revised downward to encourage construction of homes and two family units.

Most other licenses remain the same.

The new schedule was approved by the City Council after a study of ordinances in other cities of similar size in this area and after meetings with representatives of Columbiana's manufacturing industries.

The schedule is thought to be more closely in line with those of similar cities than the former schedule was.

Revises host ASCS party

ASCS Office Employees' annual Christmas dinner and gift exchange was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Revis in Wilsonville, Monday evening Present were Mr. and Mrs. Oland D. Smith, Miriam and Marlin Smith; Mr. and Mrs. George Green; Mr. and Mrs. Don Whitten; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Green and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McDanal.

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Farmers to receive gasoline tax refund

Special provision has been made for refunds of tax on agricultural gasoline bought during the last six months of 1969. On or about January 1, 1970, the county extension chairman will mail to all persons who received a refund during the 1968-69 claim year a form for claiming a refund of tax on gasoline purchased between July 1, 1969 and December 31, 1969. These claims must be filed before February 15, 1970 to be eligible for payment.

Program set

The Bethlehem Baptist church cordially invites everyone to the annual Christmas Program on Monday night December 22nd at 7 p.m.

Mrs. Clifton Jones
Chairman

Shelby County servicemen awarded Bronze Star Medals

Army Sergeant Johnie G. Farmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnie W. Farmer, Columbiana, received the Bronze Star Medal in Vietnam.

Sgt. Farmer was presented the award for meritorious service in connection with military operations against hostile forces in Vietnam, while serving as a mechanic in Headquarters Detachment of the 1st Infantry Division's 121st Signal Battalion.

The presentation was made Nov. 9.

Army Specialist Four Ronald D. Jones, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Jones Jr., Calera, received the Bronze Star Medal near Long Binh, Vietnam.

Spec. 4 Jones was presented the award for meritorious service in connection with military operations against hostile forces in Vietnam while serving as a heavy vehicle operator for the 86th Transportation Company.

He entered the Army in May 1968, completed basic training at Ft. Benning, Ga., and was stationed at Ft. Jackson, S. C., prior to his arrival in Vietnam in October 1968.

The presentation was made on Nov. 22.

Jack B. Styron, Jr. has been promoted to grade E-2 on graduation from basic combat training. Private Styron was assigned to Company B, 4th Battalion, 1st Brigade, United States Army Training Center, Infantry.

Private Styron is a 1969 graduate of Thompson High School, Siluria. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Styron, Sr., Rt. 1, Maylene.

Marine Private First Class William E. Stracner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie M. Stracner of Sterrett, was promoted to his present rank while serving with the Third Battalion, Second Marine Division at Camp Lejeune, N. C.

Sp/5 Hubert Leon Lucas, Jr. arrived in Seoul Korea on Nov. 22 for a year's duty. He is with headquarters company, 2nd Battalion, of the 23rd Infantry. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lucas of Wilton.

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Non-patient care cuts nursing time

The registered nurse spends more time in non-nursing activities than she does in patient care according to a study of registered nurse utilization in Alabama. The study further indicated that only about 20 per cent of all nursing personnel time is actually spent in direct patient care as registered nurses are responsible for many functions for which they are unprepared and which are not direct patient care.

The committee which reported these findings was initiated by the Alabama League for Nursing with the purpose of seeking ways to improve patient care. The committee includes physicians, administrators, a systems and industrial engineer, and nurses from institutions, public health agencies, and nursing education. Mrs. Frances Russey, president of the League, presented the first copy of the study to Larry Corcoran, confidential assistant to Governor Brewer.

According to the study there is a total of 6,897 employed nurses and 1,581 unemployed. Only ARkansas, Mississippi, and Georgia are reported to have fewer nurses per 100,000 population than Alabama. While some nurses have returned to part or full time work after taking Alabama Nursing Association refresher courses, there is limited potential for alleviating the shortage by this method. The study further indicates that the per cent of RN's in total nursing staff is well below the 50 per cent recommended by American Hospital Association studies.

The committee pointed out a number of reasons for the dwindling of time spent by nurses in direct patient care. There is a number of supportive activities traditionally done by the nurse which are not direct patient care. Also new procedures have been added or transferred from physician to nurse. Too, nurses are called upon to perform non-nurse activities on nights, holidays, and weekends when other types of personnel are not present in the hospital.

Among its recommendations the committee suggested that the registered nurses be relieved of all activities other than direct patient care, management and teaching of patients, and teaching of nursing and ancillary personnel who assist in direct patient care. It further recommended that clerical and other supportive assistants be trained to perform non- nursing tasks and relieve the nurses for direct patient care.

FOOT INSPECTION - - Members of Shelby County 4-H Horse Club get some first hand information on how to care for horses feet at their meeting last Saturday. From the left kneeling, Beth Pritchett of Montevallo, Marsha Lefkovits, Columbiana; and Miki Mahan, Montevallo; watch as Carol Brown, Montevallo shows them how to inspect a horse's foot.

New Hope senior citizens meet for Christmas party

New Hope' senior citizens gathered for a Christmas party last week at the New Hope Baptist Church.

This was the fourth meeting of the group, which was organized by the WMU of the church. Mrs. John A. Morton has spearheaded the club.

Time set for meetings is ten A. M. on the fourth Thursday of the month. Activities consist of devotions, handicrafts, lunch and fellowship. Not restricted to Baptists, all senior citizens in the area are invited to join the club and attend the meetings.

Transportation can be arranged. Anyone interested should call Mrs. Morton at 822-3218.

Charles Kunzs host Christmas dinner

By Mrs. J. Carl Glass

Tuesday, December 9, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kunz hosted a Christmas dinner party for members of Calera Garden Club and their guests at Mel-O-Dee Farm. Bridge tables covered with red or green cloths were centered with decorated minature trees.

Club members look forward to this season each year and the pleasure of returning to enjoy the gracious hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Kunz. This dinner party, well on the way to becoming a club tradition, is the highlight of the Garden Club year and serves as an effective reminder that Christmas can't be far away once the dinner invitation is received.

After dinner, guests gathered round the organ to sing Christmas carols led by Mrs. O. G. Eddings accompanied by Mrs. W. L. Lawler at the organ.

Seasonal greenery, and flowers, bright tinsel and glittering ornaments enhanced by candlelight were used effectively throughout the home adding much to the holiday spirit.

Guests for this occasion were Mrs. Louise Hill, Mrs. John Agnesia, Mrs. Fred Widmer, Miss Marion Cotney, Miss Pamela Hill, Miss Maxine Findley, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McClanahan, Mrs. Murray Fancher, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Mahan, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Veasey, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bowdon, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Garrett;

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lawler, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Eddings, Mrs. J. M. Rylant, Mrs. J. Carl Glass, Mrs. Mollie Crowe, Mrs. Dean Holcomb, Mrs. R. J. Mabry, Mrs. K. G. King, Mrs. Marie King, Mrs. E. A. Cartledge.

OBITUARY
Eric L. Samons

Eric L. Samons, Rt. 1, Calera died Dec. 9 at the age of 70 years.

Services were held at the Center Hill Baptist Church with Louis Brasher and Morris Horton officiating.

He is survived by a brother, V. O. Sammons of Calera, and three sisters, Mrs. Amy Blewster, Mrs. Cledy Rogers and Mrs. Flora Northcutt, all of Jemison.

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Horse Club holds meeting

The Shelby County 4-H Horse Club held its regular monthly meeting Saturday, December 13th at the Recreation Building in Columbiana.

The main business on hand was election of officers for this year. Those elected to serve are: Susan McEwen, Columbiana, President; Carol Brown, Montevallo Vice-President; Ann McEwen, Columbiana, Secretary; Marsha Lefkovits, Columbiana and Tony Baker, Harpersville, Reporters.

The planning committee for club activities will consist of the club officers and the following members from each community: Beth Pritchett, Montevallo; Cindy Wallace, Leeds; Danny Johns, Harpersville; and Sally Smith, Columbiana.

Members will be notified of the date of the January meeting later when the club will discuss the gaits of a horse.

OBITUARY
Mary Mashelle Davis

Graveside services were held for Mary Mashelle Davis, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Joe Davis of Calera, on December 11 at the Marbury Cemetery. Rev. Hughie Denton officiating.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Davis, Calera and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rawlinson of Marbury. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Turner of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adams of Marbury.

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SOCIETY NEWS and PERSONAL MENTION

MILDRED WHITE WALLACE, Society Editor

Happiness is Christmas

"Christmas is the season for kindling the fire of hospitality in the hall - - the genial fire of charity in the heart".

December - - Bluebirds - - Christmas - - Happiness Ahead! Don't you love it? The hurrying busy days planning, scheming, shopping, waiting, hoping, dreaming 'bout Old Santa - - that colorful bewhiskered old fellow in the red suit who goes around making all the little children happier for his annual visit? How can anyone fail to believe in him?

Immediately after Thanksgiving almost everyone we know begins making plans for that joyous season known as the Christmas Holidays. Something positively electric gets in the atmosphere. Collegiates begin their tasks a bit more enthusiastically, for they realize that it will soon be "Home-again - time for Christmas" - - Everybody seems to be on the up and up; and as far as "yours truly" is concerned something in me goes absolutely hay-wire. I want everything I see and concentration is a thing of the past. Counting off the calendar days until Dec. 25, is my daily "must-do". Plain old Christmas Spirit, they tell me, is the diagnosis, and when it hits you - - you might just as well get going. There is no such thing as keeping your mind on things that should be done; - it is just the time to do those things you have wanted to do all year but have been "too busy" to get around to them. It is a time when you like to browse leisurely through the stores and chat with friends you seldom see; to take "time out" to ring a few door bells - - smell the fruit cakes cooking - - draw up your chair and chat about memories that surrounded your own childhood days. How vividly they come trooping up for review! Those pre-dawn Christmas mornings when you stood a shadowy little figure on the long winding stairway making your way into a firelit living room to behold the "doll of your dreams" in her own little buggy just waiting for you to take her for a ride - - Memories you never forget! Yes, as long as there are children in the world, so long will there be a Santa Claus to gladden their hearts as they listen for the hoof beats of Santa's reindeers.

Fact is - were we called upon to visualize a wholly christianized universe, it would be a world inspired by the Spirit of Christmas. A bright, friendly, beneficent, generous, sympathetic, helpful world. In this mythical kingdom, there could not tarry anyone who was selfish, envious, hypocritical, or without a firm belief of Christmas in his heart.

Don't you love the legends of the day? The stories, songs, tuneful carols that center around it? The magnificence or the simplicity of the celebration? Don't you get a thrill out of lighting the Christmas tree, or hanging up your stocking, or rejoining your loved ones for feasting around the heavily ladened Christmas dinner table? Don't you enjoy the beauty of the tinsel, glitter, glamour, glorious signs and symbols of the Yuletide? Sure you do!

So - - here's hoping 10,000 years from now Santa Claus will come to make glad the heart of little children and bless the lives of the grown-ups - - After all, the Spirit of Christmas is the most beautiful religion we know - - and the most satisfactory. May it remain with each one of you through all the years to be.

M. W. W.

Delta Kappas honor retired teachers

Dr. Besse Terry, a University Faculty member, who has traveled widely in foreign countries, moderated a panel of students from the University of Montevallo, who described Christmas customs in foreign countries at Delta Kappa's Christmas Party honoring retired teachers. The students were assisted in their presentation by Mr. Joe Di Orio, who is a native of France and is presently teaching French at the University.

French, Spanish, Italian, German and English customs were presented by Dr. Terry, Betty Richards, Stanley Carter, Toni McIlwain and Michael Bacher compared Asian customs with Christmas customs in the Christian countries of Europe.

Mr. Dioro charmed everyone with his rendition of the French song "Voyage A Bethleem" Songs characteristic of other countries were sung by the University Chorus.

Guests were Mesdames Lessie Nivens, Kermit Johnson, Ruth Frederick, Elsie Archer Jones, Annie Lou Fancher and Mrs. W. D. Moore.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses who were, Mesdames Doris Jeter, Charlotte Peterson, Miss Vinnie Lee Walker and Dr. Frances Cannon.

Need volunteers

Gifts for less fortunate children in our town will be packaged at the High School next Tuesday, Dec. 23, at 2:00 P. M. Volunteer help is needed to complete this worthy undertaking. Call Oliver Head or Bob Hume for further information.

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The old home, formerly owned by the late Mrs. Nelle Davis, has been sold to Blankenships who recently opened up a complete Auto Parts business in Columbiana.

MISS MARTHA EARLE OWENS
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Miss Owens to wed Randal McDonald

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ray Owens of Birmingham announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha Earle, to Randal Lewis McDonald, son of Mrs. Roy D. Smith of Birmingham, and James B. McDonald of Los Angeles, California.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James William Burgin and the late Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Newton Owens.

The prospective bridegroom is the grandson of Mrs. William R. Self and the late Mr. Self and the late Mr. and Mrs. John Henry McDonald, all of Brilliant.

A senior at the University of Montevallo, Miss Owens expects to graduate in January. She is a member of Alpha Lambda Delta, Kappa Mu Epsilon, and Lambda Sigma Pi, and is listed in Who's Who among students in American Colleges and Universities.

Mr. McDonald is a graduate of the University of Montevallo where he was a member of Beta Beta Beta, Pi Alpha social fraternity, and is listed in Who's Who among students in American Colleges and Universities. He is currently employed by the Shelby County Board of Education.

The wedding is planned for 7 P.M. Saturday, January 24, at Ensley Highland Presbyterian Church.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wales W. Wallace have returned from a week end visit in Nashville, Tenn., as the guests of Capt. and Mrs. John Allen.

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Friends of Mrs. W. W. Minor will regret to learn that she has entered Baptist Medical Center - Montclair as a surgery patient. Mrs. Marie Lasher, her daughter, from Wilmington, Delaware is in Columbiana to be near her.

Good Neighbors hold bazaar

The Good Neighbor Club of Columbiana held its annual pre-Christmas bazaar on Dec. 9, and were most successful in selling their hand-made articles. The City Hall was a busy place on this date with members of the electorate exercising their right of free expression at the polls, and friends and patrons visiting with the Good Neighbor Club members while shopping for gifts for special people.

During the day chicken sandwiches and coffee were served and approximately $185 was realized from the day's activities.

Miss Linda Gail Brown marries Alan Joseph Leslie of Calera

Miss Linda Gail Brown became the bride of Alan Joseph Leslie in ceremonies at the Wilson's Chapel Church of the Nazarene in Oneonta on December 14.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Brown of Oneonta. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Brown of Oneonta and Mrs. Almedia Fleming and the late Horace Fleming of Altoona.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leslie of Calera. His grandparents were the late Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tovell of London, England and the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leslie.

The bride wore white velvet, reembroidered with lace and seed pearls at the ruffled neckline, sleeves and cathedral train. Her illusion veil was full length and she carried white roses with full length streamers.

Miss Judy Tadlock of Birmingham was miad of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Judy Weatherford of Nashville, Tenn., Linda Leslie of Calera, Patricia Wood and Mrs. Helen Brown of Oneonta. Flower girls were Brenda and Cynthia Brown of Oneonta.

The attendants wore floor length wood green velvet gowns with mint green satin trim. They carried white chrysanthemums.

Best man was David St. Clair of Nashville. Ushers were Wayne Palmer of Calera, Phil Bates, Roy Leslie, and Robert Leslie all of Nashville. Larry and Jeffery Brown of Oneonta were candle lighters.

B. F. Woodall of Gadsden was the officiating minister.

A reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pruetts followed.

The couple will be at home in Nashville where the groom attends Belmont College.

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Columbiana PTO adopts new constitution, by-laws

The evening of December 9th became a significant historical date for Shelby County High School and Columbiana Elementary School for on this date the Columbiana Parent- Teacher Organization (PTO) Constitution and Bylaws was adopted. An enthusiastic ceremony of signing the constitution and bylaws followed the adoption. Preceding the adoption, the organization voted to waive requirement of membership dues for the remaining few months of the school year. Devotional thoughts on "The Partnership of Parents and Teachers" were brought by Reverend Raymond Scroggins. He reminded parents and teachers of their joint responsibility in "training up the child in the way he should go."

Coffee and cake were served from a beautifully appointed tea table in the Christmas Season motif by Mrs. Harry L. Phillips, hospitality chairman, and her committee. The meeting was adjourned to meet on January 13 at the Shelby County High School.

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New Arrival in Blalock Home in Atlanta

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Blalock (Gay Clark), former residents of Columbiana, now residing in Atlanta, Ga., announce the arrival of a son who was born in Piedmont Hospital on the evening of Dec. 12, 1969. They have named this "baby-makes-three" to their family circle, William Kirk Blalock.

Grandparents in Columbiana, Mr. and Mrs. William Clark, left for Atlanta, immediately after hearing of his arrival to experience the thrill of meeting their first grandchild. Had Little Kirk waited to arrive on this old topsy turvy ball of a world - just a few more hours, he and his maternal grandmother would have shared the same brith date (Dec. 13).

Grandparents in Wilsonville sharing the happiness this announcement brings include Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Blalock.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank (Butch) Ellis are enjoying a pre-Christmas visit in New York this week. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellis Sr., are enjoying a visit from their two "adorables" Kelly and Kristy - who are livening up the home of their grand-parents during the absence of their parents.

Don DeVos guest director at First Baptist Church

Don DeVos, a native of Grand rapids, Mich., who has recently returned with his family to Birmingham, was presented as guest director of music for both morning and evening services in the First Baptist Church last Sunday.

Mr. DeVos is a graduate of Moody Bible Institute, Chicago; and was co-founder of the Youth for Christ movement and a member of the first overseas team. He has also served as Music-Education Director, Calvary Church, Grand Rapids. For three years he was associated with the Haggai Evangelistic Association. He has also frequently appeared on radio, tv and conducted mass rallies in his music ministry. He was accompanied by his wife. They have four children and now reside in Hoover.

Mr. DeVos was invited to return next Sunday and will likely be with the choirs until a permanent Minister of Music may be found.

Waltons to visit in Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Walton are leaving this weekend for Oklahoma to spend the holidays with Mrs. Walton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Broomhall who live near Tulsa.

Going along to have a big Western Christmas with their grandparents, are the Walton children, Connie, Gret, Don and Parry.

There'll be visiting all around as they also see Mrs. Walton's two sisters and four brothers and their families. Mrs. Velma Glass will accompany the family from Columbiana.

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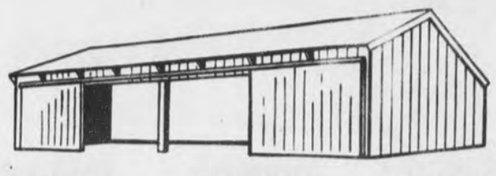

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Legal Notice
Completion of Contract

Peyton & Sain Co., Inc., hereby gives notice that they have completed contract with the State of Alabama for construction of Project No. FAS-5904(101) in Shelby County and that the State has set the date for final settlement as January 15, 1970. All claims should be filed at our office in Birmingham, Alabama 2310 - 21st Street before the date set for final settlement.

Peyton & Sain Co., Inc
Birmingham, Alabama
Dec.11, 18, 25,1969; Jan 1 1970 †126

Legal Notice
Estate of John M. Stinson Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 5 day of December, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Frank Ellis, Jr.
Frank Ellis, Jr., Executor of the Estate of John M. Stinson, Deceased
Dec. 11,18,25,1969. †125.

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FOR SALE: Mare pony, cart and bridle, $125. Will hold to Christmas. Call after 3 p.m. 668-0804. Tfc

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12-11,18,p

FOR SALE: 1963 Chevrolet, four-door, new paint, must sell before Christmas. Call 663-0778. 12-18,c

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FOR SALE - One 5-speed Sears 124 Motorcycle, 1700 actual miles. $200 cash. Can be seen at Ralston's Amoco Service Station Hwy 25 - 669-6264 12-11,c

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We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for your generous appreciation for the food, flowers, cards and especially the prayers during my hospital stay and while I'm still at home.

J.M.(Buddy) Allen

IN MEMORIAM

In Memory of Milton Leeford Umfinger, whom we have lost since last Christmas.

We knew not when we arose that morn
The sorrow that day would bring
A Dear One from us is gone
A voice we loved is still
There is a vacant place in our hearts
That no one else can fill.
Others knew not and some cared not
How much you suffered
We comfort ourselves as here we remain
To know that you are through with suffering and pain.
Some may think we have forgotten
When at times they see a smile
Little do they know the heartaches
That our smiles hide all the while.
There is a lonely heartache
And many a silent tear
But we have our memory of the One
We loved so dear.

Wife, Tomlyn and boys, Jimmie and Lyn.

Notice is hereby given that the **Mayor and Council** adopted the following ordinance at its regular meeting on **December 4, 1969.**

ORDINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBIANA, ALABAMA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That every person, firm, company, corporation or association who shall engage in any business, vocation, occupation, profession, trade or calling hereinafter enumerated, or who shall exercise any privilege for which a license tax is required within the corporate limits of the City of Columbiana, or within the police jurisdiction thereof, shall pay to the Clerk of said City for the exercise of such privilege the amounts hereinafter provided, and in addition, shall, where required, make such reports and give true statements of the gross amounts of business done, upon which such license or privilege tax may be determined, and shall comply with the provisions of this Ordinance.

1. Advertising, each agent . . . $25.00
2. Abstracts, each person or company furnishing or making abstracts to land . . . 15.00
3. Accountant, each . . . 15.00
4. Accountant (Income tax accountant, temporary) . . . 5.00
5. Agents, each agent, or dealer or business for which a specified license is not provided for shall pay as follows:
   A. Per year . . . 25.00
   B. Per week . . . 10.00
   C. Per day . . . 5.00
6. Amusements, devices for each . . . 10.00
7. Architects or superintendents, each on construction whether by contract, commission or by day . . . 15.00
8. Attorney at Law, each . . . 70.00
9. Auctioneers, for each person selling real or personal property unless under mortgage or jurisdiction authority . . . 15.00
10. Automobile, each dealer in new or second-hand cars, car agent or salesman . . . 25.00
    Automobile accessories, each dealer . . . 15.00
12. Automobile repair shop, each . . . 10.00
13. Automobile, drive it yourself, each firm . . . 25.00
14. Auto junk yard . . . 25.00
15. Antique shop . . . 15.00
16. Bankrupt sales or fire stock selling or advertising for sale of goods or autos . . . 50.00
17. Banks. Each bank operated in the City shall pay a license as provided by Title 37 Section 747 Code of Alabama, 1940 as amended
18. Barber shops, each chair . . . 5.00
19. Barber Supplies, dealer or agent . . . 15.00
20. Batteries, each truck . . . 5.00
21. Beauty Parlors, each operator . . . 5.00
22. Bond agents, each person or company making or selling or furnishing appearance or security bonds in said City, a minimum license of $10.00, which shall be an adjustment at the expiration of each year upon a percentage basis of 4 per cent of the gross premium, less the return premium collected by each company during the year.
23. Bottle drinks, each retailer in coca cola and other bottle drinks . . . 2.50
24. Box ball, bowling alleys, each . . . 25.00
25. Brick, lime, coal, sand and/or cement, each dealer in, not paying a business license . . . 15.00
26. Bill boards, each bill board used for advertising . . . 25.00
27. Brokers, each agent . . . 10.00
28. Butane gas and other gases, each person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of distributing, selling or developing butane gas or propane gas or other gases (not including gasoline kerosene or gas distributed through a regular gas pipe distribution system) . . . 50.00
29. Cattle dealer, each . . . 5.00
30. Carnival, dramatic or vaudeville show, for either A. Per day . . . 50.00
    B. Per week . . . 250.00
31. Chemical and cleaning supplies, each agent or solicitor therefor . . . 15.00
32. Chiropractors, each . . . 15.00
33. Cigarettes, each dealer in . . . 2.50
34. Cigars, snuff and tobacco, each dealer in . . . 2.50
35. Circus or shows in tents, each ring . . . 250.00
    A. For each additional ring over one . . . 25.00
    B. Each exhibit or side show . . . 10.00
36. Cleaning, self-service, dry-cleaner, each . . . 50.00
37. Cleaning or pressing shops, each operating in City . . . 50.00
38. Cleaning or pressing truck, each operation in City . . . 100.00
39. A. Contractors and builders operating in said city shall pay as follows: builders of one or two family unit residential buildings an annual license of . . . 100.00
This shall include builders working on an hourly basis or cost plus basis.
B. Contractors or builders of industrial or commercial buildings shall pay $2.50 per $1,000.00 on amount of contract.
Apartment houses or more than two family units are to be considered commercial property.
C. In addition to the above, the property owners shall obtain a building permit for any building or addition to existing buildings for $2.00 per $1,000.00 on contract before building begins.
40. Concerts, show for entertainment not otherwise provided for herein, per day or per night . . . 50.00
41. Coffins or caskets, each dealer in either . . . 15.00
42. Cosmetics, beauty supplies, dealer or agent . . . 15.00
43. Cotton buyers, each when not paying merchandise license . . . 15.00
44. Cotton gins, each . . . 10.00
45. Cotton seed, each dealer in . . . 10.00
46. Corn or grist mills, each . . . 10.00
47. Cross ties, each dealer in . . . 10.00
48. Curb Market . . . 15.00
49. Dairy . . . 25.00
50. Dentist, each . . . 70.00
51. Doctors and physicians, each . . . 70.00
52. Druggist, stock of $1,000 or less . . . 15.00
    (Each additional $1,000 or fraction) 5.00
53. Electric supplies and/or appliances, each dealer in . . . 25.00
54. Electrician, each . . . 10.00
55. Express Companies, each . . . 25.00
56. Fireworks, prohibited
57. Florist, each florist or other dealer in flowers or agent for . . . 10.00
58. Fortune teller, each fortune teller, palmist, clairvoyant or sleight of hand performer or public entertainer or like kind, operating for profit (except when operating with street fair or other similar concern which shall have paid license to the City for some current period and included such person among the devices paid for week or shorter term) Per day . . . 50.00
59. Fruit and produce peddlers (unless produced on own farm) Per day . . . 2.00
    Per year . . . 15.00
60. Flying jennies, each, per week . . . 15.00
61. Gasoline, filling stations, for each pump, filler or stand . . . 5.00
62. GAsoline, each wholesaler in gasoline, kerosene or motor oil . . . 50.00
63. Gypsies, or traders, each person or company who travels from place to place, lives in tents or vehicles and who are transits and who trade in horses or mules, per day . . . 10.00
64. Heading Mills . . . 25.00
65. Horse or mule dealer, each . . . 10.00
66. Hotels or boarding houses, each . . . 5.00
67. House moving, per house . . . 15.00
68. Ice Machines, each . . . 5.00
69. Ice Plants, each dealer in or manufacturer of ice for sale . . . 10.00
70. Insurance- The term "Insurance Companies", as used in this Ordinance shall be construed in the same manner and to the same extent as provided in Schedule 59, Section 361 of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Alabama, approved September 15, 1919;

(a) For doing business in the City of Columbiana, Alabama, during the year 1970 and each successive year, until amended or repealed, except as hereinafter provided, by agents or otherwise, each fire or marine insurance company shall pay as a privilege license or tax, four per cent (4%) of the gross permiums, less return premiums, on property located in said City on policies issued during the preceding year, provided that such percentage shall not exceed $4.00 on each hundred dollars and major fraction thereof, such gross premiums, and no deduction of credit of any kind shall be allowed or made on account or because of reinsurance by said company in a company not authorized to do business in said City; provided that any company which has not done business in said city for the preceding year shall pay as a privilege license or license tax for the year, subject to adjustment at the end of the year, on the basis of percentages above mentioned on account of the gross premiums on policies issued during the year on property located in said city, less return premiums, the sum of $10.00; provided, such percentage shall not exceed 4 per cent of the gross premiums, less return premiums, Insurance other than fire or marine, each insurance company other than fire or marine company, doing business in the City of Columbiana, shall pay as a privilege license for doing business in said City, the sum of $10.00 and $1.00 on each hundred dollars or major fraction thereof of the gross premiums, less the premiums returned by cancellation, received by it on policies issued during the preceding year to citizens residing within said municipality.
71. Jewelers, each . . . 15.00
72. Junk Dealers, each dealer in scrap iron, sacks or hides, etc. . . . 10.00
73. Kerosene, only delivered and sold in wholesale . . . 10.00
74. Laundry plant . . . 50.00
75. Laundry, self-service . . . 50.00
76. Literature, Pamphlets, books . . . 10.00
77. Live fish bait, each dealer in (not paying store license . . . 15.00
78. Loan agent, any person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of lending money on salaries, or making personal loans or lending money secured by mortgages on personal property 25.00
    Lending money on real estate . . . 25.00
79. Logs, timber and/or pulpwood, any person, firm or corporation loading or shipping same from within a point within the city of Columbiana or within the police jurisdiction thereof . . . 50.00
80. Lumber Dealers, each . . . 10.00
81. Lumber exporters, each person, firm or company dealing in shipping lumber or shingles . . . 25.00
82. Mattress renovator . . . 10.00
83. Meat markets, each . . . 15.00
84. Meat Dealers, in connection with business or restaurant . . . 15.00
85. Merchants -every person, corporation or association engaged in merchandising: (a) Where the maximum amount of stock on hand at any time during the preceding year (or if the applicant is beginning business, the amount of stock he expects to carry) to be verified by such person or its representative, if a firm, association or corporation, under oath to the Clerk, is not over one thousand dollars, the privilege license shall be . . . 15.00
(b) When such stock is over one thousand dollars, the tax shall be $5.00 on each additional thousand dollars of stock.
NOTE: The taking out of the license provided for in this paragraph shall not exclude a person doing so from paying any other license herein required.
86. Medicine agents, each person or agent selling or soliciting orders for patent medicine who does not pay a druggist's license or merchant's license. Per day . . . 5.00
87. Mills:
    Pianing Mill, each . . . 20.00
    Sawmill, each . . . 15.00
88. Monuments or markers . . . 15.00
89. Morticians, each . . . 15.00
90. Motion pictures (houses or theaters) each . . . 25.00
91. Music machines . . . 15.00
92. Newspapers and/or Printing Offices, each . . . 15.00
93. Nurseries, landscape gardeners . . . 15.00
94. Opticians, each . . . 15.00
95. Patent Medicine-sale or distributor of, who does not pay a druggist's license or a merchant's license . . . 15.00
96. Passenger cars or buses hauling passengers,each . . . 15.00
97. Peanut or popcorn roaster . . . 1.00
98. Photographers, each . . . 15.00
99. Piano or organ dealers, residence . . . 10.00
100. Piano tuner . . . 2.00
101. Plumbers, each . . . 10.00
102. Pool tables, each . . . 50.00
103. Pool tables, miniature, each . . . 12.50
104. Public utilities, each person, firm or corporation or association operating a public utility such as electric light or power plant interurban or street railway operated by electricity or other motive power, gas plant, heating plant, water plant or other public utility, except those licensed otherwise or exempted by law, and except as may be operated by the State and its institutions or by the City, shall pay a privilege license tax of three per cent (3%) of its annual gross income in the City and shall pay a license tax of 1½ per cent (1½%) of its annual gross income within the police jurisdiction of said City.
105. Quick Freeze plant, each . . . 15.00
106. Radio and/or television repair service not specifically covered . . . 15.00
107. Railroad, each doing business in said City . . . 25.00
108. Real Estate Agent, each . . . 15.00
109. Recapping tires, each shop or agent dealing in . . . 10.00
110. Restaurants, cafes or lunch stands, each . . . 17.50
111. Sandwich stands in drug stores, each . . . 12.50
112. Sewing machine agents or dealers, each . . . 25.00
113. Script dealers - each dealer in county or state claims . . . 15.00
114. Shoe Shop repair, each . . . 15.00
115. Shooting galleries, each . . . 100.00
116. Soda founts, each . . . 10.00
117. Taxi, transfer, etc. - Any firm, corporation or association doing business of transporting a person or thing from one point in said city for profit or for which a charge is made (not including animal drawn vehicles, railroads, express companies or mail carriers.)
For each five-passenger vehicle employed . . . 15.00
It shall be the duty of each person, firm, corporation or association applying for such license under this schedule to designate upon the license and the stub thereof the State tag number, the make of the vehicle and the motor number of any and every motor propelled vehicle for which license is issued; provided, that if, in the course of a year, the number of the State license tag is changed on any licenses vehicle, such change and number shall be reported to the Clerk and substituted on the license and the stub by the Clerk for the original number thereon; provided, further if any licensee hereunder shall desire to change any licensed vehicle for another, he shall apply to the Clerk, who is hereby authorized to change the licensed motor number of the substitute vehicle and substitute in lieu thereof the license number so changed. It shall be unlawful to operate any vehicle for which license is hereby required, the State tag number and motor number and description of which do not appear on the license thereof.
Before said license is issued, any applicant for such license shall first obtain any permit or franchise which may be required by the State of Alabama and which may be required by the City of Columbiana for the operation of a taxi within its corporate limits.
118. Telegraph companies - each doing business in said city . . . 10.00
119. Telephone companies - each operating in said city . . . 60.00
120. Telephone companies - each operating long distance pay stations in said city doing interstate business . . . 15.00
121. Tourist courts, each . . . 15.00
122. Trading stamps . . . 10.00
123. Trucks, wagons or automobiles - each selling or delivering merchandise to licensed merchants retail and other merchants wholesale . . . 15.00
124. Trucks, wagons or automobiles - each selling or delivering automobile accessories and/or parts to garages . . . 15.00
125. Trucks hauling freight - each . . . 25.00
126. Trucks - Each person, firm, corporation or motor transportation company who unloads, delivers, distributes or disposes of any goods, wares, merchandise or produce in the City of Columbiana, which said goods, wares, merchandise or produce were transported from a point without the City of Columbiana to a point within the City of Columbiana; provided, however, this paragraph shall not apply to any Motor Carrier as defined by the Motor Carrier Act of 1939, as amended . . . 25.00
127. Transit Dealer, who does not maintain regular established business in the city . . . 25.00
128. Veterinary surgeons, each . . . 15.00
129. Vending machines:
    1¢ . . . 1.00
    5¢ . . . 2.00
    10¢(product included) . . . 3.50
    25¢(product included) . . . 7.50
130. Warehouses, each . . . 10.00
131. Wood working shops, each . . . 10.00
132. Watch repair shop . . . 10.00
133. Wrestling & boxing matches, each . . . 10.00
134. All other businesses, professions, occupations or callings not herein specified shall pay a license as follows:
    Per Year . . . 25.00
    Per Month . . . 10.00
    Per Week . . . 7.50
    Per Day . . . 5.00
135. Manufacturers of any products within said city shall pay a license based on their gross sales at the following rate:

Annual gross sales up to $15,000.00	15.00
Annual gross sales up to $15,000.00 - $25,000.00	30.50
Annual gross sales up to $25,000.00 - $50,000.00	45.50
Annual gross sales up to $50,000.00 - $100,000.00	75.50
Annual gross sales up to $100,000.00 - $500,000.00	150.00
Annual gross sales up to $500,000.00 - $1,000,000.00	225.50
Annual gross sales up to $1,000,000.00 and over	350.00

SECTION 2. Except as herein specifically provided, all license required in this Ordinance shall be for one year and shall become due the 1st of January, and shall be delinquent in the sense in which such term is hereinafter used, if not paid by the 1st of February. All other license shall, unless otherwise provided, become delinquent if not paid before the business is engaged in or the act done for which the same is required.

SECTION 3. All licenses shall be issued by the Clerk of the City. There shall be a fee of fifty cents (50¢) for the issuance of each license to be paid by the licenses.

SECTION 4. If any person shall become delinquent in the payment of the license required herein, he shall pay a penalty of fifteen per cent (15%) of the amount of the same for each month or fractional part thereof of such delinquency, such penalty to be added to the amount of the license.

SECTION 5. Any person, firm or corporation engaging in or carrying on the business or doing any of the acts for which license is hereby required, without first having paid said license, shall upon conviction, be fined not more than One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) and may be imprisioned in the City Jail or sentenced to hard labor for said City for not more than 90 days. In the event of any appeal and conviction in the Circuit Court, the Judge of said Court on the trial of said appeal, shall have the power to impose said jail sentence or sentence to hard labor.

SECTION 6. Any person making a false affidavit to any statement required herein to be furnished to the Clerk or Mayor shall, upon conviction be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars (100.00) and may also be sentenced to imprisonment or hard labor for the City for not more than 90 days.

SECTION 7. If any provision of this Ordinance shall be held by any Court to be invalid or illegal, it shall not effect the validity of other legal provisions.

SECTION 8. If any license herein levied is by the Court declared unconstitutional, it shall in no way affect the legality of constitutionality of any other license thereunder.

SECTION 9. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same are hereby repealed.

SECTION 10. This Ordinance shall be published in the Shelby County Reporter, a newspaper published in Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, as provided by law.

SECTION 11. The provisions of this Ordinance shall continue in full force and affect from year to year unless repealed or amended by subsequent act of the City Council.

This ordinance duly passed and adopted on the 4th day of December, 1969.

CITY OF COLUMBIANA
By Robert M. Bolton, Mayor
December 18, 1969. †130.

Legal Notice
Estate of Talbert S. Martin Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 9 day of December, 1969, by the Hon. C. M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Bessie E. Martin
Administratrix of the Estate of Talbert S. Martin, Deceased
Dec. 11,18,25, †128.

Legal Notice
Estate of Minnie F. Houlditch Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased haivng been granted to the undersigned on the 13th day of November, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

J. A. Brown, Jr.
Karl C. Harrison
Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Minnie F. Houlditch, deceased
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Legal Notice

Pursuant to the provisions of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, notice is hereby given that the Shelby County Advertising Corporation licensee of Class C broadcast station WBYE, Calera, Alabama is required to file with the FCC, no later than January 2, 1970, an application for renewal of its license to operate station WBYE, on 1370 kilocycles.

The officers, directors and owners of 10% or more of the stock are Ralph W. Sears, president; Marcia M. Sears, vice president and Marion P. Jones, secretary-treasurer.

Members of the public who desire to bring to the Commission's attention facts concerning the operation of the station should write to the FCC, Washington, D. C. 20554, not later than February 2, 1970. Letters should set out in detail the specific facts which the writer wishes the Commission to consider in passing on the application. A copy of the license renewal application and related material will, upon filing with the Commission, be available for public inspection at WBYE's studios located on Alabama Highway 25, Calera, Alabama between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p. m.

DISTRICT BREED CHAMPION - - John Baker, Montevallo was presented an Award at the Holstein State Meeting in Montgomery last Friday for showing the Grand Champion Holstein Cow in the Birmingham District Dairy Show. Harold Miller, Vincent, Sec.-Treasurer Alabama Holstein-Friesian Association presents John a framed picture of his cow with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Baker looking on.

Baptist choirs plan Christmas program

Choirs from the First Baptist Church will present a Christmas Message in song at 5 o'clock P. M. directed by Don De Vos. The Choirs at the Columbiana Methodist Church will present a White Christmas program at 7 o'clock P. M. directed by Bill Parrish and Sue Phillips.

The public is invited to share both programs.

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The names suggested by the Nominating Committee of the Baptist Church for a Music Committee to be approved or receive other nominations for this position next Wednesday evening include: John Rush, Ray Argo, Rena Davis, Mable Joiner, Jeannie Turner and Homer Joiner. Other nominations may be - - at this time - named from the congregation present. A vote will be taken and those receiving the highest number of votes, will, of course be the 1970 Committee.

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The marriage of Miss Patricia Gladney and Travis Carl Coleg will be solemnized in the First Baptist Church next Saturday at 6:30 P.M.

Miss Weldon tea honoree

The Liberty Baptist Church Fellowship Hall furnished the Yuletide setting for a miscellaneous tea on last Sunday afternoon, Dec. 14, from 2 to 4 o'clock when Nell Fowler, Pat Autry, Lanette Shirley, Margaret Holcombe, Margaret Stubbs, Charlene Thrasher, Linda Snyder, June Niven, Fern Little and Wilodean Spradlin were hostesses honoring bride-elect Bunny Mae Weldon.

The tables were artistically decorated, featuring red carnation floral arrangements. The traditional Christmas Poincettias were placed throughout the Hall.

A number of friends called and lovely gifts were presented the bride-to-be of Mr. Donald Milroy Cox Jr.

Chelsea News

Mrs. Jemima F. Kendrick of Rt 1, Chelsea recently had a houseful of guests from Roanoke who came to help her celebrate her birthday. Among her guests were two sisters, three nieces and a brother in law. Later in the week Mr. and Mrs. Claude Blackmon came by to pay her a birthday visit.

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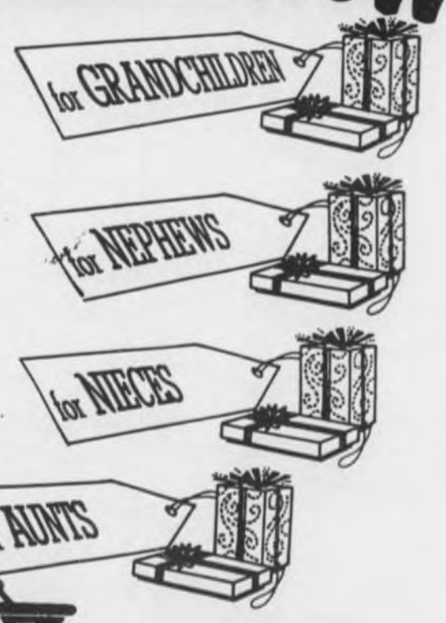

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By Selective Service–

Questions answered on new random selection

(Editor's Note: As a public service, and because of widespread interest in problems which face most Alabamians, the Shelby County Reporter carries this article, one of a series which answers questions most asked of the State Selective Service System.)

State Selective Service Director Hugh J. Caldwell, Jr., states that many questions are being received at State Headquarters concerning the new random selection sequence.

The following questions and answers concerning this new draft procedure relate to the areas in which it is believed there is the greatest public interest:

Q: My birth date was drawn number 216 in the lottery. I am in school and will be until June 1973. Will the 216 number apply when I enter the pool in 1973 or will that year's number control?

A: The random selection sequence number you acquired in the December 1969 drawing will apply so long as you remain subject to induction for military service.

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Q: presently I am in Class II-A but this deferment will expire on February 28, 1970. I have number 306 from the lottery. I will become 26 on May 1, 1970. If the local board does not reach my number before my 26th birthday, what will my status be?

A: If the local board has not reached your number before your 26th birthday, you will, upon reaching age 26, leave the pool of those available for induction as part of the 1970 first priority selection group.

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Q: If a local board must select three men to fill a call today for five, all of whom have the same birthday, which three would they take?

A: In the event that two or more men have the same birth date within a local board, their sequence of induction will be determined by the first letter of their names (last name and, if necessary, first name) in an alphabetical order.

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Q: Next February, I will turn 19. Do I enter the lottery pool on that date?

A: No. You won't be included in the random selection sequence until 1971. The 1970 pool is limited to those born on or after January 1, 1944 and on or before December 31, 1950.

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Q: Will there be any more drawings?

A: Yes. A new random sequence will be made for each calendar year for those registrants attaining the age of 19.

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Q: My birthday in the lottery gave me sequence number 325 and I will be in Class I-A next year. Can I count on not being inducted in 1970?

A: No, because the total manpower requirements are not known and cannot be reasonable estimated at this time.

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Q: I have random sequence number 75. When my local board inducts me will other local boards be inducting registrants with this same sequence number?

A: Not necessarily. It is expected that all local boards will be proceeding at about the same pace, but because local boards have varying percentages of their registrants in deferred status, and do not have the same number of registrants with the same birthdays, they may not be inducting at any one time all available registrants with a particular random sequence number.

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Q: I have sequence number 250. If I want to volunteer for induction, will my local board wait until they reach sequence number 250 before they will accept me as a volunteer?

A: No. They may accept you as a volunteer prior to reaching your random sequence number in the induction processing.

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Q: I am 19 years old and now deferred as a student. My random sequence number is 300. If sequence number 300 is not reached in 1970 in my local board, will I be home free when my deferment ends in 1973?

A: No. If at the time you are classified I-A in 1973 your local board has not reached sequence number 300 in their induction processing, you will simply be placed in that sequence and you may or may not be reached for induction in 1973. You will still have sequence number 300. If at the time you are classified I-A your local board has reached random sequence number 300 in 1973 you will be subject to induction at the head of the 1973 selection group.

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Q: Will registrants now postponed be in the random selection?

A: No. The postponed registrant has already been ordered for induction under the old system and will be inducted when the postponement ends.

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Q: Can a man whose birthday is drawn early in the drawing still join the Reserve?

A: Yes. Just as now, he can join a Reserve Unit any time before the induction order is issued.

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Q: What about volunteering for active duty?

A: The policy is to authorize enlistment for active duty at any time up to the day of induction.

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Q: What is the situation of a registrant who is in I-A for the first part of the year, but enters college in September and requests and gets a student deferment?

A: If his random sequence number has not been reached, he goes out of the group to return when no longer deferred to the current group. If his random sequence number HAS been reached, but he has not been issued an order to report for induction, the local board may defer him for college and he would then reenter the selection group in the year he again lost his deferment.

Q: I am 19 years old, have no basis for deferment, and have sequence number 300. If I am not inducted in 1970, can I be inducted in 1971 or in subsequent years?

A: You are liable for induction to age 26 or to age 35 if you are or have been deferred. In 1971 you will have a decreased vulnerability. However, if the calls for manpower in 1971 are so high that they cannot be met by the 1971 selection group, the local boards will then select from the supply of manpower that might be left over from 1970. As each year goes by without your induction taking place you will have a decreasing vulnerability.

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Greens entertain at Christmas dinner

Mr. and Mrs. George Green entertained at their home in Columbiana Sunday with a family Christmas dinner. All members of the family and other relatives of the family were present.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Luther McGiboney, Jr., and Michael McGiboney: Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bishop and Jenny Bishop: Mr. Joe Thames: Mrs. W. H. McGiboney, Johnny and Benny McGiboney: Misses Emilie Maddox and Carol Stanley, all of Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerre Reynolds, Cathy, Gerre Jr. Amy and Richey Reynolds of Alex City: Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bohanon, Jenny Kay, Judy, and James Bohanon and Miss Pat Beers of Atlanta, Georgia: Mr. and Mrs. Luther McGiboney: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Legg, Mrs. J. W. McGiboney, Mr. and Mrs. Huston Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Lapsley Holcombe and Mrs. Melvin Gunter all of Columbiana.

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County voters for most amendments

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law library in that county. The vote on this amendment, number 31, was 621 to 564.

County voters were also against Amendment 33 which would have allowed Birmingham to lease or alienate public parks, The vote was 725 to 471.

The official returns on the amendments that county voters approved are as follows:

No. 1, making it possible for a state board of education to appoint the state superintendent of education, 1008 to 991.

No. 2, allowing servicemen to register by mail to vote, 1285 to 568.

No. 3, 853 to 828.
No. 4, 1095 to 761.
No. 5, 842 to 833.
No. 7, 805 to 753.
No. 9, 828 to 799
No. 10, 782 to 671.
No. 11, 781 to 652.
No. 12, 814 to 641.
No. 13, 785 to 626.
No. 14, 770 to 639.
No. 15, 763 to 646.
No. 16, 797 to 612
No. 17, 798 to 615
No. 18, 730 to 679.
No. 19, 756 to 528.
No. 21, 726 to 517.
No. 22, 725 to 514.
No. 23, 698 to 546.
No. 24, 698 to 522.
No. 25, 710 to 518.
No. 26, 722 to 500.
No. 27, 728 to 545.
No. 28, 705 to 504.
No. 29, 664 to 538.
No. 30, 714 to 500.
No. 32, 677 to 510
No. 34, 714 to 511.

Chelsea High students visit planetarium

Chelsea High School science students toured the planetarium at Birmingham Southern College on December 5.

Chaperoning the group were Mrs. Garrett, Mrs. Gray and Lee Major.

As reported by students Cindy Ray and Randy Looney, the guide "Showed us how the eclipse in 1970 would take place." In another room, "There was an artificial sky above our heads ... The stars were in the same place as they were on the first Christmas night ... At the conclusion they showed Santa Claus and his reindeer going through the sky."

COUNTY BAND DIRECTORS AT U. M. - - Dr. John Stewart (right), music department chairman at the Univeristy of Montevallo, welcomes Shelby County high school bandmasters to the U. of M. campus during Yuletide activities in Montevallo. Accompanying their bands to the formal lead-off event of the season - - the annual Montevallo Christmas parade - were: (from left, front), William Parrish, Shelby County High; Mrs. Jo Ann Gorman, Vincent High; Jim Weese, Calera High; (top), Elson Hood, Thompson High; and Mrs. Doris Lien, Montevallo High.

UM completes arrangements for regular ETV programs

The University of Montevallo has completed formal arrangements to begin regular programming on the Alabama Educational Television Network. Announcement was made today by Alabama Educational Television Commission general manager, Raymond Hurlbert.

Hurlbert said that while actual studio installation is being made on the campus, Montevallo's programming will originate from the Montgomery ETV Center.

Dr. Kermit A. Johnson, Montevallo president, is enthusiastic over the advent of this service and is planning for types of programming that the university is particularly adapted to performing.

He said, "Our affiliation with the Montgomery studio will make it possible for the university to plan and produce some programs during the current year. We hope to expand this service each year, thereby making a significant contribution to educational television in Alabama."

With the addition of the University of Montevallo, the Alabama ETV Network now has seven points from which programming originates, with eight transmitters broadcasting simultaneous programming.

Programming now originates from studios of the National Educational Television network and AETV studios, located at Birmingham, Huntsville, Montgomery, the University of Alabama in Tuscaloosa, and Auburn University.

The network's eight transmitters are at Birmingham, Huntsville, Montgomery, Cheaha Park, in Talladega County, Dozier, in crenshaw County, Mobile, Florence, and Texasville, in Barbour County. A ninth transmitter, now under construction in Demopolis, will soon be completed.

As part of another recent expansion move, Alabama Educational Television network now broadcasts regularly on Sunday, from 7 until 10 p.m. Sunday programming includes "N.E.T. Festival," "The Forsyte Saga," and "The Advocates."

New Hope News

By Mrs. J. M. Denson

Mrs. Danny DeShazo of Atlanta spent several days here recently when she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Owen DeShazo and other relatives.

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Jimmy Dennis is visiting relatives here after spending fourteen months in Germany, and plans to enter Auburn University later.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Moore and little daughter, Mary Joyce spent the week end in Alabaster where they were guests of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. B. W. Carter.

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Mrs. Allen Howard with her little sons came down from Birmingham to spend Saturday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lacey on valley Dale Road.

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Mrs. Linda Sisco has returned to her home in Montevallo after spending last week here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Moore.

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Mrs. Margaret Burmedez of Montgomery was among the visitors here recently, when she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sorrell on Chahaba Valley Road.

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Mrs. Eddie Finch was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John McTyre in Birmingham Thursday.

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A delightful affair was enjoyed at the New Hope Baptist Church Thursday afternoon when the Senior Citizens of this area were entertained. Rev. Virgil Horsley, the Pastor was responsible for an inspiring devotional. Mrs. Morton and Mrs. Jones were in charge of an exciting contest, after which the guests enjoyed delicious refreshments and were presented gifts.

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Members of the Day Circle of the C.P.W. had a special treat Thursday when Mrs. Thelma Cross led the program "Christmas in the Nation" at the Fellowship Hall. Ten matrons were present to participate in the discussion. Mrs. Ted Wynn led the Bible study, "Jesus and Thomas".

OBITUARY

Mrs. Meta A. Waggoner

Funeral services were held from Bolton-Brown Service Funeral Home on Thursday afternoon at 1:30, Dec. 11, 1969, the Rev. Raymond Scroggins conducted the last rites.

Mrs. Waggoner was a long time resident of Columbiana and greatly beloved by many friends. She, for a number of years, was associated in the cafe business with her brother, the late Simon Finley. After her health failed, she moved to Woodley Manor Nursing Home in Montgomery where she died Dec. 9, following a stroke.

Survivors include: one brother, Whitson Finley of Montgomery; two sisters, Mrs. Sadie Hill of Montgomery and Mrs. J. F. Holder of Hot Springs, Arkansas; several neices and nephews.

Interment in Columbiana Cemetery-Botlon directing.

JOTS & TITTLES from the FALCON

Just one week until Christmas and the shelves at the Falcon Book Store in Montevallo are beginning to give evidence of this fact. It has been so gratifying to us to have many folks shop with us, and we have had lots of nice compliments on the variety and interest of our books and other gift items. Espeically pleasing is our "repeat" business; we owe a great deal to those who have stayed with us through thick and thin - we still laugh at our meager Christmas offering when we first bought the store, five years ago - so, lest we not have another good opportunity, we now say: "Thank you, and a blessed and joyous Christmas to you all."

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BY ED BLAKE

The day is always a little brighter when someone comes in with proof that your theories on hunting do work at least for some hunters.

Mrs. Kitty Cox of Helena came by the office Friday afternoon with photographs of her hasband, son and father-in-law with three prize deer.

Remember at the opening of deer season that we recommended those rainy, overcast days are the time to get out in the woods and look for deer.

Saturday a week ago - - remember how good the fire felt indoors as the rain came peppering down outside - - Joe Cox, his son, Mike, and his father, P. H. Cox, braved the weather for a day of stalk hunting in the Dargin area.

They came out of the woods with three deer - - one each. Their trophies included two eight-point racks and a seven pointer. That is what I call successful stalk

Mike, a tenth grader at Thompson High, downed one of the eight pointers. His first deer of the season? No, that made three for the season for Mike. During the Thanksgiving Holidays, Mike got a nine-pointer and a spike.

Local lawmen solve Reporter burglary

Columbiana Police Chief W. C. Billingsley and Sheriff's Chief Deputy Joe Roden cooperated to solve a break-in and burglary at the Shelby County Reporter on December 5.

Within three hours after the burglary was reported the two law enforcement agencies had arrested two juveniles who admitted their guilt.

The two white youths from the Columbiana area, aged 15 and 13, were jailed for a few days and released in custody of their families, until their cases come up for a hearing before Judge of the Law and Equity Court, Harold Walden.

Reportedly, both boys had been frequent truants at school. One of the boys had a previous record in juvenile court.

The youths forced the back door open at The Reporter sometime during the night and took some rolled change and a few bills, totaling less than $50.

Legal Notice
Estate of Joe E. Walker Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 13th day of November, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Louise Walker Hoskins
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Joe E. Walker, deceased
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Legal Notice
Estate of H. S. Cox Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of December, 1969, by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Uriel Cox Lowery
Administratrix of the Estate of H. S. Cox, deceased
12-18,25,'69-1-1,'70 †133

Legal Notice
Completion of Contract

In accordance with Section 16, Title 50, Code of Alabama, 1940, notice is hereby given that Hugh M. Motes, General Contractors, Inc., have completed the contract for the construction of Columbiana and Shelby County Library at Columbiana, Ala., for the Shelby County Library System, Owner, and have made request for final settlement of said contract.

Hugh M. Motes,
General Contractors, Inc.,
Sylacauga, Ala.
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Singing set

The regular third Saturday night singing will be held this Saturday at the Bethlehem Baptist Church at 7 p.m.

Everyone is invited to come and bring someone with them.

Legal Notice
Estate of T. L. Lucas Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 4th day of December, 1969, by the Hon. C. M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Grace Lucas
Executrix of the Estate of T. L. Lucas, Deceased
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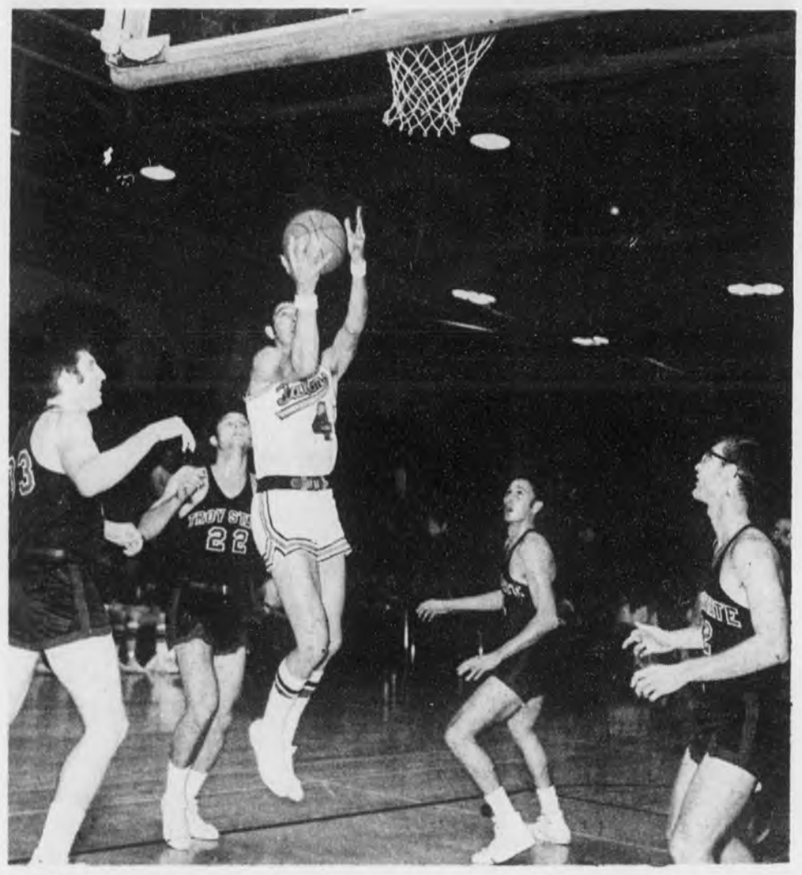

WORKING TOWARD FALCON RECORD - - James Hobbs (center) of the U. of Montevallo takes in a rebound during action against Troy State University. The rangy 6'6" forward pulled 23 shots off the boards to set a new Falcon record for rebounds in a single game. He was also game high scorer with 22 points. Red Wave players identified are Bill Cannon (11), Jim Pociask (22) and Randy Free (12).

New UM rebounding record established by James Hobbs

A new rebounding record was set for the University of Montevallo Saturday night during a game which saw Montevallo defeat Troy State 82 to 64.

The new record was established by James Hobbs who was also high point man for the game.

Hobbs, a 6-6 forward from Athens, Alabama was credited with 23 rebounds, breaking the school record held by Marshall Killingsworth. Killingsworth had 22 rebounds in a game with Tennessee Temple in 1965.

Saturday night's contest was an Alabama Collegiate Conference match and puts the U of M Falcons even up in conference play with two wins and two losses.

In total competition for the season Coach Bill Jones' hardcourt men have five wins against three losses.

Three Falcons scored in double figures against Troy's Red Wave. Hobbs led his teammates with 22. Lonnie Edwards a 6-1 junior guard from Shaw, Mississippi had 12 and Mike Newell a 6-2 junior from Hueytown had 10.

High point man for Troy was Jim Pociask with 13.

Both teams were cold under the basket with Montevallo making only 39% of its attempts and Troy even colder with only 27%. The Falcons made 26 of 36 charity shots. The Red Wave was 20 for 31 free throws.

Coach Jones' quintet led at half time 39 to 32.

While their classmates begin the Christmas holidays, the Falcon basketball squad will travel to neighboring Georgia on Friday to participate in the annual two-day West Georgia Holiday basketball tournament.

The next home game for the Falcons will be on January 10 when Montevallo entertains St. Bernard College of Cullman.

Bulldog basketball team edges Yellow Jackets, 63-60

By Susie DeMent

In three basketball games last week the Bulldogs made it look easy in one, blew a close 41-38 halftime lead in the second, and fought from under a 10-point deficit to beat Vincent, 63-60, there Friday night for the third.

It was a battle all the way for the Bulldogs against the Yellow Jackets, who brought a 7-1 record into the match against Montevallo's 4-2 showing.

To open the game, Phil Weldon, Jerry Baker, and Leman Davis scored three straight baskets, giving the 'Jackets a 6-0 lead with only one minute gone.

Montevallo finally found the range, and two baskets and a free throw by Jimmy Surface and a field goal each from Danny Wyatt and Wayne Alexander brought the Bulldogs to within one point, where the score stood at 9-10 just two minutes before the quarter ended. But the determined Yellow Jackets came back fighting, and by the end of the quarter had pulled away to a 19-12 advantage.

Despite a 12-point effort by Surface in the second period, Montevallo was still down by 6 at halftime, when the scoreboard showed 36-30.

Robert Seay dropped in 8 points and Surface 6 in the third period to tie the count at 44 as the buzzer sounded to end that quarter.

In desperation in the final stanza, the Yellow Jackets began fouling; and the Bulldogs picked up 11 free tosses, with Surface putting in the final two with only two seconds remaining.

As the game's leading scorer, Surface finished up the night with 24 points; Baker had 20 for the losers.

Robert Seay, with 24 points, led the charge as Montevallo gave a near record-breaking performance, downing Oak Grove 94-52 at Montevallo on Tuesday night. All 13 of coach Jimmy Jones' Bulldogs got into this game; 12 of them hit the scoring column.

Montevallo's record for most points scored in one game is 99 - - that was against the Govers last year.

Seay poured in 30 points and Surface 22 for a losing cause against undefeated Childersburg Thursday night at Montevallo.

The Bulldogs went out front early and held the lead until halftime, when they were ahead 41-38.

But after intermission, a red-hot Tiger crew came out swinging and swished through 31 points in the third period to go ahead 69-61 going into the final quarter.

The Bulldogs could trim only one point in the last period, and the game ended 78-71, with Childersburg on the long end.

Top scorers for Childersburg were Ronnie Moss with 25 and Mike Allen with 20.

Scoring by quarters
CHS 15, 23, 31, 9, 78
MHS 20, 21, 20, 10, 71

Courthouse closes Dec. 24

The courthouse will be closed at noon Wednesday, December 24 for Christmas holidays and will reopen Monday December 29. The courthouse will be closed on January 1 for New Years Day.

The Board of Revenue will meet in regular session, Monday, December 22. The County Highway Department employees Christmas party is scheduled for Tuesday, December 20.

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THE GIFT OF NUTRITION

Christmas is a time of giving. Everybody knows that. But do you ever think of what a gift health is — really. We all subscribe, it seems, to the thought. But in practice I see a great deal of abuse of the body. Somehow, I wish people would begin appreciating more the gift they already possess if they don't have to call on physicians like myself. Disease from infection is often unavoidable. Disease or poor health that is induced by poor habits is preventable

So my message today is, give yourself the continuing gift of better health — and nutrition is an important, a most important part of such a program.

Quit Skipping Breakfast

For openers, let's suggest that teen-agers quit skipping breakfast. They'll be better off if they get one-fourth to one-third of the nutrition they need daily at breakfast. Surveys show that school work improves with the breakfast habit. Workers in industry also do better, and they perform work more safely.

Then there are young and adult women of child bearing ages who do not get enough iron. The best approach to this is to check and see if you are eating a well balanced diet with emphasis on iron-rich foods. The four food group plan — the milk group, the meat-fish poultry-egg group, enriched or whole grain breads and cereals, and fruits and vegetables — is the basis for better nutrition. Good food sources of iron include enriched or whole wheat bread, liver, eggs, lean beef, pork or lamb, leafy green vegetables, dried beans, prunes and other dried fruits. Ask your doctor if you need still more iron and he will advise you.

And Those Overweight

And how about the overweights? Are there members of your family who are denying themselves, and you, of the grace of appearance they formerly possesed? It is, I think, a kind of disgrace to let one's self go. It is "preachy" of me to lecture but I find it maddening to see patients who could just as well have avoided the overweight problem in the first place. And had they done so, they would have prevented health problems that will ultimately shorten their lives and even now impair their roles as healthy husbands or wives.

The gift along these lines, that you can give to yourself and/or your family, is to correct your eating habits and get back to the weight you were when you were, say, 25.

Enough said? So give yourself the gift of Christmas. And be moderate in all things. And as you feel better, share your energy, your talents with others. There are worthy causes everywhere to serve. Join one and earn the fruits of real giving.

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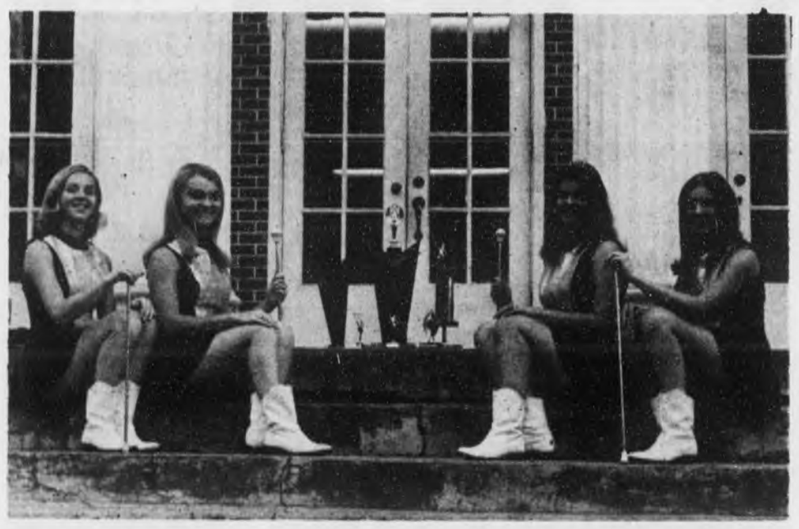

MHS MAJORETTES WIN - - Montevallo majorettes took four first place trophies at the recent Tuscaloosa area open competition. From left, Pam Brown, Mary Lou Reeder, Beth Anthony and Nora Hubbard.

New state license required for automobile graveyards

Effective January 1, 1970, all operators of automobile, vehicle, machinery or material junkyards within 1,000 feet of the nearest edge of the right-of-way of any interstate or federal aid primary highway in the State of Alabama will be required to obtain a license from the Alabama Highway Department. According to the law, an automobile graveyard is classified as a junkyard if it is an establishment where a minimum of ten (10) junked, wrecked or non - operative automobiles, vehicles, machines or other similar scrap or salvage materials have been deposited, placed or otherwise located. The license may be obtained only after certain requirements stipulated in the book entitled *Laws, Rules and Regulations Relating to Operation and Licensing of Junkyards,* published by the Alabama Highway Department, are met.

Marion H. Wilkins, Highway Director, said, "On September 8, 1967, the Legislature of the State of Alabama passed the 'Highway Beautification Act - Junkyard Control'. This law was passed as required by the federal 'Highway Beautification Act'. We in Alabama, of course, are interested in providing safety and beauty for our traveling public. We solicit the cooperation of all who will be affected by this matter."

In order to be licensed one requirement is that, except for zoned or unzoned industrial areas, the junkyard must be screened from sight along the highway. The Highway Department is responsible for screening junkyards established prior to September 8, 1967. The owners of the junkyards established after that date are required to furnish their own screening.

The cost of the license to operate or maintain a junkyard within 1,000 feet of the nearest edge of the right-of-way of any interstate or federal aid primary highway is $25.00 per year. This license must be renewed the first of January of each year.

Any person, partnership or corporation that establishes, maintains, or operates any junkyard contrary to the provisions of the "Highway Beautification Act - Junkyard Control Law" shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be penalized by a fine of not less than $100.00 or more than $1,000.00.

For a copy of the book *Laws, Rules and Regulations Relating to Operation and Licensing of Junkyards,* application forms and other information, owners should contact the Resident Engineer of the Highway Department for the district in which the junkyard is located.

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Been good?-

Westover prepares for Santa's arrival

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas everywhere you go. As you drive through each town throughout our country, each light pole gaily proclaims this news even before you reach the shops with their windows trimmed with festive garlands and sprays of glittering ornaments. Then, you begin to get a glimpse of the many beautiful gifts which are so tastefully displayed so that you may get some help in making your selections.

Within the churches, sprays of greenery and red berries, candles, small trees, and other symbols of the Christmas season mix with the songs of the choirs and the words of the scriptures which proclaim the coming of the Christ Child. In each department of the services, we can see and understand that their thoughts are tuned towards others and how they are busily making plans, not for themselves, but for gathering and distributing gifts which will make someone feel that there are those who care.

The Westover Homemaking Extension Club met in the home of Mrs. Shelton Smith last Wednesday, with Mrs. Smith and her mother, Mrs. Claud Smith, acting as hostesses. The home was tastefully decorated for the Holidays. A Christmas program, presented by Mrs. Nell Shelton, was enjoyed by everyone. Plans were made for distributing Christmas boxes again this year to some of our elder citizens and to shut-ins. Gifts were exchanged by the members.

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The WMU of the Mt. Signal Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Ida Holliman on Pumpkin Swamp Road on Wednesday. Instead of exchanging gifts, the group made cash contributions to the Lottie Moon Foreign Missionary Offering. The birthdays of two members - - Mrs. Myrtie Thomas and Mrs. Louise Stone - - were remembered. Also, on Tuesday, this group, remembered the birthday of Mrs. George Osborn and presented her with many nice gifts.

Alvin W. Strother arrived home last week from Viet Nam where he has served for the past 12 months, and will spend a 40-day leave with his wife, children, and mother in Birmingham. Mr. Strother is the son of Mrs. Miriam Strother and the late Enoch Strother of Westover.

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Mrs. Miriam Strother has returned home from the East End Memorial Hospital after a stay of several days. For this family, Christmas will be indeed a happy gathering.

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The family of the W. D. Dunn's on Pumpkin Swamp Road are eagerly awaiting the arrival of their son from service, as he is bringing with his his bride. In fact, the entire community is all-a-tingle in anticipation of meeting this newcomer, as the word has spread that she is a most charming person coming to us from her island home of the Indian Ocean area. We will happily give you more information about her later.

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Faye Townley, a popular student of Chelsea School, was stricken ill suddenly last week and rushed to the Baptist Medical center, Princeton. Faye is the daughter of Mrs. James Parson.

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Visitors in the home of the Curtis Moore's last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. James Curtis Moore and daughters Sharon, Suzanne, and Sandy, of Jasper. We are sorry to report that Curtis, Senior, is on the sick list, but such loving visitors should help him to recuperate rapidly.

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Mrs. Ann Hobler of Charlotte, North Carolina, was a visitor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Walton, last week. She was joined by her friend, Mr. Bill Shuford, of Charlotte, later in the week, for the return flight.

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Raum Randall, Jr., who is visiting his father, Mr. Raum Randall, Senior, had the misfortune to suffer an accident last Saturday. He is under intensive care at the Veterans' Hospital in Birmingham.

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Mt. Zion Baptist To Observe Christmas Services

A Fellowship Supper will be held Saturday evening, Dec. 20., in the Mt. Zion Baptist Church. Everyone invited to bring a covered dish and enjoy a supper preceding the appearance of the Rev. J. B. Snyder of Elmore, who will show film strips of the Holy Land.

Sunday afternoon the Rev. and Mrs. Alen Johnson will hold Open House beginning at 2:30 P. M.

Sunday night, the annual Christmas Program will be given in the church beginning at 7 o'clock.

Your presence will be sincerely appreciated.

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The Perfect Gift

You are cordially invited by the Rev. J. D. Davis to be present Sunday evening Dec. 21, in the Shady Grove Baptist Church and enjoy the program bearing the title: "The Perfect Gift" which begins promptly at 7 o'clock.

Program set

The annual Christmas program will be presented at the Shelby Church of God Saturday beginning at 6 p. m.

The program will include a Christmas play, exchange of gifts, and distribution of free fruit and candy to all children present.

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The Brumby, designed for anti-submarine warfare, is a unit of Destroyer Squadron Eight serving with the Atlantic Second Fleet.

Pvt. Jim Isenhower, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Isenhower (formerly of the New Hope community) has been promoted to grade E-2 on graduation from combat training.

He is a 1968 graduate of Thompson High School in Siluria.

Legal Notice
The State of Alabama
Shelby County
PROBATE COURT
In the matter of the estate of Mary C. Finley Latham, deceased

To Mrs. Annie F. Rose, 209 South Albany St., Tampa Florida 33606; Virgil C. Finley, 4401 N.W. 4th Court, Plantation, Florida 33313; Mrs. Mary Nell Shaw, 420 Meadowlark Drive, Albany, Georgia; Mrs. Byrtle Crowell, 519 Cottage Grove Street, South Bend, Indiana 46616; M-Sgt. Robert Carlton Johnson, 2101 Comanche, Glendale, Arizona 85301; Mrs. Opal Petty, Star Route, Midkiff, Texas 79755; Mrs. Lucille Walthall, 1705 Missouri Street, Houston, Texas 77006; Mrs. Beatrice Cartwright, 609 Ash Street, Teague, Texas 75860; Hershel Finley, 1720 North Highway 288, Clute, Texas 77531; Vernon Finley, Route 3, Teague, Texas 75860; Vivian Burns, Box 68, Ladonia, Texas 75449; James T. Finley, 2101 Yale, Fort Worth, Texas, and Mary Smith, 129 Trumpet Vine, Lake Jackson, Texas 77566,

You will hereby take notice, that on this day came Will Howard Finley and produced to the Court a paper writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Mary C. Finley Latham, deceased, and codicil thereto, and moves the court to admit the said will and codicil to Probate and Record.

You are notified to be and appear before me, at my office in the Court House of said County at Columbiana, Alabama, on the 9th day of January, 1970 at 10:00 A.M., when the motion will be considered, and show, if anything you have to allege, why said paper writing should not be admitted to Probate and record, as the true last will and testament and codicil of said decedent Mary C. Finley Latham

Done and ordered this 8th day of December, 1969.

S/Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate,
Shelby County, Ala.
Dec.11,18,25,'69 †127.

Notice to Contractors
Federal Aid Secondary Project No. S-5915(101)
Shelby County, Alabama

Sealed bids will be received by the Alabama Highway Director at the office of the Alabama Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 10:00 o'clock A.M., December 19, 1969, and at that time publicly opened for constructing the Grading, Drainage and Bituminous Pavement on the Interchange of I-65 and a county road near the Shelby County Airport. Length - 0.687 mile.

The entire project shall be completed in one hundred (100) working days.

Proposal fee is $5.00. Plans are available for $11.70. Plans and proposals are available in Room 304 of the Highway Department. Plans and proposals will be mailed upon receipt of remittance. No refunds will be made.

Minimum wage rates for this project have been pre-determined by the Secretary of Labor and are set forth in the advertised specifications and are subject to the Work Hours Act of 1962, PL 87-581, and implementing regulations.

Certified check or bid bond for 5% of bid (Maximum - $10,000.00) made payable to the Alabama Highway Department must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith.

The proposed work shall be performed in conformity with the rules and regulations for carrying out the Federal Highway Act.

Plans and Specifications are on file in Room 304 of the Alabama Highway Department at Montgomery, Alabama 36104.

In accordance with the rules and regulations of the Alabama Highway Department, proposals will be issued only to prequalified contractors or their authorized representatives, upon requests that are received before ten o'clock A.M., on the day previous to the day of opening of bids.

The Alabama Highway Department, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act, of 1964 (78 Stat. 252) and the Regulations of the Department of Commerce (15 C.F.R., Part 8), issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the ground of race, color, or national origin.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved. Marion H. Wilkins, Highway Director
Dec.4,11,18 †123.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage dated the 24th day of January, 1966, executed by Luther E. Vance and wife, Sherrell M. Vance to City Federal Savings & Loan Association, which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 298, Page 444, Record of Mortgages, and said mortgage now being in default and subject to foreclosure, the undersigned has elected to declare the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage to be due and payable as provided by said mortgage, and notice is hereby given that pursuant to law and the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the undersigned will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the main entrance of the Shelby County Courthouse in Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on the 19th day of January, 1970, the following described real estate situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lot No. 35 as shown on a map entitled "Property Line Map, Siluria Mills" prepared by Joseph A. Miller, Reg. Civil Engineer on October 5, 1965, and being more particularly described as follows:

Commence at the intersection of the Easterly right of way line of Mill Street and the Northerly right of way line of 4th Avenue West, said right of way lines as shown on the Map of the Dedication of the Streets and Easements, Town of Siluria, Alabama; thence Northeasterly along slad right of way line of 4th Avenue West for 88.00 feet to the point of beginning; thence 91 degrees 01' 36" left and run Northwesterly for 188.65 feet; thence 87 degrees 34' 06" right and run Northeasterly for 124.47 feet; thence 90 degrees 12' 31" right and run Southeasterly for 196.45 feet to a point on the Northerly right of way line of 4th Avenue West; thence 93 degrees 14' 59" right and run Southwesterly along said right of way line of 4th Avenue West for 132.00 feet to the point of beginning.

City Federal Savings & Loan Association,
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25 years ago–

Spearmans hold Christmas open house

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25 Years Ago

Mrs. Carl Bailey will present some of her pupils in a recital as an additional attraction to a Christmas party sponsored by the Pelham B.T.U. in the Baptist Church Saturday night.

25 Years Ago

Gordon DuBose, one of the organizers of the Central State Bank in Calera, and for many years its president, died in Atlanta Monday. He was a highly successful business man and widely known. Funeral services were held in Columbiana with interment in Columbiana cemetery.

25 Years Ago

The Fourmile Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Frank McEwen Dec. 15. Mrs. Ruby Stone was in charge of the program. Each member answered roll call with what Christmas they remembered best as a child. Round Robin letters were written to boys in service from the members and their guests from the Four Mile community.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. L. C. Walker entertained the Culture Club on Dec. 7. Following a business session presided over by Mrs. Fay Miles Benton, Mrs. R. M. Cleckler gave an interesting paper on newspaper columnists. A delicious salad plate was served following several games of Boston Rook.

25 Years Ago

The Columbiana Baptist Brotherhood held their December meeting in the SCHS auditorium Thursday night. A fine turkey dinner was enjoyed by the large crowd attending. The next meeting will be held in January, according to Jesse Butler, Chairman of Publicity.

25 Years Ago

The promotion of William D. Clark Jr., 22 year old fighter pilot of Wilsonville, from the rank of 2nd Lt. to 1st Lt., has been announced by Lt. Gen. James H. Doolittle, Commander General of the Eighth Air Force.

Lt. Clark has destroyed three and a half German planes on the ground, probably destroyed one and damaged three others. He also shot up a number of Nazi locomotives, supply trucks, flak installations and other ground targets. He is an Eighth Air Force fighter stationed in England.

25 Years Ago

A Watch service will be held at Macedonia Sunday night before New Year's with the Rev. Kirk Lucas in charge.

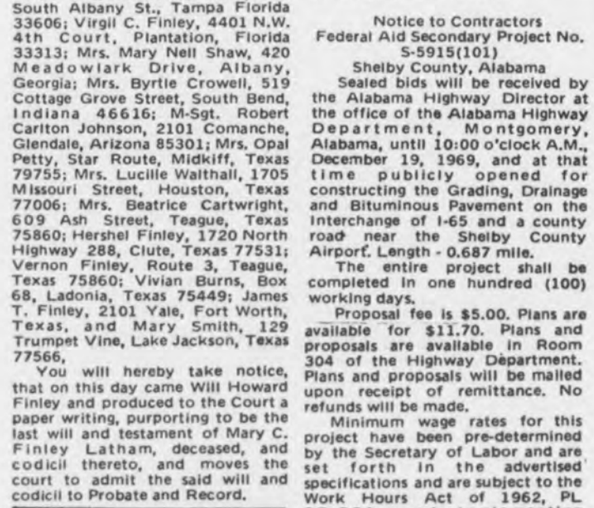
Calvin Green was the Christmas guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Green, Sr. He is stationed in Florida with the U. S. Navy.

25 Years Ago

Dot Harper spent the week end in Sylacauga. She is the popular assistant in the Columbiana post office and an active member of the Victory League. She was the guest of Mrs. Melvin Yates during her visit in the Marble City.

25 Years Ago

Miss Mildred and Eloise Meroney of Montevallo spent the week end in Columbiana as the guests of Mrs. Nelle Davis.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The Meaning of Christmas

By The Rev. SMITH L. LAIN
Editor, FINDINGS
Author, "Prayer," in the
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New York, N. Y.

Christmas is the time when . . .

We make approximately 75 per cent of our yearly profits. The time roughly between Thanksgiving and Christmas is our busiest season in the store. Easter is busy, too, but nothing like Christmas.

— a retail merchant

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My wife and I think mostly about the kids. We had lots of fun when we were growing up, and we want our kids to have fun, too. Sure, we may go a little overboard on toys and all that sort of thing, but what the heck? Christmas is for kids, isn't it?

— a young father

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We really go all out on music. Last year we hired a brass quartet to accompany the boys' choir. The congregation really loved it. The only trouble is that this year we'll have to come up with something even better or they'll think we are slipping.

— a church organist

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People think they are celebrating an historical event. But they really aren't, you know. No one knows the exact date of Jesus' birth. The primitive church didn't even celebrate Christmas. Eventually the church settled on December 25th as a way to baptize an already popular, pagan holiday to celebrate the fact that the depth of winter was over and the days were getting longer again.

— a historian

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Some of us get leave. Next Christmas I'll be home, I hope. It's a time when everybody should be home.

— a serviceman overseas

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I get tired. The kids are on vacation. I have a thousand and one things to do — 500 cards to address, a half-dozen parties to go to, gifts for the children and Bob, a dinner party for Bob's boss and his snooty wife, get the tree and decorate it.

— a suburban housewife

People at Christmas time are kind of funny, kind of sad, kind of lonesome. Some are really happy no matter what reasons. Are these people really facing up to what Christmas is really all about? I wonder.

I have a copy of the Revised Standard Version of the Bible on my desk, and so I opened it and began to look through it, remembering what these people had said about Christmas. Here are some of the passages I found.

I found an expression of the wonder and humility of a mother expecting her first child, but a child unlike others: And Mary said,

"My soul magnifies the Lord
and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,
for he has regarded the low estate of his handmaiden.
For behold, henceforth all
generations will call me blessed;
For he who is mighty has done great things for me,
and holy is his name . . ." (Luke 1:46-49)

I found the simple, moving story of Christ's birth:

"And Joseph also went up from Galilee, from the city of Nazareth, to Judea, to the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, because he was of the house and lineage of David, to be enrolled with Mary, his betrothed, who was with child. And while they were there, the time came for her to be delivered. And she gave birth to her first-born son and wrapped him in swaddling clothes and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn." (Luke 2:4-7)

And further on I found the joyous message of the angels to the shepherds on the hillside outside Bethlehem:

". . . I bring you good news of great joy which will come to all people; for to you is born this day . . . A Savior, who is Christ the Lord." (Luke 2:11-12)

But perhaps, most important of all, I found the story of Christ's life, a life which changed the history of the world and of the relationships between men. He said:

"Blessed are you poor, for yours is the kingdom of God."
"Blessed are you that hunger now, for you shall be satisfied."
"Blessed are you that weep now, for you shall laugh."
"Blessed are you when men hate you, and when they exclude you and revile you, and cast out your name as evil on account of the Son of man! Rejoice in that day, and leap for joy, for behold, your reward is great in heaven . . ." (Luke 6:20-23)

And further on:

"Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. To him who strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also . . ." (Luke 6:27-29)

For the message of Christmas is not just the familiar and beautiful story of the birth of Christ and of its meaning for mankind. Christmas is the time when we remember the promise fulfilled by the Man who was born on Christmas. The people I have quoted — people not unlike many of us — have forgotten the true meaning of Christmas because they have forgotten the *promise* of Christmas.

The truth of Christmas and the renewal of our belief in the real message of Christmas lies both in our understanding of the simple and at the same time awesome fact of Christ's birth *and* in our realization of the intimate and immediate way the fulfilled life of Christ touched and touches our lives.

FINAL FLIGHT INSTRUCTIONS - - Santa Claus (Steve Smitherman) and Mrs. Claus (Andrea Sides) give their reindeer final instructions for that long flight south. Members of the second grade at Thompson Elementary School performed "Rudolph the Red-nosed Reindeer" during the schools annual Christmas program Friday. (Photo by Ed Blake)

Nursing Home has month-long Yule celebration

Christmas has been month long at Shelby Memorial Nursing Home. The Reporter contacted Mrs. Juanita Beck, a licensed practical nurse at the home, who gave us the calendar of events for December. Churches and organizations from all parts of the county and even from outside the county have contributed merriment and cheer while bringing the Christmas message to residents of the home.

Beginning the holiday season was the Southwood Garden Club of Vestavia. Members of the club held a party on December 1 and brought each person a gift

On the next day, the Women's Missionary Union of the Pelham Baptist Church held a program in observance of prayer week for the residents.

On December 9 the Montevallo Evening Garden Club decorated the nursing home. Members put up an old fashioned Christmas tree in the dining room and decorated it with hand made ornaments. Mrs. Beck described the tree as "truly beautiful." They also brought a manger scene which the residents enjoy winding up to hear the music which follows.

Later that day the Klein Home Demonstration club gave the regular monthly birthday party.

The 17th was the date for the annual Christmas party given by all the Home Demonstration Clubs in the county. Mrs. Cumberland was chairman of arrangements. Gifts were given to all residents.

Calera High School Beta Club came on the 19th and presented a program of Christmas carols for the residents. The teenagers also had a gift for each person.

Also on the 19th, the WMU of Helena gave a party with refreshments and gifts.

The next day the Prospect Baptist Church held program and party at the nursing home.

On Sunday the 21st the Kingdom Baptist Church provided a Christmas program and fruit baskets at an early afternoon hour.

That evening the Mount Chapel Methodist Church, with John Galloway in charge

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NEW PHONE IN STERRETT - - J. T. "Jabo" Waggoner, administrative assistant with the Alabama Public Service Commission, observes the installation of Jesse R. Camp's new telephone service. Camp, a resident of Sterret, received telephone service recently for the first time as part of South Central bell Telephone Company's 1969 rural construction program.

'Small Business Handbook' out

Within the next week around 7500 small businessmen in Alabama will receive the latest edition of the "Handbook For Small Business" as a part of Senator John Sparkman's continuing efforts to see that Alabama small firms know as much as possible about how to compete for federal government business.

"Alabama's small firms should have every opportunity to bid for a share of the over 50 billion dollars in goods and services purchased yearly by the federal government," said Sparkman, who is top ranking Democrat on the Senate Select Committee on Small Business.

The "Handbook" is practical reference work explaining the programs of 25 Government departments and agencies which are of benefit to small, family, and independent business firms.

The Alabama Senator, was long-time Chairman of the Select Committee on Small Business while it formulated most of the programs, before

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CHRISMON TREE - - Mrs. Lewis Walker shows Rev. Burl Oliver, Pastor of the Columbiana Methodist Church the Chrismon symbols that were handmade by women of the church to decorate the tree in the sanctuary. Designs for the decorations come from historical Christian monograms and symbols.

Dogwood Fire Unit receives first alarm

Members of the Shelby County Fire and Civil Defense Rescue Unit One answered their first alarm Saturday afternoon, Fire Chief Doug Ballard, Jr., reported.

The fire was at the home of the unit's assistant chief, Howard Green of Moore's Crossroads.

The blaze started around the fire place, Ballard explained. He said the fire was brought under control shortly after nine members of the Dogwood - based unit arrived.

MARCH OF DIMES LEADERS - - Gathered at Prentice High School for a March of Dimes planning banquet were leaders from all communities in Shelby County. Under the chairmanship of Mrs. E. S. Adams, this group has been outstanding over a long period of years in rasising funds. Seated, l. to r., Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Hattie Stewart, Miss Belle D. Felder, Mrs. Ola Mae McGinnis, Mrs. Rosa Cunningham, Mrs. Nettie DuBose. Standing, Charles Kidd, George Davis, Rev. Rogers White, Mrs. Eloise Underwood, Mrs. Emma Spence, Mrs. Mildred Harris, Jack Thomas, Mrs. Anna M. Nunn and Mrs. Georgia Davis.

Veteran legislator named to UM board

A Montgomery businessman who has served in the Alabama senate and house of representatives has been appointed to the University of Montevallo board of trustees.

Alabama Governor Albert Brewer named Junius J. Pierce, Jr. to the Montevallo board last week. Pierce will fill the unexpired term of Mrs. N. J. Bell who recently resigned from the board because of ill health. Pierce's term will expire in January, 1971.

JUNIUS J. PIERCE

A native of Montgomery, the 64 year old Pierce has been in the real estate and insurance business in the state's capitol city since 1928.

A graduate of Montgomery's Sidney Lanier High School, Pierce attended Auburn University, Emory University in Atlanta and the University of Alabama.

He served in the Alabama House of Representatives from 1959 to 1967. He was elected to the State Senate in 1966

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

Under The Courthouse Dome

Compiled by the Staff of the Shelby County Reporter

We have been requested by Fay Quick, Tax Collector for Shelby County, to again call your attention to the deadline for paying ad valorem taxes without a penalty for delinquency. Dec. 31, 1969 is the last day you may pay this tax without the additional six per cent interest charge and a 50 cent additional penalty fee. If you mail the correct amount in and the letter is post marked Dec. 31 - - but arrives later than this date, there will be no additional charge. Otherwise - - Dec. 31 - - is your last chance!

The Board of Revenue accepted bids for a new automobile for the county engineer's department at its meeting last week. Low bidder was McDow Motor Co. of Columbiana with a bid of $2,791.11.

Colonel Floyd H. Mann released the following statistics for Shelby County so far in 1969. State Troopers have investigated 408 accidents resulting in 80 injuries and 15 deaths. For the same period in 1968 troopers had investigated 354 accidents resulting in 121 injuries and 13 deaths.

Christmas dinner at the jail will feature turkey and cranberry sauce, according to Deputy Louis Cosby. Details of the menu had not been completed in time for The Reporter's early deadline, but Cosby said the usual Christmas meal will be served. Leo Slay will supervise the preparations. Cook at the jail is Richard Thomas.

R. W. Lawley, Rt. 1, Marvel, Frank Wilder, Wilsonville and Mrs. Hattie Jackson of Harpersville who are members of the Jury Commission of Shelby County, have completed filling the jury box with names of eligible jurors and jurywomen for 1970 and have adjourned. Bill Thomason, clerk, has placed 1,500 names in the locked box and the commission will not meet again until further needed.

The Shelby County Library Headquarters and the Columbiana Library will be closed Dec. 24-26 and Jan. 1.

Double W works at Emory Univ.

"Wonderful Wednesday" works at Emory University, according to a survey of 2,300 undergraduates and their professors. Double "W" is a mid-week free day with no classes scheduled. Use of the day is determined by the individual.

In a recent campus survey, 85 percent of the faculty and 96 percent of the students favored the four-day class week. Before January, 1967, when the program began, students took three five-credit courses each quarter with classes meeting five days a week. Classes now meet only four hours a week, but each course continues to yield five credits.

Since WW has been in effect, the number of students placed on academic probation has dropped, while the number of students on the Dean's list has increased.

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Chatting with Santa

The Christmas stockings are up, the tree is trimmed and all that is left is to make certain that Santa has your Christmas list. Children from the Montevallo swarmed around Santa recently to take their turns in giving the superman of the season their Christmas wishes.

(Photo by Ed Blake)

Montevallo Elementary School students host county, city officials at dinner

The Montevallo Elementary School's principal and faculty invited members of the county Board of Education, Montevallo Town Council, School trustees and the staff at the county education office to share Christmas dinner with the students last Wednesday.

Principal Mrs. Doris Jeter greeted the guests and conducted a tour through the decorated school and mobile classrooms.

Almost all the guests present were persons who have worked to promote the cause of good education in Shelby County over a long period of years. They were richly rewarded by having the opportunity to dine with the well-mannered good looking children who filed in and out of the cafetorium by classes.

The building, now in its sixth year of use, looks as fresh and new as when it was first opened. It was one of the new schools built with the three mill ad valorem tax that county residents voted in the early 1960's.

Not mentioned, but observed by the guests, was the message that the school could use more classrooms. The closing of the Mayberry and Dogwood schools has sent more children to the school than provided for in the original plans.

Attending the happy affair were Mr. and Mrs. Lavon Moore, Chelsea, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Kent, Siluria, of the county school board; Jim Seaman who attended in his double capacity as a county school board member and a member of the Montevallo City Council; Mayor and Mrs. M. L. Orr, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Agee Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sears of the City Council; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scott of the school's board of trustees; Dr. Frances Cannon, U. M. education dept. faculty; and from the county education office, Elvin Hill, Superintendent, Mr. and Mrs. Sherrill McClure, Mrs. Christine McHan, Mrs. Sarah Edwards, Mrs. Sarah Rasco, and Mrs. Sonya Liveoak.

County briefs

South Central Bell spent $421,000 to provide new telephone service in Shelby County this year, according to John Godwin, company manager for this area.

Telephone service was made available to 247 Shelby County residents for the first time. Godwin also said that the service of 375 customers was upgraded and improved.

Projects completed in Shelby County during 1969 were in the areas of Highway 31 south in Calera, the west area of Chelsea and the Harpersville and Sterrett - Vandiver areas in the Vincent telephone exchange.

Doug Nichols new member

G. Douglas Nichols of Montevallo, has been accepted into the membership of the American Shorthorn Association, according to C. D. Swaffar, Executive Secretary.

The American Shorthorn Association, with national offices in Omaha, Nebraska; registers, transfers and promotes Shorthorn and Polled Shorthorn beef cattle. Memberships are up 9% for the fiscal year indicating a strong demand.

Three arrested at Wilton still

County lawmen arrested three men Thursday at a still near Wilton.

Charged with possession of a still were Curtis William Lucas, Charles Morgan Lucas and George Frye, Jr., according to the sheriff department.

The sheriff, county deputies, ABC agents and the Wilton Police raided the still located just off the Selma Road near Wilton.

Indian Springs gives concert

The annual Christmas Concert was given last Thursday evening by the Indian Springs School Glee Club.

A standing room only crowd filled the gymnasium as the famed choral group presented a wide variety of Christmas and religious music. The Glee Club is under the direction of John Jennings. Student president, Bill Long, a senior from Mountain Brook, welcomed the audience.

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Deadline close for cotton transfer

Applications for transfer of cotton allotments for the 1970 crop must be filed no later than December 31, 1969, according to H.C. McDanal, Chairman of the Shelby County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) committee.

In Shelby County, growers voting in a special referendum last May failed to approve transfer of cotton acreage allotments, by sale or lease, out of the county. So transfer of allotments locally may be made from one farm to another only within the county. Cotton allotments may not be transferred across state lines.

OBITUARY

Robert Edward Callaway

Robert Edward Callaway of Columbiana died Dec. 9 at Stone Croft Nursing Home. Burial was at Beaver Creek Cemetery with Bolton funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Callaway is survived by his widow, Willie Bierley Calloway, daughter, Helen Dukes; one stepdaughter, Mary Hammond, two step grandchildren and two step great grandchildren.

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So, as you begin your journey through the years to be - - may you always keep the Gladness of Christmas which is - Hope; the Spirit of Christmas which is - Peace; and the Heart of Christmas which is - Love"!

M.W.W.

Dr. Dick Fulton has flown in to be with his father, Frank Fulton for the Christmas Holidays.

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Mrs. Lorraine Fulton is enjoying the holidays in Mobile as the guest of her son, Capt. T. B. Miller, Mrs. Miller and their adorables.

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In our "good news" department we are happy to tell friends of the popular Oscar Graf family, former residents, that they are returning to Columbiana to make their future home. Mr. Graf is associated with the steam plant in Wilsonville.

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Mrs. Sterling Mayo (Lucille Crawford) now residing in Bessemer, is spending a few days in Columbiana at her home opposite the post office.

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Judge L. C. Walker who observed the passing of his 83rd birthday Thursday, Dec. 18, suffered a fall in his home last week and sustained a painful foot injury.

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Miss Glenda Davis came home from Pennsylvania, Saturday, for Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Davis. Glenda received a warm welcome from her many friends in the Baptist Church Sunday morning when we had the privilege of welcoming her.

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Kathy Carter flew in from California during the week end making the family circle of the Rux Carters complete for the Holiday Season.

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One of the memorable high spots in my pre-Christmas Eve wait up for Santa Claus night - - was a visit, from Mr. and Mrs. John B. Bush, Mike, Joel, Mark and Beth Bush, who made glad my Yuletide Season by spending the day with me and allowing me again to share the joys that always come when congenial friends get together.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bishop of Baton Rouge, La., spent the holiday season in Columbiana the guests of his sisters, Misses Gertrude, Irene and Mamie Bishop.

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Mrs. Dixie Shealey joined Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baker of Atlanta and motored to Mississippi for Christmas with relatives.

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Regret to learn that Harold Harlin is ill at his home in Columbiana; and that Gerald Fulton, Circuit Clerk, is a patient in Shelby Memorial Hospital.

TRIMMING TREE

Tradition of decorating a community Christmas tree began in the early 1900's and is a favorite custom today.

JOHN MONTGOMERY, JR.

Montgomery joins firm

John Allen Montgomery, Jr., grandson of the founder of Nash Drug Store, Inc. has joined the Alabaster firm.

A graduate of Auburn University's School of Pharmacy earlier this month, Montgomery will serve as a pharmacist with Nash Drug.

The 53-year-old drug store was founded by T.R. Nash in Helena in 1916. After fifteen years in the same location the store was moved to Alabaster and has been a prominent feature of Alabaster's Main Street since the 1930's.

While a student at Auburn, Montgomery served as a member of the school's student government executive council, was director of the University's student spirit committee and served for one year on the school's pharmacy executive council.

Montgomery is listed in the current edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities". He is a member of Lambda Chi Alpha social fraternity.

The young pharmacist is married to the former Jacqueline Jones of Montgomery. They make their home in Pelham.

Although last year's agricultural production more than doubled the 1950 output, only about half as many workers were used to produce it. Mechanization of farm equipment had a major impact on these dramatic changes.

Special Christmas dinner set at Shelby Memorial Hospital

Christmas dinner at Shelby Memorial Hospital and Nursing Home will be special again this year. Patients on regular diets will have the opportunity to mark the menu a day in advance and choose their holiday meal from a long list of traditional and good down-home foods. Mrs. Christine Nichols, tray line supervisor at the hospital gave The Reporter an advance peek at the menu selections, so we could pass it along to our readers.

Heading the list is French onion soup followed by baked Virginia ham with pineapple and raisin sauce and roast turkey and dressing with cranberry sauce.

Vegetables to choose from are candied yams, baby green limas and seasoned turnip greens with roots.

Fresh fruit, sliced banana and tossed salads are featured.

Fruitcake and German chocolate cake are the special desserts with the usual deserts of ice cream, gelatin and chilled fruit also on the menu. A selection of rolls, breads and beverages completes the holiday fare.

Pierce

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and is presently serving as a state senator.

Senator Pierce is married to the former Mildred Paterson. They have two children Mrs. Ann Pierce Russell and Junius J. Pierce III, both of Montgomery.

Allow us this moment, to send our sincere and hearty thanks and best wishes to all our friends and neighbors, whom we have served with pleasure and pride throughout the year. May the best of holidays be yours.

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MR. AND MRS. CURTIS J. FALKNER

Curtis Falkners wed fifty years

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis J. Falkner, Columbiana, will celebrate their 50 wedding anniversary Sunday, December 28th. Their children will have open house at the home of Mrs. Jack T. Atchison from 2 until 4 P. M. Mr. Falkner is a former Sheriff of Shelby County and worked for the Shelby County Road Department 25 years before his retirement. The couple has two children, three grandsons, and one great grandson.

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Holiday guests in the H. M. Gordon home are Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Parker and Lisa from Mobile; and Mr. and Mrs. Greg Gordon of Pisgah; and Brian Gordon of Samford University.

Norma Johnson shower honoree

A pink and white color scheme was used for the bridal shower honoring Miss Norma Johnson in New Hope Baptist Church fellowship hall. Miss Wanda Johnson, Miss Donna Fortenberry, Mrs. Jimmy Martin and Mrs. Pete Thomas hosted the delightful event.

Guests included Misses Peggy McGuire, Kathy Taylor, Vickie Lane, Martha Crumley and Carolyn Reeser, Mrs. Howard Winslett, Mrs. Sammy Skinner, Mrs. Nathan Bradford, Mrs. Alvin Wright, Mrs. Percy Skinner, Mrs. M. W. Reeser, Mrs. Bobby Brashier, Mrs. Birgil Horsely, Mrs. Hubert Joiner, Mrs. Julia Rich, Mrs. F. F. Brashier and Mrs. Roger Reeser.

Miss Johnson's wedding to Michael Reeser of Calera is planned for December 26.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gary Weir (Betty Hatchett) and their handsome son, Bennett Weir, came from their home in Rockville, Maryland to brighten the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hap Hatchett and the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Weir during the gay holiday

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Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Green and Mrs. Bettina Green will have orange blossoms instead of snowflakes when the Yuletide arrives next Wednesday as they will be spending the holiday season in St. Petersburg, Fla., as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hall.

Brasher Family enjoys Christmas 'togetherness'

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brasher of Brasherville, hold the distinction of being the parents of ten talented children. Some are in the professional field, some commercial, some in various careers, some in ministerial circles - - all successful, widely known and appreciated each in his or her own field of service.

At each Christmas Season, the family gathers at the home of their parents near Shelby, and enjoy "just being together" and sharing in the traditional turkey dinner with plenty of choral, piano, organ, and guitar entertainment for good measure. All are gifted musicians.

If all goes as planned, Thursday - - Christmas Day - - will find the following brothers and sisters and their children seated around the festive board in the home of their parents. They include: Edward and Ophelia Brasher, Louis and Nina Brasher, Thomas and Martha Brasher, Elnora and H. G. Whitlock, Mary Nell and Leslie Lee, Robert and Dorothy Brasher, Howard and Pattie Brasher, Preston and Nancy Brasher, Joan and Harry Isbell and Lanice Brasher - - who tells me she is waiting for Rock Hudson!

In addition to those above named there will be 17 grand-children and eight great grandchildren present to liven up the place - - if needed. We do not know of a happier family nor one who has done more to brighten the lives of other people, than this county wide beloved family.

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The home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon B. Wallace will be the scene of a happy family reunion during the Christmas Season when Mr. and Mrs. Joel Glaze, and their four children arrive; and Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace and Scott, and Joe Wallace all from Athens come "home for the holidays". In addition to their children, Mrs. Ray Lisenby and children from Ozark; Mr. and Mrs. Stancle Ingram and daughter, Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Ingram of Prattville; and the Rev. and Mrs. W. V. Wallace of Tallassee, are expected guests who will gladden the Yuletide occasion.

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More Christmas Parties

The Civitans and their wives of Columbiana, enjoyed a delectable dinner party last Tuesday evening at Ramada Inn - - The firemen in Columbiana celebrated their annual Christmas social event with a covered dish supper at the Fire-House last Friday evening. Mayor and Mrs. Bob Bolton hosted a dinner party at the Triple-J honoring the councilmen and their wives last Thursday evening. In addition to the official city family, there were present Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Ray and Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Franks.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sears of Montevallo hosted a Christmas Party in their spacious home last Wednesday evening honoring the official staff of the Shelby County Reporter, WBYE Radio Station and employees of the Public Relations Department of the University of Montevallo.

Traditional Yuletide floral arrangements were used throughout the home and a delectable buffet dinner was enjoyed.

Among guests present on this unforgettable evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Don Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller and Joe Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roper, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blake, Steve Huffstutler, Mildred White Wallace, Bernice Ticen, Elsie Jones and Wayne Rasco.

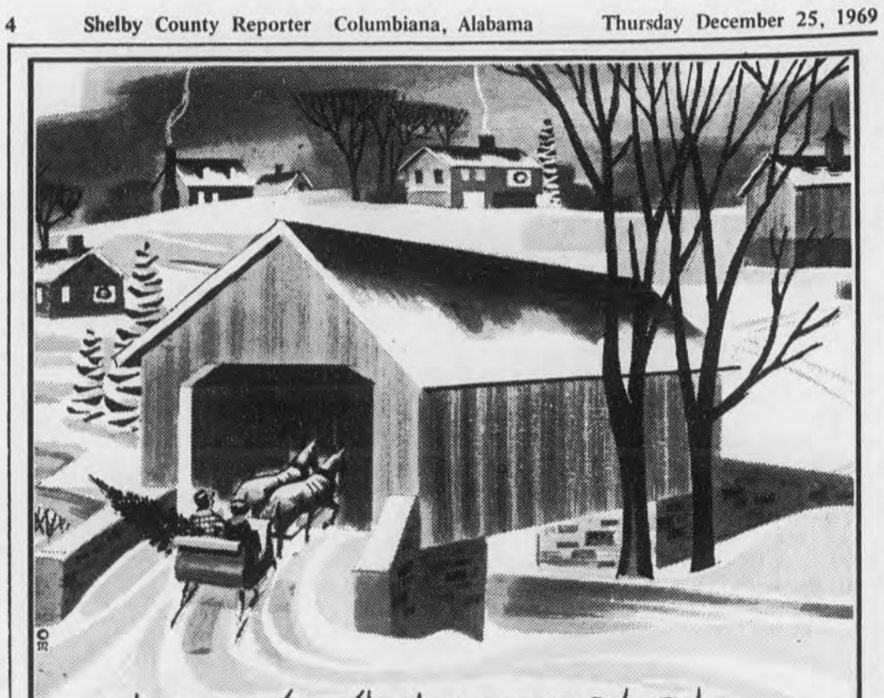
Mrs. Sears was assisted in entertaining the guests by her daughters, Misses Sallie and Randi Sears.

Leon Kellys host Vignettes for annual Christmas party

Mrs. Leon Kelly Sr., and Mrs. Leon Kelly Jr., hosted the annual Christmas party for members of the Vignette Club at their Lazy-K Ranch home in Columbiana on Dec. 16. Mrs. Stella Roberts was in charge of the program and presented Homer J. Walton, Civil Defense Director, who spoke on the industrial development of the county and presented film strips giving pictorial evidence of this progressive expansion.

Following a discussion of future plans for further development of our county's resources, games, and an exchange of gifts were enjoyed, after which delectable refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton were warmly welcomed as distinguished guests and the next meeting of the Vignettes was set for Jan. 27, 1970.



GREETINGS

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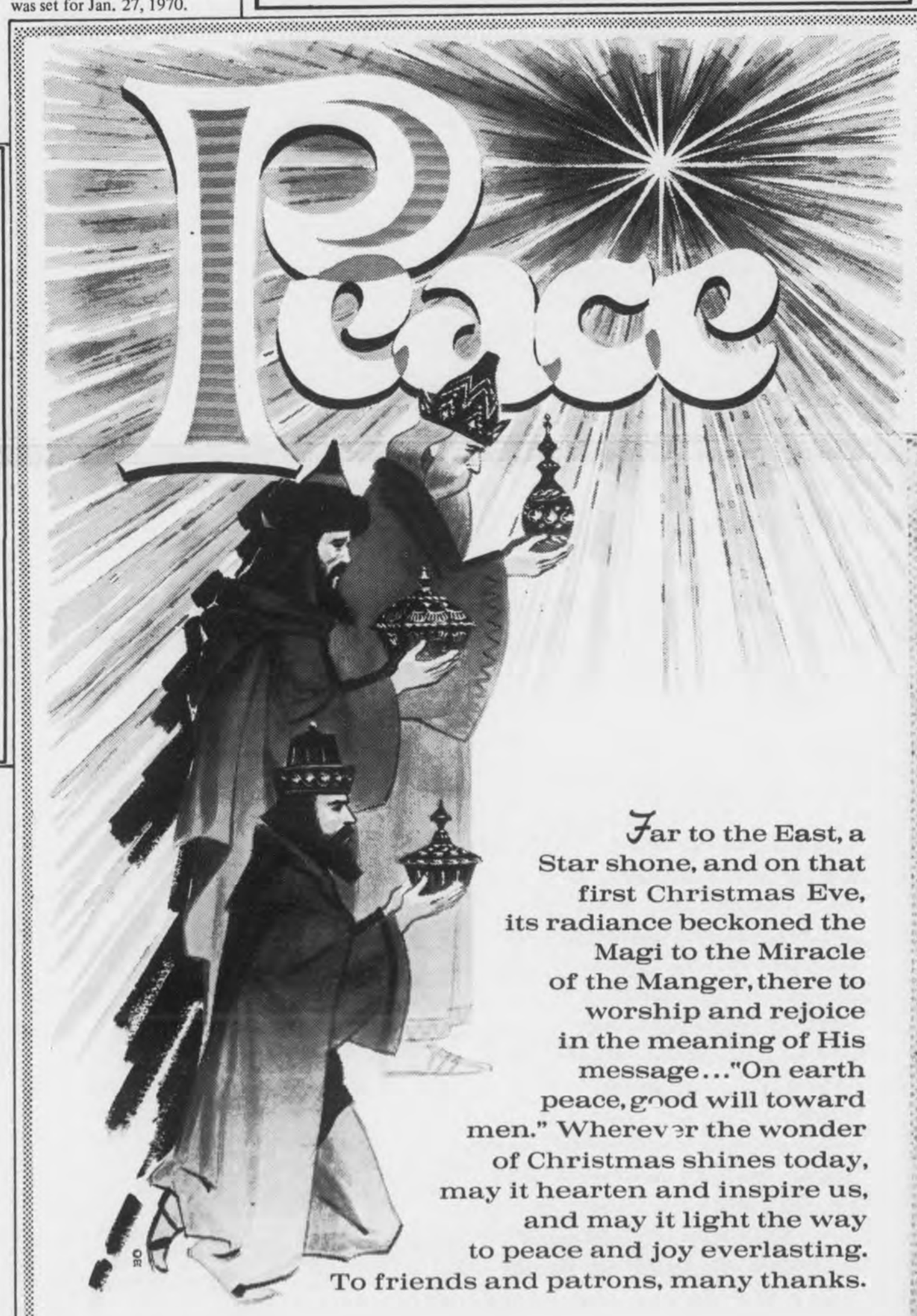

Far to the East, a Star shone, and on that first Christmas Eve, its radiance beckoned the Magi to the Miracle of the Manger, there to worship and rejoice in the meaning of His message..."On earth peace, good will toward men." Wherever the wonder of Christmas shines today, may it hearten and inspire us, and may it light the way to peace and joy everlasting. To friends and patrons, many thanks.

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At this time
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thank you, our customers and dear friends.

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On the corner - Montevallo

Featured on cards--

Women rule Christmas 1885

A picture of a beautiful woman on a current Christmas card would seem inappropriate to many. But feminine beauty enjoyed great popularity in Christmas cards during the late 1880's.

Until 1880, children and elderly women were most often pictured. Or, if adult young women did appear, they were shown as "tenders of the hearth," with their husbands, children or pets.

APPEALING FAMILY GROUP IS SUBJECT of the 1885 Louis Prang Christmas card shown here. Illustration of the mother marks trend of 1880's greeting cards, which often pictured attractive young women. This card is from the Norcross Historical Collection.

Later, classic Greek and Roman feminine figures were used to convey ideals of feeling and beauty.

Artists of the Royal Academy in London began the new fashion for using contemporary women in their Christmas card illustrations in 1881. One of the earliest of these was designed by W. F. Yeames and showed a richly-gowned young woman asleep in a chair, with winged cupids in a golden cage.

In 1885, fashion figures of elegant women were a typical subject of Christmas cards. An example is a Louis Prang card from the Norcross Historical Collection.

Mr. Prang, who published the best-known early greeting cards in the U.S., conducted a Christmas card competition. The $1,000 first prize was won by Elihu Vedder, a well-known American artist.

The model for his successful illustration was his wife, and the inscription read, in part, "Thy own wish wish I thee in every place."

Later Christmas cards depicted women as fashion plates, sportswomen, cyclists and, in general, growing participants in the life of their times.

Foods flavor celebrations

"What's for dessert?"

At Christmas, the traditional answer to this question in England, the United States and Canada is, "Mince pie and plum pudding."

One legend says that it brings good luck to eat mince pie on Christmas day.

In earlier times, mince pies were baked in an oblong shape meant to represent the manger.

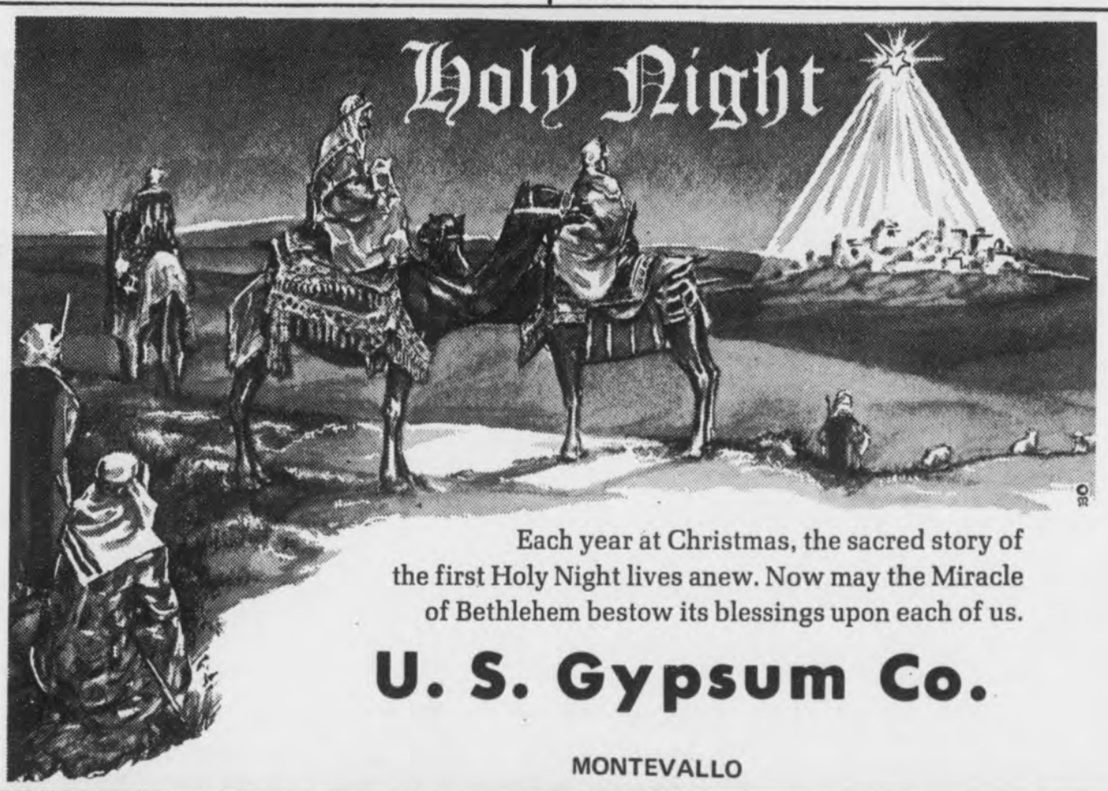
Plum pudding, too, has its legend of luck, but here the good luck comes in the making of the pudding. Every member of the family must stir the pudding while it's being made, if good fortune is desired, says an old English tradition.

Fruit cake is one of many specially-baked cakes that are part of the food-and-feasting customs of Christmas. These also are said to bring good fortune and good health.

Rich, elaborate cookies and special breads add to the flavor of the holiday season.

The Bake Shop

Alabaster Shopping Center



Each year at Christmas, the sacred story of the first Holy Night lives anew. Now may the Miracle of Bethlehem bestow its blessings upon each of us.

U. S. Gypsum Co.

MONTEVALLO

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Watch carefully and you may see Santa speeding our message your way for a happy holiday for you and yours. Thanks for your confidence and support.

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Put CHRIST back into your CHRISTMAS

May the peace and love of Christ be with you and yours this joyous season

We at Sammy's wish each of you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

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Contact Robert Moore, Broker

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3 bedroom frame home on Ashville Road in Montevallo. Bath and basement $13,000. $500 down and FHA financing.

Very nice 3 bedroom brick veneer. Forced air gas heat. One full acre lot. Moore Town (Bet. Saginaw & Columbiana on Hwy 70) $14,500. Call Jim Bice 663-7051.

2 bedroom frame home. 2 acres fronting Highway 25 and back to Southern Railroad between Montevallo and Wilton, $8,000.

Large 5-room frame house Aldrich community. $4,000.00

Very nice three bedroom frame home in Montevallo. $10,500. $500 down, FHA financing.

40 acres and new two-bedroom home with full basement. Spring Branch. Eight miles south of Montevallo. $15,000.

Alabaster
Approximately 4 Acres. Trailer Court and nice home. $40,000.

Seven room two story frame, bath, gas heat, in Montevallo. Price $8,000.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Mare pony, cart and bridle, $125. Will hold to Christmas. Call after 3 p.m. 668-0804. Tfc

FOR SALE: New Crane Cam for 65-69 Chevrolet 396 or 427 engine. Still in package, never been used. For all speed and custom parts and accessories see Gene Perry - Columbiana Automotive Service. Old Calera Hwy, Columbiana. 12-25,1-1,c

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FOR SALE: 1962 Pontiac Grand Prix - new trans and tires P. S., P. B. Excellent condition $595 Call 669-6302 after 6 P. M. 12-11,TFc

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IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our son and brother, Phillip Creel, who passed away December 28, 1958.

Eleven years have come and gone and still that vacancy in our home but we accept it better when we know you are out of this world of sin.

Parents, Sisters and Brothers

Legal Notice
Estate of T. L. Lucas Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 4th day of December, 1969. by the Hon. C. M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Grace Lucas
Executrix of the Estate of T. L. Lucas, Deceased
Dec.11,18,25,1969 †124.

Legal Notice
Estate of James E. Robertson Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 8 day of December, 1969 by the Hon. C. M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

James E. Robertson
Administrator of the Estate of Noah B. Robertson
Dec.25,'69-Jan.1,8,'70 †136.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage dated the 24th day of January, 1966, executed by Luther E. Vance and wife, Sherrell M. Vance to City Federal Savings & Loan Association, which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 298, Page 444, Record of Mortgages, and said mortgage now being in default and subject to foreclosure, the undersigned has elected to declare the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage to be due and payable as provided by said mortgage, and notice is hereby given that pursuant to law and the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the undersigned will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the main entrance of the Shelby County Courthouse in Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on the 19th day of January, 1970, the following described real estate situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lot No. 35 as shown on a map entitled "Property Line Map, Siluria Mills" prepared by Joseph A. Miller, Reg. Civil Engineer on October 5, 1965, and being more particularly described as follows:

Commence at the intersection of the Easterly right of way line of Mill Street and the Northerly right of way line of 4th Avenue West, said right of way lines as shown on the Map of the Dedication of the Streets and Easements, Town of Siluria, Alabama; thence Northeasterly along siad right of way line of 4th Avenue West for 88.00 feet to the point of beginning; thence 91 degrees 01' 36" left and run Northwesterly for 188.65 feet; thence 87 degrees 34' 06" right and run Northeasterly for 124.47 feet; thence 90 degrees 12' 31" right and run Southeasterly for 196.45 feet to a point on the Northerly right of way line of 4th Avenue West; thence 93 degrees 14' 59" right and run Southwesterly along said right of way line of 4th Avenue West for 132.00 feet to the point of beginning.

City Federal Savings & Loan Association,
Mortgagee
Lange, Simpson, Robinson & Somerville,
Attorneys for Mortgagee
Dec.18,25,Jan 1,1970 †129.

REAL ESTATE

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FOR SALE: Spacious wooded lots in Columbiana, City water and gas. Call 669-6361 tfc

FOR SALE - Four room house in Wilton, ideal for couple. Call 665-7923 after 6 p.m. 12-18,tfc

FOR SALE - House, two acres of land and drilled well for $3,000. Twenty-five foot deep freeze swap for good refrigerator. Call 669-6596. 12-25,1-1,c.

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Newly decorated, one bedroom $65. Two bedroom, $75. Call 669-7833 after 3:30 week days.

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HOUSE FOR RENT - 3 bedroom brick, corner lot, trees, Arden sub-division, Montevallo, sign one year lease. $125 per month. Call C. L. Hollingsworth, 926-9184, Centreville, Alabama. 12-25,tfc.

FOR SALE - House and large lot on Nabors street in Montevallo. All utilities including gas, sewer water and electrictiy. Three minutes walking distance from campus. Very reasonable. Call 665-2654. 12-25,c

Legal Notice
Estate of Bennie Calloway Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 18 day of December, 1969. by the Hon. C. M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Callie Calloway
Administratrix of the Estate of Bennie Calloway
Dec.25,'69-Jan.1,8,'70 †135.

Legal Notice

Pursuant to the provisions of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, notice is hereby given that the Shelby County Advertising Corporation licensee of Class C broadcast station WBYE, Calera, Alabama is required to file with the FCC, no later than January 2, 1970, an application for renewal of its license to operate station WBYE, on 1370 kilocycles.

The officers, directors and owners of 10% or more of the stock are Ralph W. Sears, president; Marcia M. Sears, vice president and Marion P. Jones, secretary-treasurer.

Members of the public who desire to bring to the Commission's attention facts concerning the operation of the station should write to the FCC, Washington, D. C. 20554, not later than February 2, 1970. Letters should set out in detail the specific facts which the writer wishes the Commission to consider in passing on the application. A copy of the license renewal application and related material will, upon filing with the Commission, be available for public inspection at WBYE's studios located on Alabama Highway 25, Calera, Alabama between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p. m.

Legal Notice
Estate of Talbert S. Martin Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 9 day of December, 1969. by the Hon. C. M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Bessie E. Martin
Administratrix of the Estate of Talbert S. Martin, Deceased
Dec. 11,18,25, †128.

Legal Notice
Estate of Minnie F. Houlditch Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased haivng been granted to the undersigned on the 13th day of November, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

J. A. Brown, Jr.
Karl C. Harrison
Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Minnie F. Houlditch, deceased
Dec.18,25,'69 Jan.1,'70. †132.

NOTICE

BELL CABINET SHOP
We specialize in kitchen cabinets
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General Contractors
Shop located just past Columbiana By-pass on Chelsea Road.
Phone 669-7007

Legal Notice
Completion of Contract

Peyton & Sain Co., Inc., hereby gives notice that they have completed contract with the State of Alabama for construction of Project No. FAS-5904(101) in Shelby County and that the State has set the date for final settlement as January 15, 1970. All claims should be filed at our office in Birmingham, Alabama 2310 - 21st Street before the date set for final settlement.

Peyton & Sain Co., Inc
Birmingham, Alabama
Dec.11, 18, 25,1969; Jan 1 1970 †126

Legal Notice
Estate of John M. Stinson Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 5 day of December, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Frank Ellis, Jr.
Frank Ellis, Jr., Executor of the Estate of John M. Stinson, Deceased
Dec. 11,18,25,1969. †125.

Legal Notice
Estate of Joe E. Walker Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 13th day of November, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Louise Walker Hoskins
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Joe E. Walker, deceased
Dec.18,25,'69—Jan 1,'70 †131.

Legal Notice
Estate of H. S. Cox Deceased.
PROBATE COURT

Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of December, 1969. by the Hon. Conrad M. Fowler Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Uriel Cox Lowery
Administratrix of the Estate of H. S. Cox, deceased
12-18,25,'69-1-1,'70 †133

Legal Notice
Completion of Contract

In accordance with Section 16, Title 50, Code of Alabama, 1940, notice is hereby given that Hugh M. Motes, General Contractors, Inc., have completed the contract for the construction of Columbiana and Shelby County Library at Columbiana, Ala., for the Shelby County Library System, Owner, and have made request for final settlement of said contract.

Hugh M. Motes,
General Contractors, Inc.,
Sylacauga, Ala.
Dec.4,11,18,25,1969 †122.

Legal Notice
The State of Alabama
Shelby County
PROBATE COURT

In the matter of the estate of Mary C. Finley Latham, deceased

To Mrs. Annie F. Rose, 209 South Albany St., Tampa Florida 33606; Virgil C. Finley, 4401 N.W. 4th Court, Plantation, Florida 33313; Mrs. Mary Nell Shaw, 420 Meadowlark Drive, Albany, Georgia; Mrs. Byrtle Crowell, 519 Cottage Grove Street, South Bend, Indiana 46616; M-Sgt. Robert Carlton Johnson, 2101 Comanche, Glendale, Arizona 85301; Mrs. Opal Petty, Star Route, Midkiff, Texas 79755; Mrs. Lucille Walthall, 1705 Missouri Street, Houston, Texas 77006; Mrs. Beatrice Cartwright, 609 Ash Street, Teague, Texas 75860; Hershel Finley, 1720 North Highway 288, Clute, Texas 77531; Vernon Finley, Route 3, Teague, Texas 75860; Vivian Burns, Box 68, Ladonia, Texas 75449; James T. Finley, 2101 Yale, Fort Worth, Texas, and Mary Smith, 129 Trumpet Vine, Lake Jackson, Texas 77566,

You will hereby take notice, that on this day came Will Howard Finley and produced to the Court a paper writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Mary C. Finley Latham, deceased, and codicil thereto, and moves the court to admit the said will and codicil to Probate and Record.

You are notified to be and appear before me, at my office in the Court House of said County at Columbiana, Alabama, on the 9th day of January, 1970 at 10:00 A.M., when the motion will be considered, and show, if anything you have to allege, why said paper writing should not be admitted to Probate and record, as the true last will and testament and codicil of said decedent Mary C. Finley Latham

Done and ordered this 8th day of December, 1969.

S/Conrad M. Fowler
Judge of Probate,
Shelby County, Ala.
Dec.11,18,25,'69 †127.

Blessings at Christmas

As we look back upon the scene of His Birth at this holy time, may the glorious message that blessed the world at the Nativity be rekindled in your heart to brighten your life with happiness and understanding. Best wishes for a Christmas rich in the joys of the season.

STINSON GAS COMPANY "ALVIN and FRANCES" COLUMBIANA

Christmas tree originated in Egypt

The Christmas tree, now almost a universal symbol, probably came to America from Germany, although tradition has it that Christmas trees originated in Egypt. The palm tree is supposed to put forth a branch every month, and a spray of this tree, with 12 shoots on it, was used in Egypt.

German writers mention the tree as early as 1605. The German prince Albert, consort of Queen Victoria, introduced the Christmas tree in England when he had a tree for his daughter.

HANGING MISTLETOE

Hanging mistletoe in the home is a tradition which originated with Druid priests. These ancients believed the plant was a sign of peace and hope.

The Best to You at Christmas

May you and your family enjoy a happy holiday. We thank you warmly.

Hill's Flower Shop
Calera

May a peaceful and cheery Yule be yours. Your loyalty is greatly appreciated.

COLUMBIANA JEWELERS
TRAVIS and MARIE

We take this opportunity to wish every one of you a truly beautiful holiday. We enjoy serving you.

Merry Christmas

BILLINGSLEY BEAUTY SALON
ETHEL BILLINGSLEY, OWNER - MANAGER

Tidings of Gladness and Joy

We'd like to extend wishes that this Christmas be a joyful one and that the spirit of His birth remain in your hearts always. A most sincere thank you, friends.

Gulf Oil Products
Joe L. Tidmore
Charles O. Tidmore
Columbiana, Alabama

VINCENT MISS - - Dianne Parker, Miss Merry Christmas of Vincent High School, joined other Christmas beauties in the Montevallo parade to wish everyone a Merry Christmas. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Parker.

Interest on bonds raised to 5 percent

President Nixon has approved legislation raising the interest rate on U. S. Savings Bonds to 5 per cent, if held to maturity.

When queried about the new Savings Bonds terms, Thad Holt, Alabama Chairman for U. S. Savings Bonds, stated - - "The new rate of 5 per cent to maturity applies to all outstanding Series E and H Bonds sold on or after June 1, 1969. The higher rate also applies to older Bonds. Beginning with the first semi-annual interest period starting on or after June 1, 1969, rates on outstanding E and H Bonds will be increased to yield 5 per cent when held to maturity or extended maturity. These outstanding Bonds will also benefit by an improved interim schedule should they be redeemed earlier. Therefore, there would be no advantage in redeeming outstanding Bonds to purchase new Bonds."

Chairman Holt pointed out that the dollar limit on annual purchases of E Bonds by an individual has been reduced to $5,000 purchase price. Previously, the annual limit was $20,000, face amount. The annual limit on H Bonds has also been reduced to $5,000 - - from the previous $30,000. However, in computing this limit, Bonds registered in the names of coowners may be applied to the holdings of either or apportioned between them. Further, the nontaxable exchanges of Series E Bonds for current-income H Bonds will not be counted against these new annual limits.

The original maturity of the Series E Bond has been shortened from 7 years to 5 years, 10 months. H Bonds will continue to mature in 10 years.

"Freedom Shares" - - sold in combination with E Bonds since May 1, 1967 - - will be removed from sale effective June 30, 1970.

"Savings Bonds have always been a good buy", Chairman Holt stated. "Now, with a more petitive interest rate, they are better than ever. Their guaranteed return, liquidity, safety, and tax advantages make them one of the soundest investments available. And you can buy them automatically and painlessly - - through the Payroll Savings Plan where you work or the Bond-A-Month Plan where you bank."

Roy Downs of Calera is Shelby County U. S. Savings Bonds Chairman.

ABOUT GREENS

Many Christmas greens used today were once pagan symbols. Flowers and leafy boughs were used in Roman rites. The Saxons used holly, ivy and bay in their religious observances.

Our heartfelt old-fashioned good wishes and thanks to loyal patrons and friends.

Crim Radio & TV
Alabaster

Merry Christmas

May your tree be trimmed with all the fun and festivity of the Christmas season.

This greeting comes your way with deep appreciation for your patronage and good will.

COLUMBIANA 5 and 10
Columbiana

Vandals rob grave of 5-year-old boy

We have many phone calls and personal pop calls in our office during the daily routine - - but rarely, if ever, have we been called upon to relate this sad - but true happening right here in Kingdom Community at Christmas-Time.

Mrs. Opal Strickland, grandmother of the late little five year old Rusty Stricklin, who choked to death some months ago, visited his tiny grave in the Kingdom Community the first part of this week, and left some lovely Christmas flowers; a miniature tree and the nativity scene, to mark her remembrance of her grandson who had met such a tragic death. She returned Monday to re-arrange her mementos and found the grave perfectly bare and all decorations stolen.

Mrs. Stricklin - wanted this story related in order to warn others who might want to remember those who had passed on but were not forgotten, and she would also like to know just who, there is in Shelby County - who could stoop so low as to rob the grave of a little child?

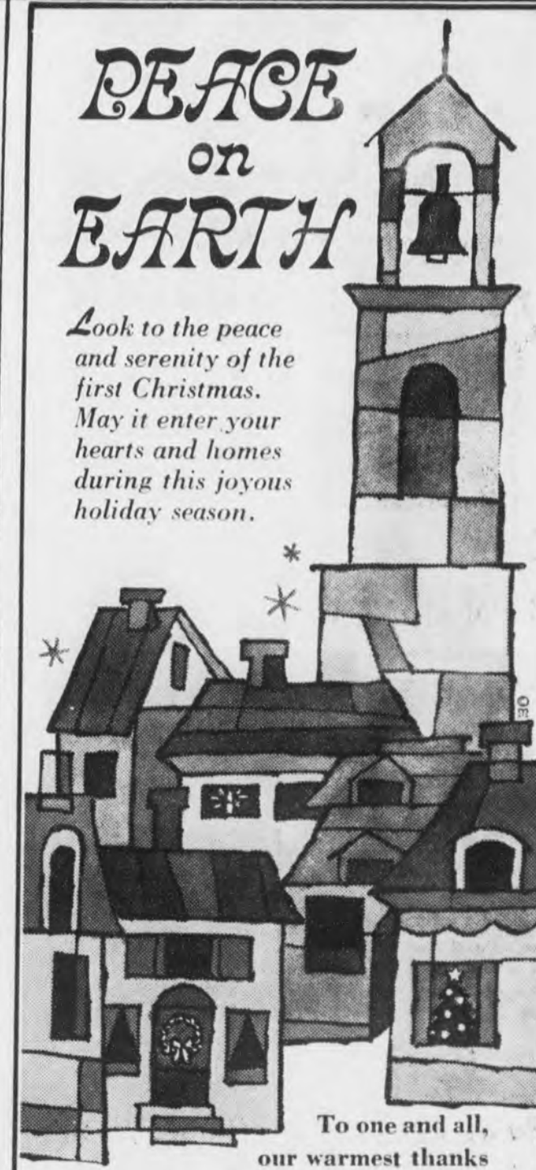
M.W.W.

Serving up a tray of cheer and happiness to you and yours. We appreciate your patronage. Thanks.

DAIRY BAR
COLUMBIANA

PEACE on EARTH

Look to the peace and serenity of the first Christmas. May it enter your hearts and homes during this joyous holiday season.



To one and all, our warmest thanks for your kind support.

Mountain View Lumber Co.
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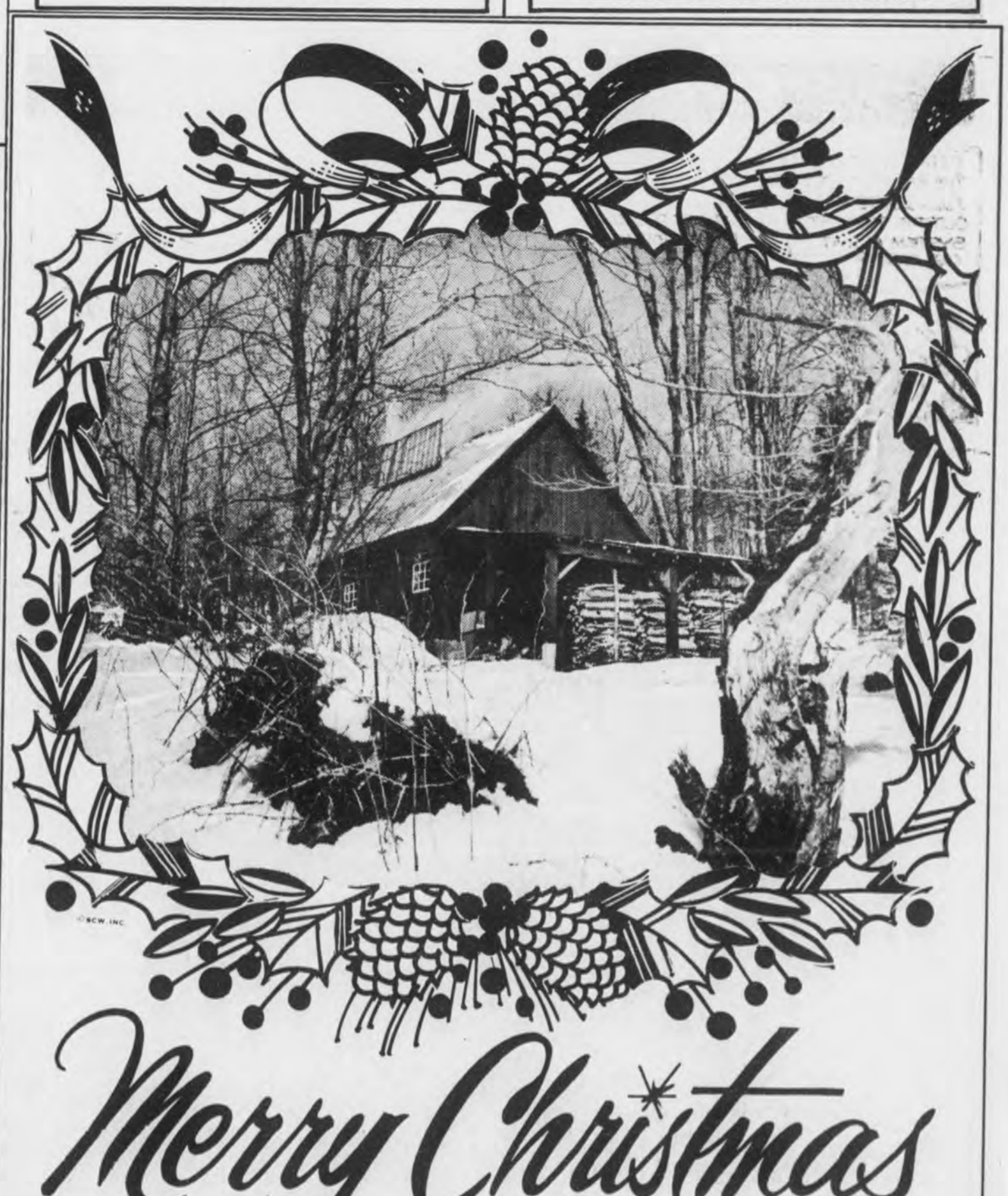
Lavon & Mae Moore



Merry Christmas

It's the season for walks in the snow... for fires burning brightly on the hearth... for wishing friends the very best!

Elastic Corporation of America and Employees

Please accept this old-fashioned wish for a cheery, wonderful holiday season . . . along with a warm "thank you."

Jack Vansant
Service Station & Grocery
H'way 25 North of Columbiana

MAKING CHRISTMAS GIFTS - - Mrs. Elnora Stieb of Calera (in checkered suit) gives instructions on making artificial Christmas trees to officers and leaders of Calera Girl Scout Troop 153. Shown are (from left) Jacque Glass, Denise Bates, Carol Long, Mrs. Steib, Mrs. J. Carl Glass, Annmarie Bird, Mrs. Jim Owens, Diane Owens and Mrs. Maurice Bird. The girl scouts made the decorations for a special gift to their parents.

In the spirit of this beautiful season, we greet our friends and extend sincere gratitude for their kindness and loyalty.

Shelby County Sheriff's Department
C. P. "Red" Walker

Important legislation coming up daily in congress, Flowers reports

By Walter Flowers

The great hue and cry from some quarters indicates that the narrow defeat of the unfair and discriminatory provisions of the 1965 Voting Rights Act was a significant victory for equality in treatment of states. By a close vote of 208 to 203, the House on December 11 substituted a nationwide plan for the committee version directed primarily at seven southern states, including Alabama. These seven states have been singled out since 1965 by this "regional" legislation, the discriminatory provisions of which will expire in August, 1970 unless extended. The original measure was designed to extend the Act for five more years, the effect of which was to make entire states "guilty" until proven "innocent". Striking out the need for prior approval of changes in state election laws by the Attorney General of U. S. District Court of Washington, D. C., ends what I think was an unconstitutional provision to begin with.

I think that the House of Representatives also struck a significant blow for fairness and equality for all states, as well as for all people, in adopting the substitute proposal. We should not have any second-class citizens in these United States and we certainly should not have any second-class states either. This action must be counted among the most significant during this first session of the 91st Congress, but other important legislation is coming up daily as the end of the year approaches.

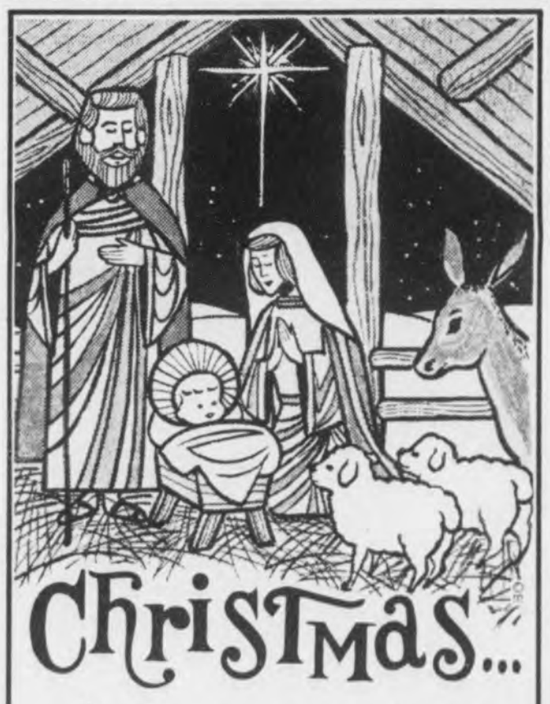
By a not quite so narrow margin, the House voted a two year extension with minor changes of the Equal Opportunity Act. However, this came only after assurances from OEO Director Rumsfeld and others that there would be continuous efforts to improve the program and contain the excesses. Many had hoped to see alternative legislation adopted which would shift some of the direction and control to state authorities, but this can be accomplished as well under the present legislation.

This will be my last regular weekly column until after Christmas and the Congress re-convenes. I hope my reports during 1969 have served the purposes intended - - to help keep you informed on major issues and let you know what my positions are. I know for sure that many have taken the time to offer their comments on many subjects, which I am always happy to receive.

With your interest and support, I will continue to do my best to represent you, our District, and our State in the manner that you expect and deserve in the United States Congress.

MAY HAPPINESS BRIGHTEN YOUR HOME, NOW AT CHRISTMAS, AND IN THE DAYS TO COME . . . BEST WISHES TO ALL!

WHALEY Furniture Co.
MONTEVALLO CALERA



May the serenity and joy of the Holy Family inspire you with the spirit of love and peace at Christmas. Our sincere thanks to everyone.

Shaw's Florist
Columbiana 669-6671

May the true spirit of Christmas fill your hearts and homes, our sincere thanks to all.

Brasher's
BARBER SHOP
Columbiana

'Adeste Fidelis' sung in 120 languages

"Adeste Fidelis" (O Come, All Ye Faithful) is one of the best-known Christmas carols in the world. It has been translated into more than 120 languages and dialects.

Some scholars believe it may have been known to Francis of Assisi and that it might have been sung while the people gathered around the first creches.

Still others say that the great carol was written by St. Bonaventure, a contemporary of St. Francis, in the 13th century.

Be that as it may, it is affirmed that the carol changed through the years, and was popular in Germany and France as early as the 17th century.

The earliest recorded words and melody of "Adeste Fidelis" are found in "Cantus Diversi", a collection of hymns (1750) by John Francis Wade.

The carols, hymns and songs that so enrich our Christmas season today are the products of many countries and many centuries.

This beautiful music came to America with the early settlers.

The Germans brought Luther's hymn for children, "Away In A Manger." "God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen" came from England. The French gave us "Cantique de Noel" or "O, Holy Night."

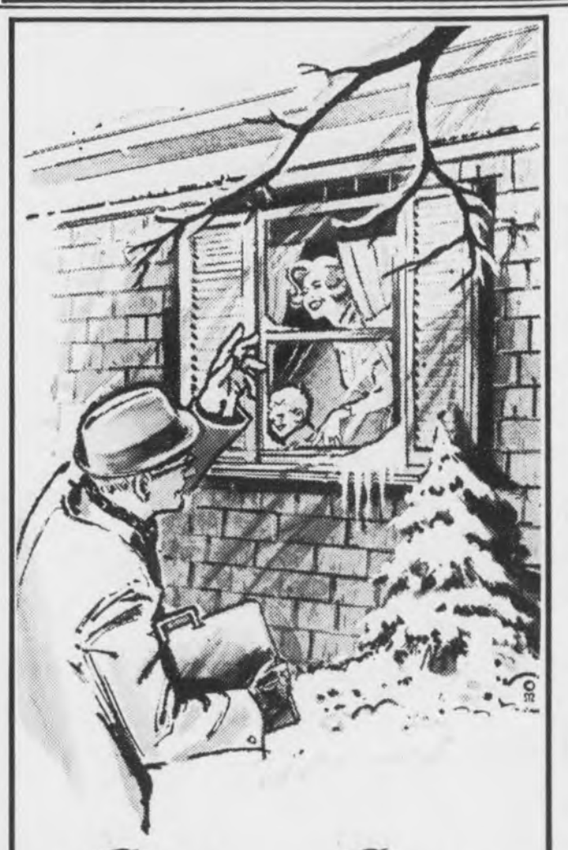
American composers began early to fill the roster of Christmas favorites.

In 1730, Charles Wesley, younger brother of John Wesley, founder of the Methodist denomination, wrote "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing."

"It Came Upon A Midnight Clear" was composed in 1849 by Edmund H. Sears.

To all our loyal patrons, warm thanks.

Stinson's Standard Service Station
Neal and Bertie Lee


Christmas Greetings

The contentment and security of home and family is particularly valued at Christmas. May the season find you snug and happy, and may we thank you for letting us serve you.

RUX CARTER INSURANCE AGENCY Columbiana

From all of us to every one of you, may we offer a sleighful of the best holiday greetings and a sincere thank you for all your kindness.

Western Auto Store
Geraldine F. Jones
Columbiana

Merry Christmas

May all your dreams be fulfilled.
Thanks for your continued support.

CURT'S CLEANERS
Columbiana and Calera

O, HOLY NIGHT

'Tis the night of the dear Saviour's birth . . . May His blessings be upon you and all of those you hold dear . . . may His star guide us to peace. Thank you, sincerely, for your valued patronage.

First National Bank of Columbiana
Columbiana - Wilsonville
Member of FDIC

Mahans entertain

A gala party that lasted into the early morning hours was held last Friday at the restored ante-bellum home of Dr. and Mrs. Mike Mahan at Brierfield. Co hosts for the party were Dr. and Mrs. John Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Pritchett, and Mr. and Mrs. John Owens.

More than 75 guests were present, many of them members of the faculty of the University of Montevallo, Indian Springs School, and musicians from the Birmingham Symphony Orchestra.

An interesting punch-note that other hostesses will rush to copy: Instead of the ordinary ice in the punchbowl, whole fresh apples, oranges, pears and other fruits were frozen and used as ice.

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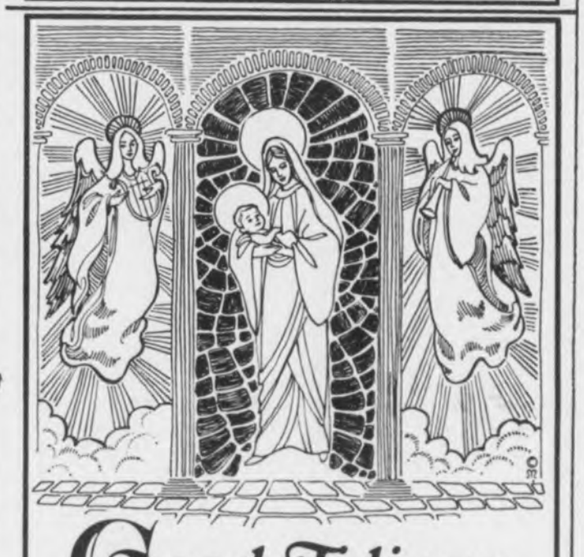
Richard H. Robinson of Montevallo has been inititated into the electrical engineering honor society, Eta Kappa Nu, at Auburn University. Danny Wyatt of Harpersville is president of the society.

Santa is coming your way with plenty of jolly good wishes for your holiday, and thanks.
Merry Christmas
Merchant Auto Supply
Highway 25 - Montevallo

True blessings of Christmas arise from that first wondrous Holy Night, and may they be yours. Thanks.
Style Shoppe
Columbiana


Good Tidings
Let the eternal light of love, the symbol of His birth, shine into every heart, bringing peace to all.
A& L Hardware
Columbiana

'Tis the season to be jolly, and here's wishing all of our good friends the jolliest of greetings . . . the warmest of thanks.
OK Rubber Welders
Columbiana

PEANUTS AND SANTA -- A Peanuts fan waits his turn to speak with the jolly man in the bright red suit. Santa is gearing up now for his annual trip to Shelby County.

Cards preserve words of Christmas

Great writers of every age since medieval times have made contributions to the various expressions and phrases that are associated with Christmas.

Such expressions as, "A Ryghte Merrie Chrystmasse Toe You," have now become archaic and the spelling quaint. But the continued exchange of Christmas cards over the years has been a strong influence in preserving the traditional words, or greetings, associated with the season.

From the very beginning of greeting cards, prime importance was placed on the message itself. In fact, some of the earliest cards were simply greetings with sprigs or borders of holly on an otherwise plain card.

But then, as early as the 1880's in England and also in America, verses appropriate to the season and composed by famous authors, were proving popular on Christmas cards.

One such poem by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow — with a portrait of the eminent gentleman — appears on one of the antiques in the Hallmark Historical Collection, a treasury of more than 50,000 greetings which provides a variety of the expressions of good cheer and Christmas wishes by famous writers over the years.

The age old message of the season is to be found in today's Christmas cards, expressed in poetry and prose by such outstanding literary figures of the past and present as William Shakespeare, Samuel Taylor Coleridge, Sara Teasdale and, more recently, T. S. Eliot, Archibald MacLeish, William Carlos Williams and the late Russian writer, Boris Pasternak.

Pasternak's "The Christmas Pine Tree" has been excerpted for a greeting card which reads in part:

I love her to tears, at sight,
from the first,
As she comes from the woods
in storm and snow.
So awkward her branches, the
shyest of firs!
We fashion her threads unhurriedly, slow.
Her garments of silvery, gossamer lace,
Patterns of tinsel, and spangles aglow
From branch unto branch,
down to the base
I love her to tears, from the
first, so bright
In a crowd of friends on
Christmas night."

Portions of Sir Walter Scott's "Marmion" have been used for still another Christmas card verse:

"England was merry England
when
Old Christmas brought his
sports again.
The damsel donned her kirtle
sheen;
The hall was dressed with
holly green;
Forth to the wood did merrymen go
To gather in the mistletoe.
'Twas Christmas broached the
mightiest ale;
'Twas Christmas told the
merriest tale;
A Christmas gambol oft would
cheer
The poor man's heart through
half the year."

In a lighter vein, one of America's most popular versifiers, Ogden Nash, has contributed his own inimitable style and thoughts to the spirit of Christmas greetings with several mirth-provoking stanzas such as the following:

"Our halls are decked with
boughs of holly,
And trimmings red and green
and jolly;
We get that old time Christmas feeling
While tacking wreaths from
floor to ceiling.
To you we sipped a Yuletide
cup
While hanging decorations
up;
Oh, how we wish you were in
town —
So you could help us take
them down!"

CROWNED FOR YULE

English folk festivals of the Middle Ages crowned a "Lord of Misrule," who directed the holiday celebrations.

The exchange of Christmas greetings among friends is one of the happiest traditions of this season. We extend our greetings to all of you . . . along with a heartfelt thanks.
Columbiana Leader
MAIN ST. COLUMBIANA

Falcons place 2nd in tournament

The University of Montevallo basketball team, well on the way to its best season since intercollegiate basketball competition was introduced at the Montevallo school, gained second place in the Hubbard Invitational Tournament held over the weekend in Bremen, Georgia.

Coach Bill Jones' Falcons earned their way into the playoffs of the holiday tournament by taking a 79-78 decision over West Georgia College, Friday night.

Montevallo's James Hobbs, a 6-6 junior from Athens kept the game from going into overtime by signing the winning basket in the last ten seconds of play.

The tournament was won by Jacksonville State when the Gamecocks defeated Montevallo in the championship match, Saturday night, 131-91.

In total competition for the season Montevallo has chalked up seven wins against four losses.

In Alabama Collegiate Conference play, the Falcons continue to post a winning record with three wins and two losses. The two losses were to Jacksonville State and St. Bernard. Winning scores within the conference have been posted over Livingston, Troy and Athens. U M has also won from Tennessee Temple, LaGrange of Georgia, Birmingham Southern and West Georgia College.

The Falcons will be idle during the rest of the Christmas holidays and will next see action when they travel to North Alabama to meet Athens College in Athens, on January 8.

The next home encounter for Montevallo will be against St. Bernard College of Cullman on Saturday, January 10.

SHELBY COUNTY
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Deaths	November 1969
Allen, Claud Thomas	Siluria
Bell, Floyd	Montevallo
Blackerby, Mary Jane	Columbiana
Buie, Francis	Columbiana
Connell, Harvey Troy	Shelby
Conwell, Horace	Montevallo
Cook, Mary Emma	Sterrett
Cook, Oscar Hobson Jr.	Sterrett
Fleming, Alma O.	Vincent
Fortenberry, Nell P.	Montevallo
Hughes, Ellis H.	Calera
Meade, Almer E.	Harpersville
Moreland, Nell	Wilton
Pate, Cora	Shelby
Peeples, Chirstopher	Alabaster
Pierce, Ananias	Siluria
Tolbert, Zeb	Montevallo
Wade, Lawrence Daniel	Helena
Walker, J. M.	Calera
Weathers, Vicki Darleen	Birmingham
Young, Virginia	Briarfield

Let Santa go modern if he likes . . . but the sentiment is old-fashioned, still. Warm greetings and thanks for your loyalty.
Kirkland Service Station
Highway 31 North - Alabaster

To wish you Peace, Joy
To each and every one of our good friends and patrons, we extend, with sincere appreciation, warm wishes for a most memorable holiday.
Jones Flowers
Jones Food Mart
Columbiana, Alabama

We'd like to extend the best of the season to all and say thank you for making us your auto service and accessories headquarters.
Blankenship Auto Parts
COLUMBIANA

Blessings to All

On this Holy Day . . . we pray that you will be blessed with health and happiness and may the spirit of Christmas guide your future.
Southern Cement Company
CALERA
A DIVISION OF
MARTIN – MARIETTA CORPORATION

Frank R. Wall dies in Wilsonville home

Frank R. Wall, 86, of Rt. 1, Wilsonville, died on December 17 at his home.

Survivors are his widow, Mrs. Zella Wall, three daughters, Mrs. M. F. Nesbett, Mrs. Edward Hayes, Mrs. Hanceford Hayes; two sons, F. C. and Billy Wall; one brother, two sisters, six grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Rev. Elvin Liveoak officiated at services at the Bolton Chapel.

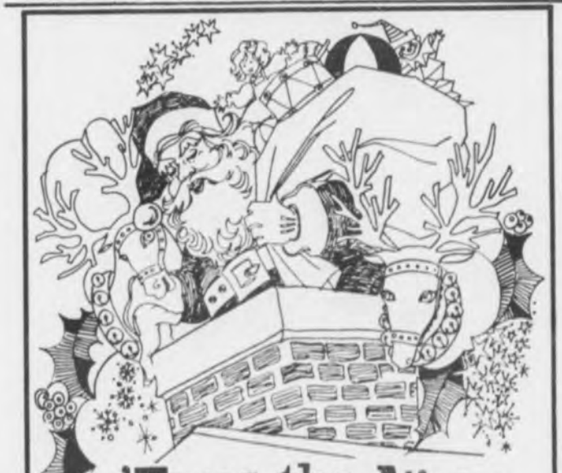
A Peaceful Christmas
Serene good wishes and sincere thanks.
Klotzman's Store
Montevallo

Merry Christmas

Thanks for your generous support and consideration. Merry Christmas!
Mann Food Store
Highway 31 - Saginaw

Joy to the World

In keeping with the spirit of the season, may we extend the very best of the Christmas holiday to all . . . also, our thanks for everything.
Scruggs Trading Post
Dot and Everett Scruggs
WILSONVILLE


'Twas the Night Before Christmas...
Time for us to say thank you to our many friends, wishing them all "Merry Christmas"!

FARR'S
AUTO PARTS & GARAGE
Columbiana

WINTER WONDERLAND - - A Thompson High School majorette prances down the street appropriately dressed for a stroll through the winter wonderland. She and THS bandsmen marched in the Montevallo Christmas parade.

Housing demands to increase in '70

The Alabama savings and loan industry is looking to the seventies confident of its ever-growing and expanding role in the state's economy, declared Paul Turner, Pell City, president of the Alabama Savings and Loan League.

In his yearend statement, Turner noted that housing needs and demands in the state have never been as great and that they will increase more rapidly than ever in the next decade. The demand for home financing far exceeds the supply of available funds in the present tight money situation, he said.

"The financial strength of the savings and loan business in Alabama is at an all-time high," the Pell City businessman announced. "The credit squeeze over the past several months has seriously shrunk the real estate mortgage market, but because of its strong financial position the savings and loan industry in Alabama has been able to furnish home financing at virtually the same record volume as in 1968."

He pointed out that in the first ten months of 1969 the savings and loan industry in the state furnished $19.8 million for the construction and $60.1 million for the purchase of 1-4 family homes. These figures compare with $22.3 million and $58.7 million in 1968. Mortgage loans closed by savings and loans in November and December, however, are expected to be lower than last year's production, Turner added.

On the question of inflation and the money market in 1970, Turner expects the first quarter to be "comparable with the final quarter of '69." He suggested, however, that the Federal government could alter any forecast by its action in the money market. "But whatever happens," he stressed, "the savings and loan industry is gearing itself to perform at maximum effectiveness throughout the year."

Reporting from the Alabama Savings and Loan League office in Montgomery, League Executive Vice President Doug Amos pointed up the government's involvement in the money market by declaring that its various agencies are "offering the foremost competition for the savings dollar." He contended that millions of dollars are being drawn away from the mortgage market in Alabama by "unfair competition of the Federal government."

Expressing hope that the Federal government will not be as active in the money market in 1970, he said that the government must assign housing a higher priority if the nation's housing goals are to be attained in the seventies. "The state's 59 savings and loan association," he said, "stand ready to do whatever necessary to get our homebuilders back in business."

Savings and loan associations are thrift institutions which invest over 80 percent of their funds in real estate mortgages.

Freedom gift of Christmas

The foundation for the preservation of the freedom to celebrate such Christian beliefs as Christmas — this was the gift to our country on that very day in December 1776.

It happened when George Washington and his men won the battle at Trenton, Pa. That was the beginning of a long line of victories that eventually led to ultimate victory and total independence.

THE FIRST NOEL
The radiant Star of Bethlehem shines brightly as ever, symbol of the true meaning of Christmas . . . Our greetings and thanks to all of you.
Robinson's Quaker
Highway 25
Columbiana, Alabama

Santa Claus has origin in America

Hear them? They're sleighbells — and we all know what that means! Santa's here, and with him arrives one of the oldest, happiest, and best loved traditions of the Christmas season.

Today, of course, it just wouldn't be Christmas without Santa Claus, but it is interesting to ponder just where the jolly old gent got his start, and it might be surprising to learn that it wasn't really the North Pole.

The name Santa Claus, itself, is an American derivation of the name St. Nicholas, an early fourth century bishop in Asia Minor, according to the editors of the Encyclopedia International.

Santa was first brought to this country by the early Dutch settlers, who called him Sinterklaas. These Dutch burghers portrayed him as a merry old man, sometimes even with a wife they called Molly Grietje.

Santa also looked a little different then, and he wore a wide-brimmed black hat, short Dutch breeches, and smoked a long clay pipe.

Later, the British brought their own Father Christmas to America — a happy, roly-poly Falstaffian figure.

Inevitably, Sinterklaas and Father Christmas became one. Add to this the Norwegian's Kriss Kringle, with his sleigh and reindeer, and the picture is nearly complete.

It was finally the task of American artists and writers to create an image of Santa Claus such as we know today. Washington Irving, among others, contributed to the concept of Santa as a jolly holiday figure, while Clement Moore, in his famous "Visit from St. Nicholas" ("'Twas the Night Before Christmas"), added to the concept.

However, the notion of Santa Claus which really captured the imagination of young and old alike was drawn by the American cartoonist Thomas Nast in 1863.

Yes, that's Santa all right, with his fur-trimmed suit, shiny black boots and long white beard. Just the way we've always known him — or so it seems.

Legends Honor St. Nicholas

He's the patron saint of pawnbrokers. He watches over mariners. Since the fourth century, he has been remembered for his generosity.

Many of the legends linked with St. Nicholas, real-life ancestor of today's Santa Claus.

But his most enduring connection is with youth and gifts. In Europe, his feast day, December 6th, has traditionally been an occasion for merriment and gifting.

Joyous Christmas Wishes
In the happy spirit of the holiday that abounds, we thank our faithful neighbors and friends.
B-Lovely Beauty Salon
Estelle B. Chisolm, owner and operator
Kay Mims, operator
Columbiana

Santa is on his way with a sleighful of jolly wishes for you, plus a hearty, warm "Thank you" from grateful us, too.
Dycus Cab Co.
Russell and Mollie
COLUMBIANA

A Very Merry Christmas to All!

Happy holiday wishes to each and every one of you. And thanks for your very kind patronage.
COLUMBIANA CLEANERS
BILLY and ANN SMITH

Merry Christmas
ABEX CORPORATION

Dr. Rayfield urges tuberculin test

"Anyone can have TB and not know it", says Dr. John Rayfield Shelby County Health Officer.

"There are no symptoms in the earliest stages of active TB", Dr. Rayfield says. "You may not know you are sick and spreading germs to others.

"But there are ways to find out. Taking a Tuberculin test is a first step", according to Dr. Rayfield. "If the test indicates the presence of TB germs, other procedures, including x-rays and laboratory tests, will be used to confirm the results.

"Today we have the knowledge to wipe out TB completely", Dr. Rayfield said. "But not everyone takes advantage of that knowledge. Pills can cure active TB. If a person does have TB, most of the treatment can take place at home. But treatment should begin in a hospital where doctors can take tests and find the best combination of drugs for each person.

"The really dangerous thing about TB is when it is undetected", Dr. Rayfield said. "When TB is detected, the dangers disappear".

The Shelby County Christmas Seal sale supports the Shelby County TB Association.

CANDY SAILS - - Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus toss cnady to the waiting hands of children along the parade route in Calera. When the candy hit the street, the scramble was on and if you were lucky you collected a sweet treat from the jolly fellow.

Early man associated candles with his spiritual longings

It is difficult to imagine Christmastime without candles.

Long before Christ, man associated the light of the candle with his spiritual longings. The Old Testament refers to the candle often.

As civilization dawned, man came to guard the flames he discovered he he could make by friction of sticks or flint. Crude torches let him hold the light a little longer and to lengthen his days so that he might pursue his labor and his quest for knowledge.

The Romans were probably the first to make candles, which they burned before the altars of their gods, to light their banquet rooms, and to light their pageants and carnivals. It is interesting to note that while pagan Rome used the candle for merry-making, the Christian martyrs used it to light the catacombs.

It was natural for Christians to adapt the candle to their way of life, for Christ had referred to Himself as the Light of the world. More, He had assured them that each Christian was a light.

The Middle Ages found the candle at its zenith. Made of tallow, by the dipping process, the candle was widely used for light, on up till the 19th century.

The Medieval church made sure that candles were made of beeswax . . . an idea founded in the belief that bees came to earth directly from heaven. Throughout the Middle Ages it was common for swarms of bees to be cared for near religious establishments.

Some of the candles of the Middle Ages were thick and tall; they rose over the heads of the people and cast a fairly strong light in a royal hall, or cathedral. These huge candles weighed as much as 300 pounds.

The custom of putting lighted candles on the tree came from Martin Luther's time, when hazards of fire from candles was an accepted risk, part of life itself.

The idea of lights on the tree is still cherished by modern man. One of Albert Schweitzer's books tells of a Christmas Day in a steaming jungle when a dying man begged for a Christmas tree with candles on it.

It is traditional that every family in Ireland have a candle in the home as a symbol of faith, to welcome the Christ and to invite strangers (who may be the Holy Infant with an earthly disguise).

In Italy a Christmas candle is kept burning in front of each creche during the Yule Season.

In Spain, the Christmas candle is placed over the doors of the faithful.

Choirs sing

Junior and chancel choirs were responsible for a stirring program at the New Hope Presbyterian Church Sunday evening.

The musical program was directed by Mrs. Bill Marshall.

Wilsonville clubs observe Christmas

The Wilsonville Fine Arts club held its Christmas Party in the home of Mrs. Butler Carder. Beautiful Christmas decorations added to the festive occasion.

Mrs. Frank Simms was the guest speaker for the evening. Her subject was "If Christ had not come."

During the social hour gifts were exchanged and refreshments served.

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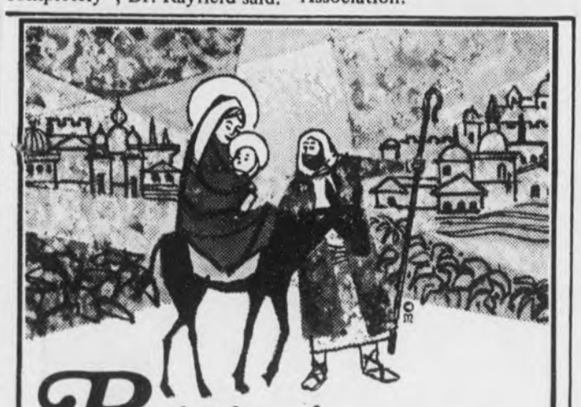
The Wilsonville W.S.C.S. met Dec. 16th at the church, Mrs. Reed Smith presiding.

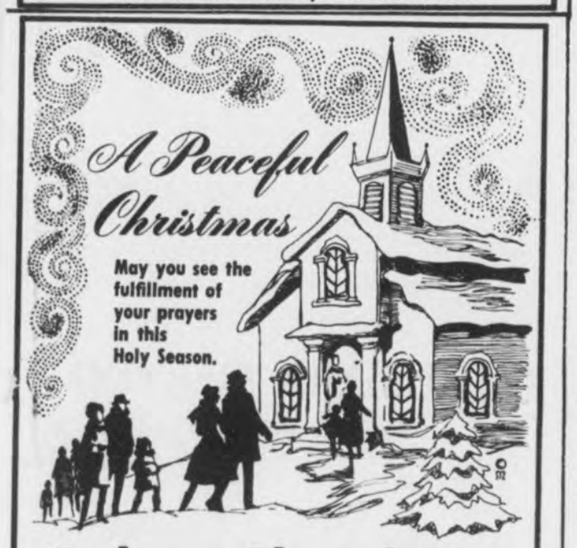
Mrs. Everett Scruggs presented the program "The Origin Of Our Christmas Customs". Mrs. George Nagle was in charge of the music.

A covered dish lunch and exchange of gifts followed the meeting.



Rejoice! Today, as in His time, let us rejoice and renew faith at this Holy Season. Thank you.

J. C. Acton Service
Highway 31 - Helena Rt. 1
Your former County Commissioner



Calera Floral Co.
Flora Pearl King - Owner

Thanks for your most generous good will. To you and yours we wish a Merry Christmas.

Sims Service Center
Highway 25 - Montevallo

We join those who sing out the praises of this joyful season, and thank you for your trust and good will.

BEAUTY BAR
Johnny Faye Whitfield
COLUMBIANA

Blessings

Joy and blessings to all, during the Holiest of Seasons.

HELENA DRUG
Helena, Alabama

It is no Undercover story that we wish the season's best to you and yours.

"The Heart Of Your Wardrobe"
The Elizabeth Shop
Montevallo, Ala.

To all our patrons . . . from the station that serves Santa.

ALLEN'S
SHELL SERVICE STATION
MONTEVALLO

Last Minute

GIFT SUGGESTIONS For Late Shoppers

★ Cosmetics for Ladies
Faberge Coty MaxFactor

★ Cosmetics for Men
Jade East British Sterling
Bravura Canoe Brut
Royal Regiment

★ Kindness Hairsetters
★ Papermate Pens
★ Instamatic Cameras
★ Cross Pens
★ Boxed Candies

★ Polaroid Colorpaak II Cameras
★ Broxodent Deluxe
Electric Toothbrushes

★ Small Electrical Appliances
Gift Items For The Home

FREE GIFT WRAPPING OF ITEMS PURCHASED FROM OUR PHARMACY

USE YOUR MASTER CHARGE CARD

Your BANKAMERICARD welcome here

GILLIS PHARMACY
Walgreen AGENCY
ALABASTER SHOPPING CENTER
ALABASTER, ALABAMA

CHEERING FOR SANTA - - Cheerleaders from Calera join the parade to assist Santa Claus in bringing cheer to Central Alabama during Calera's annual Christmas Parade. The parade was sponsored recently by the Calera Jaycees.

Westover News

By Mrs. Elsie Jones

Master Sergeant Dan Sexton spent several days with his family, the W.R. Sextons last week. This was his Christmas visit home, due to his duties on the base at Biloxi.

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Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Walton motored to Atlanta for Christmas with their son, H.E. Jr., and his family. After Christmas day, they will fly to Charlotte, N. C.
for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Anne Hobler.

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Rober Champion is being welcomed home by his grandmother, Mrs. Ever Champion and the rest of his family after a year's tour of duty in Vietnam. After a 30 day leave, he will be stationed in Colorado. Roger was awarded three purple hearts for three wounds received in Vietnam.

The regular fourth Saturday night gospel singing will be held at Mt. Zion Baptist Church on December 27. Guest singers will be the Sky Raiders, according to Mrs. Ruby Gardner, chairman.

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An auto wreck, involving three cars marred the holidays for several families Sunday evening on Highway 280. Five persons were hospitalized. I understand that this accident was caused by a speeding car attempting to pass a string of cars on a curve on a rain-slicked highway. May we all take time to think a little more seriously about our driving habits on this dangerous road, especially when the weather makes driving hazardous at the very best.

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Mrs. Minnie Morrison passed away at her home on West Highway 280 after a long illness, early Monday morning. At this writing, funeral arrangements have not been completed.

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To all the girls and boys, both young and old, I have been told that Santa Claus paid a visit to the Westover area on Sunday afternoon, checking out his list for his return Christmas Eve night. He was emphatic about coming back and we hope none of us was found out of step after his visit, even though I think it was a bit late to be "peeping" around.

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A Christmas Prayer
With most sincere hopes that peace and happiness be with us all. Many thanks.
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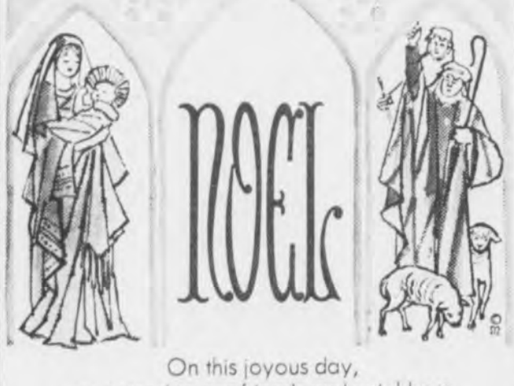
Highway 31 - Saginaw



On this joyous day,
we extend to our friends and neighbors,
the wish for peace and happiness.
And add a heartfelt thank you to all.
Jim's Shell Service
Highway 31 - Pelham

An old-fashioned wish from us to you, dear friends. May your joys be many. And, special thanks.
Thompson Street Beauty Shop
Alice Vick - Owner
COLUMBIANA

Christmas season for giving, sharing

By ANNA MANG

"Merry Christmas, one and all."

With this simple and sincere greeting, all the warmth and excitement of Christmas reaches its peak.

In this community, as in cities and towns throughout the nation and around the world, days and weeks of list-making, gift-shopping, home-decorating, party-planning and Christmas-program-rehearsing are reaching a happy culmination.

Families gather, Santa enters, church bells ring. Christmas arrives!

Every year, Christmas seems to generate more eager anticipation, here and everywhere, with earlier and more enthusiastic planning — appropriately, for part of the spirit and the joy of Christmas is in the planning.

The spirit of Christmas starts with thoughtfulness. It begins in the hearts of each of us. It grows with a hope, a wish, a prayer.

It shows itself, outwardly, in such manifestations as merry songs and bountiful gifts, and in the festive decorations and glowing lights now adorning local streets and stores, homes and churches.

It expresses itself, most deeply, in private devotions and in special services such as those scheduled by local churches.

It is a spirit abounding in legend and lore, in customs and traditions honored through the years. And most of all, it is the spirit of reverence and joy that shepherds and wise men knew.

To capture that spirit is to keep Christmas truly and well, for it enriches all the things this wonderful season stands for.

For Children

Christmas is for children. Candies and cookies and all those holiday goodies, trees gaily adorned and brightly lighted, Santa's pack stuffed with surprises — all these things are planned and prepared just for the children.

Or at least, so the grown-ups say, and who's to doubt them?

In a still more special way, Christmas is for children. The manger scene in homes and churches ever reminds us that the Child born in Bethlehem was He who later said, "Suffer little children to come unto me."

For Rejoicing

Christmas is for rejoicing. Since first the herald angels sang, this rejoicing has most often found expression in music and song.

"Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men," the angels sang.

Now as in earliest times, the spirit of joy and wonder echoes anew in the hymns and carols of Christmas.

For Giving

Christmas is for giving. The eagerness of children waiting for Santa, the excited plotting and planning that goes into the choosing and wrapping of gifts, the packages heaped beneath the tree happily symbolize the spirit of Christmas.

Even as the Wise Men gave of their most precious treasures, to honor Him, so people give generously at Christmas, and true generosity stems from thoughtfulness—giving with open heart as well as open hand.

For Sharing

Christmas is for sharing. Thus giving to the less fortunate is a traditional part of the Christmas spirit.

Joy grows through sharing, says the holiday message, and sharing is most blessed when it extends not only to those near and dear but to those known only through their need.

For Greetings

Christmas continues as it begins, with "Merry Christmas, one and all." And as long as the spirit of this cheerful greeting prevails, Christmas never really ends.

Yes, Christmas is for greetings, to family, friends and neighbors. "Merry Christmas, one and all," we say, and the spirit of Christmas lives forever in the words.

Mouse featured in Christmas film

Once upon a time in Bloomington, Ind., there lived a small mouse who was a very woeful character, barred from his mouse house by a rock that rolled down a hill and blocked the front door on Christmas Eve.

Peter was the mouse's name, given him by a 16-year-old film-maker named Gerald D. Reynolds, who wrote and produced "Peter's Christmas."

The Plot Thickens

Since it was the day before Christmas (in the film) and Peter had to be in bed if he was to receive any presents from Santa, Peter tried everything to move the rock.

Finally, his thoughts of Santa inspired him. He slid down the chimney just in time to have a merry Christmas after all.

And just in time to win a prize for his creator in the Kodak Teen-Age Movie Awards competition.

For "Peter's Christmas," Gerald Reynolds won a special award for cartoon animation. The film included more than 800 drawings—half on paper and half on celluloid — and 25 backgrounds.

From the judges he got high praise — "remarkably well-done," "good job of animation," "displays considerable technical and creative ability."

Gerald was one of hundreds of young film-makers in the competition that Kodak sponsors annually in cooperation with the University Film Foundation on behalf of the University Film Association, whose members serve as judges, and the Council for International Nontheatrical Events, which chooses films from among the winners for showing at foreign film festivals.

Communicating Ideas

Most of all he is a member of today's young film generation, a group to which the camera is almost as familiar as the pencil for communicating ideas.

And for all the movie generation, encouraged by new easy-to-use cameras and dedicated to seriousness of purpose, the movie route appears the most natural, creative way in the world to make a statement.

'Lost Halo' on ETV Christmas

On Christmas Day at 8 p.m. the Birmingham ETV studio will present 'Lost Halo.' The fantasy tells the story of a cherub who uses his halo for a hoop. He rolls the halo along the streets of Heaven until it skips over the balustrade and flits down to Earth.

Reaching Earth, the halo lands right on the head of first one person, then another, changing the lives of each along the way.

'Lost Halo' is an adaptation of the original story by Horatio Winslow whose work appeared in Fortune magazine.

To all of you, the merriest of Christmases is what we're wishing. May fondest memories endure. Thanks, most warmly.
Deluxe Cleaners
Montevallo

STARCHER'S WORK CITED - - George Starcher, veteran of the Shelby County Conservation Service, receives an award for his work from Area Conservationist Robert Cargile, left.

George Starcher presented award

On Dec. 3 Conservation Technician Geo. C. Starcher received from the Soil Conservation Service an official commendation for high quality work during the period July 1, 1968 through June 30, 1969.

Presentation of the award was a feature of the annual Shelby County Soil Conservation District Christmas supper meeting at the Triple J Restaurant in Alabaster. Forty-eight diners watched as Area Conservationist Robert M. Cargile made the presentation to the 25 year veteran of government service, more than twenty years of it being in Shelby county. Among those attending were district supervisors, Board Of Revenue and Control members, and other invited guests.

Further recognition of Starcher and other SCS workers that have won acclaim was made at Alabama's first SCS "Awards Banquet" in Montgomery on Dec. 5th.

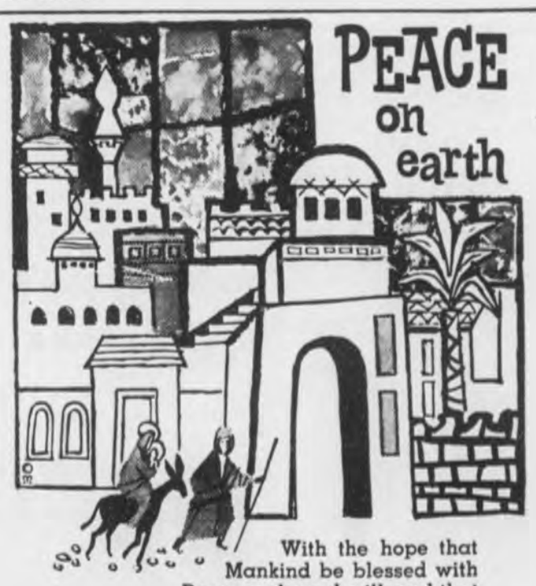
Folk tale explains tree

One German folk tale tells of a child being lost on Christmas Eve and wandering in search of food and shelter. Knocking on the door of a simple cottage, the child was welcomed and fed by an old, poor couple who shared their simple foods despite their own circumstances.

The next morning the couple found the child to be gone. As they searched about, they heard a host of angels singing outside their door. Amidst this group of angels, the Christ Child appeared. The couple recognized Him as the waif they had cared for.

Before departing from His kind friends, the Christ Child broke a branch from a nearby tree and stuck it into the ground. Before their eyes, the elderly couple watched the tree blossom and bear delicious fruits.

From that day on, the tree bore fruit for the couple at Christmas time. From then on, most German homes displayed trees decorated with fruits and nuts to commemorate this miracle.



With the hope that Mankind be blessed with Peace and good will, and that your own Christmas is especially happy. We appreciate your patronage.
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Marie, Jack and Mike
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presented services and a program.

The last scheduled event of the season was for the 22nd, when the First Assembly of God Church of Alabaster brought fruit to the residents and gave a program of carols. Rev. Standifer was chairman of arrangements.

Mrs. Beck tells The Reporter that the residents have thoroughly enjoyed all of the festivities, gifts and decorations and programs.

Greetings
To all our friends: Have the very Merriest Christmas. Many thanks.
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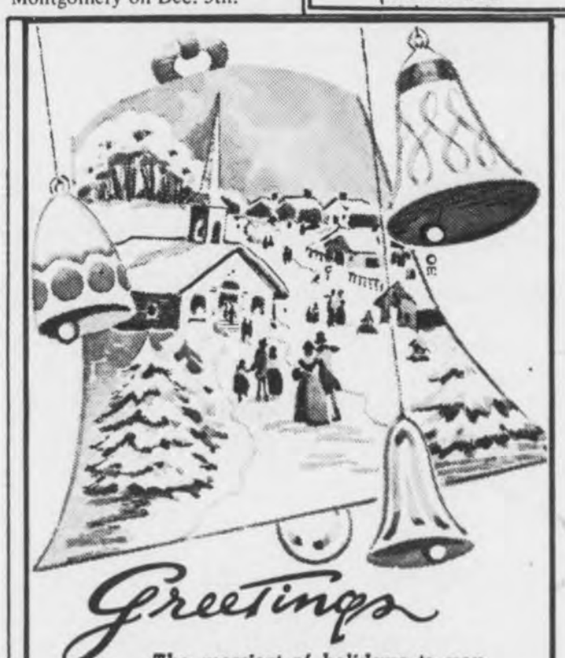
Greetings
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Through the years--

Celebrating Christmas changes

Through the years, the ways of celebrating Christmas have taken on many different forms.

Today's Christmas tree is apt to be plastic or aluminum, rather than nature's own fir, spruce or pine. The glow of tiny beeswax candles on a tree is only a memory, replaced now by strings of twinkling electric lights.

Jolly Santa, once transported only by reindeer-drawn sleigh, may now arrive by helicopter or jet plane.

But in spite of changes, the essence of the season, the basic spirit of Christmas, stays the same.

Christmastide is, above all, a time for togetherness and rejoicing. And a modern Christmas, just like an old-fashioned Christmas, calls for gatherings of family and friends, with much merriment, fun and feasting.

Right now in this community, families are celebrating the holiday with just such gatherings, such merriment, fun and feasting.

Like families of yesteryear, they celebrate with gifts and greens, with the warmth of a glowing hearth and the gleam of a lighted tree, with stockings hung by the chimney with care and even with candles, though these beckon brightly from candleholders rather than from the tree.

All these ways of celebrating are part of the legend and lore of Christmas.

Exchanging Gifts

Exchanging gifts at Christmas is one of the most time-honored of customs, and toys, dolls and games for the children have always ranked high on the gifts list.

In the not-so-long-ago, however, just one important present — a doll for a little girl, perhaps, and a toy accordion for her brother—was all that youngsters might expect at Christmas.

Though Santa is more bountiful nowadays, the gifts he brings are like those of yesteryear in at least one way. They reflect the interests and fashions of their times.

Dolls, yesterday and today, dress in the favorite styles of the moment. Toys, too, show the influence of current events.

Toy racing cars, for instance, came in with the automobile, while today more complex types of wheel toys take advantage of modern technological developments.

Using Greens

Use of greens and garlands to decorate for a festive season goes back a thousand years before the birth of Christ. The custom began with the ancient Egyptians.

Many of the traditions of pagan festivals were later merged with the celebration of Christmas, and evergreens, because they stay green throughout the year, came to be regarded as the Christmas symbol of eternal life.

Decorating the Tree

Many ancient legends associate trees with Christmas. One is that on the first Holy Night, all the trees of the forest blossomed and bore fruit.

The idea of adorning the Christmas tree with ornaments may have started with an attempt to create the effect of snow on the branches. Strings of popcorn and tufts of cotton were used.

Lighting the Tree

Martin Luther started the custom of lighting the tree, legend says.

To symbolize stars glowing forth on a snow-filled winter's night, he placed lighted candles on his family's traditional Christmas tree.

Burning the Log

Today's fireplaces, though smaller in scale than those of yesteryear, symbolize at Christmas the age-old custom of burning the log.

The Yule log was adapted to Christmas celebrations from the Scandinavian practice of building huge bonfires at the winter solstice. Fire represented the spring sun, soon to return.

Hanging Stockings

St. Nicholas, so legend says, secretly gave gifts of gold for the dowries of poor spinsters. He tossed the gold down a chimney on Christmas Eve, and on one occasion the gift landed in a stocking hung by the fireplace to dry.

A tangerine or an orange in the toe of a stocking has come to be symbolic of the gifts of gold.

Seal Campaign over $4,000

Conrad Fowler, Shelby County 1969 Christmas Seal Chairman announced today that once again the citizens of Shelby County have pledged their faith in the voluntary fight agaisnt TB and other respiratory diseases by supporting the campaign.

Reporting on the results of the 1969 Seal Campaign to Dec. 22, Fowler said that the amount now totals $4,177.81, and hoped that contributions would continue to come in so that the goal of $4,267.00 could be reached and surpassed.

According to Fowler, people consult doctors for acute respiratory diseases more often than for any group of acute ailments. "Acute respiratory infections are the major cause of time lost from school and work", Fowler said. "Last year, Americans spent close to 600 million days in bed because of these infections".

GREETINGS
Here's hoping Christmas will be warm and bright
From Jack Sims and Entire Staff
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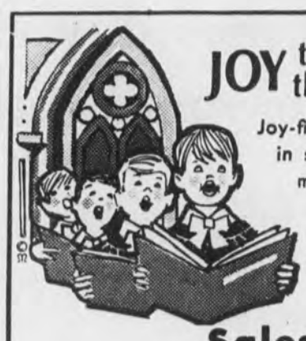
JOY to the WORLD!
Joy-filled voices ring out in song, heralding the message of that first Christmas. To you, best wishes and sincere thanks.
Lovelady Sales & Service
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Greetings from the Probate Office

Virginia Fowler - Erline Doss - Billie Voce
The Probate Judge, absent on county business, joins in this greeting to all in Shelby County.

A sleighful of thanks and good wishes to everyone at Christmas.
Western Auto
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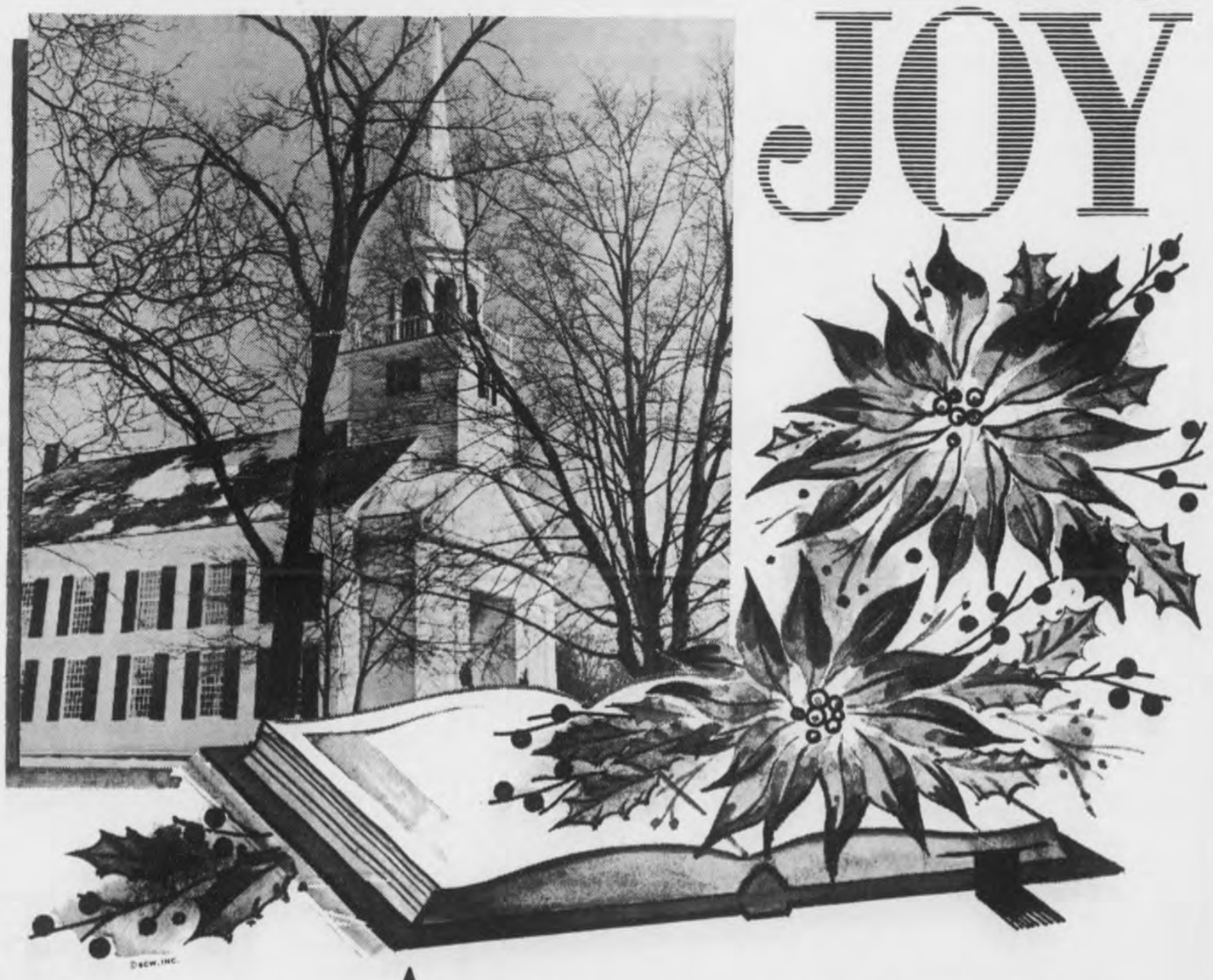
As we gather together with friends and loved ones in our churches and our homes, may we remember the real meaning of Christmas . . . God's love for us . . . and may our hearts be filled with joy!
From Ronnie Milstead and the Entire Staff
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Carols tell holiday story of reverence and endless joy

"O come, all ye faithful,
joyful and triumphant,
O come ye, O come ye
to Bethlehem!
Come and behold Him, born
the King of angels!"

"Adeste Fideles" or "Jingle, Bells," "Silent Night" or "White Christmas" — across the years, hymns, carols and songs have been mankind's way of expressing the joy of Christmas.

From simple melodies sung in the family circle to the majesty of Handel's oratorio, "The Messiah," music and song seem to be the natural way to celebrate Christmas.

Singing First Carol

Singing of the first Christmas carol is attributed to St. Francis of Assisi and his followers, in the 13th century.

St. Francis arranged a Nativity scene and led the singing of songs of praise to the Christ Child.

About Many Things

Subjects and themes for early carols were many and varied.

English people sang of the holly and the ivy and the wassail bowl. More religious in theme were the English songs traditionally sung between scenes of mystery and miracle plays.

In Germany, France and Belgium, the visit of the Magi was a popular theme for carols. Other carols told stories from the Bible or legends from nature.

Luther Led Way

From the 15th to the 18th century, Christmas music found a particularly eager audience in Germany. Martin Luther, who believed music was a form of worship, helped to encourage the composition and performance of Christmas hymns.

Luther himself wrote the words for "Away in a Manger," and the music for "Unto Us a Boy Is Born" and "Good News from Heaven." Grouped into a choir, his children sang these songs.

Christmas Outlawed

The joyous songs of Christmas fell upon hard times in 17th century England. An act of Parliament, in 1644, forbade the observance of Christmas as a feast day.

Long after the custom of Christmas was revived, the art of carol singing languished.

A happy change occurred when, in 1719, Dr. Isaac Watts wrote and introduced to his congregation the carol, "Joy to the World." This was the forerunner of modern Christmas carols.

For Concert Halls

Christmas music for the concert halls began to be created after the Reformation.

Italy introduced the Christmas concerto, during the 17th and 18th centuries. Corelli's "Christmas Concerto" is perhaps the best known of this kind of Christmas music.

In Puritan England, the oratorio became a popular form of music, thought to represent the righteousness in man. Handel's "Messiah" was performed and admired for this expression of pious sentiment, with little consideration for its relationship to the story of the Nativity.

It was not until about 1900 that "The Messiah" began to be performed primarily at Christmas time.

EYE TO EYE - - A Montevallo youth peeks from beneath his cap to tell Santa what to bring him for Christmas. He will be expecting Santa sometime during the night Wednesday.

Montevallo News

Miss Vivian Roe was elected to the Vestry of St. Andrews Episcopal Church in Montevallo on December 14. She is the first woman to be elected to the St. Andrews Vestry since women have been eligible to serve the church in this capacity. Justin Fuller is Senior Warden. Charles Majure is the third member of the Vestry.

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The annual Christmas family night supper of the Montevallo Presbyterian Church was held Sunday at the Westminster House with a capacity crowd in attendance.

Participating in the program, which was directed by Mrs. Bill Fancher, were Beth Anthony, Nora Hubbard, Mary Johnston, Steve Fancher, David Fancher, Judy Nordan, Randie Sears and Marty Couch. Mrs. Frances Anthony provided the music.

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Dr. W. E. Robinson, Jr., his wife and children Perry and Anna Lee of Oak Ridge, Tennessee visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson the weekend of the 12th.

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Mr. and Mrs. Glen Yancey and children are visiting Mr. Yancey's parents in Tennessee for the holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Danner of Toms River, N.J. and their three children are spending Christmas week with Mrs. Danner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Terry. Coming over from Atlanta for Christmas day to join the family are Mr. and Mrs. Ken Terry, Jr.

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Charles Sell of Nashville, Tennessee, visited his former classmates at Indian Springs School last week and spent several days as the guest of Steve Sears in Montevallo. He also attended Montevallo High School's band concert last Friday afternoon. He is now a student at Marlboro in Wilts, England.

Judge Fowler appointed to Committee on Ethics

Howell T. Heflin, a Tuscumbia attorney who is Chairman of the Alabama Ethics Commission, announced that Conrad M. Fowler, Probate Judge of Shelby County, has been appointed to serve on the Committee on Ethics in the Executive Branch.

Serving with Fowler are Earl McGowin, Chapman; T. J. Volk, Birmingham; Mrs. Ryan DeGraffenreid, Tuscaloosa; Rev. William Rimes, Mobile, Bill Mitchell, Florence, Charles Jager, Bessemer and Lemuel Colley, Alexander City, Chairman.

The Alabama Ethics Commission was formed recently by Governor Albert Brewer to formulate standards of conduct for state officials and employees. Five committees have been appointed to study various aspects of ethics. In addition to the committee on the executive branch, committees on lobbying, regulatory agencies, legislative activities and the judiciary will also function.

They met for the first time in Montgomery on Dec. 18.

Merrily, Bells Are Ringing For Holiday

Ringing across the ages and around the world, bells are part of the traditions of Christmas.

Zurich, Switzerland, has long been noted for its beautiful bells, say the editors of the New Book of Knowledge.

Every Christmas Eve, the Zurich bells ring out loud and clear, calling families to church.

This same tradition is repeated in thousands of other cities, where chimes and bells ring out at midnight from the steeples and spires of churches.

Bells contribute to the sights as well as the sounds of the holiday season. They are a popular decoration and are used as ornaments on trees.

Tradition has it that bells inspired Clement C. Moore to write his famous poem, "A Visit from St. Nicholas." The inspiration came from listening to the merry jingle of bells on his horses' harness, as he drove along on a frosty winter night.

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Opportunity Action Committee in fourth year

Mr. Burton S. Mullins, Director of the Eleventh Area of Alabama Opportunity Action Committee, Inc., announced Monday the start of its fourth year of service to the poor and low income citizens of Bibb, Chilton and Shelby Counties.

Mr. Mullins said that there were three different projects covering several programs. These Programs are:

Community Organization: Mrs. Elizabeth Roy, Project Director, Shelby County

Community Organizers: Mrs. Lena Mae James and Mrs. Mildred Ferrier, Bibb County; Mr. Ed Propst and Mr. B. T. Whittington, Chilton County and Mrs. Gussie Bell and Mrs. Gladys Henderson, Shelby County.

Economic Development: Mrs. Ruby Thrash, Project Director, Chilton County

Housing Service: Oliver Millender, Director

Housing Coordinators: Mr. Charles Arich, Bibb County, Mr. Willie Green, Chilton County and Mr. Lawson Johnson, Shelby County

Maintenance Assistants: Mr. Menzo Haggard and Mr. Elizha Snelson, Bibb County, Henry Stoudemire, Chilton County, Shelby assistant not yet named.

Co-op Developer: Talmadge Johnson, Shelby County

Job Developer: Dean R. Upson, Shelby County

Swine Developer: Robert Johnson, Bibb County

General Services: Mrs. Rebecca Finley, Project Director

Neighborhood Service Center Coordinator: Mrs. Irene Frederick, Bibb County

General Services Coordinator: Mrs. Elizabeth Hill, Chilton County

Neighborhood Service Center Aides: Mrs. Lucille Smith and Mrs. Christine Lightsey, Bibb County

Mrs. Shirley Faye Connell and Mrs. Emma Judge, Chilton County: Mrs. Gladys D. Ross and Mrs. Gertrude Crawford, Shelby County.

Outreach Workers: Mrs. Louise Duncan and Mrs. Maggie Sanders, Bibb County, Mrs. Elizabeth Owens and Mrs. Doris Ware, Chilton County, Mrs. Frances Lucas and Mrs. Annie Tolbert, Shelby County.

"These programs have been developed to better serve the particular needs of people in the three county area, and will need the strong cooperation of all segments of our communities," Mullins said, adding "The past success of the agency through the health - home aides, financial counseling and neighborhood referral services have been possible only by the cooperation of individuals, religious, political and business firms; local, federal and state agencies involving the poor."

"These programs are designed to encourage community participation. Without community involvement, the programs will not be considered a success by OEO standards and continuation of this agency would be doubtful."

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With our men

HUBERT L. LUCAS, JR.

Army Sp/5 Hubert L. Lucas Jr., 21, whose parents live in Wilton, was assigned as a tracked - vehicle mechanic with the 2nd Infantry Division in Korea, Nov. 25.

Navy Aviation Electrician's Mate Airman Terry G. Palmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Windel L. Palmer of Route 1, Calera, graduated from the Aviation Electricians School at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Jacksonville, Florida.

County briefs

Mrs. George Frost is top prize winner in the indoor Christmas decoration contest, sponsored by the Calera Jaycees. Her unusual indoor Christmas tree won the prize for her, according to J. B. Denham, chairman of the sponsoring committee.

Evangelistic service will be held at the Wilsonville Baptist Church on January 3.

Christmas came early for Merle Reeser and his family in Calera this year. Both sons are home from tours of duty with the armed forces. Staff Sgt. Roger Reeser is home in Helena from Alaska and Sgt. Earl Thomas, Jr. is home in Calera from Vietnam.

Good Hope Methodist Church in the Kingdom Community will have a Watch Night service on New Year's Eve, beginning at 8 o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend. Rev. Henry Hobbs is pastor of the church.

Handbook

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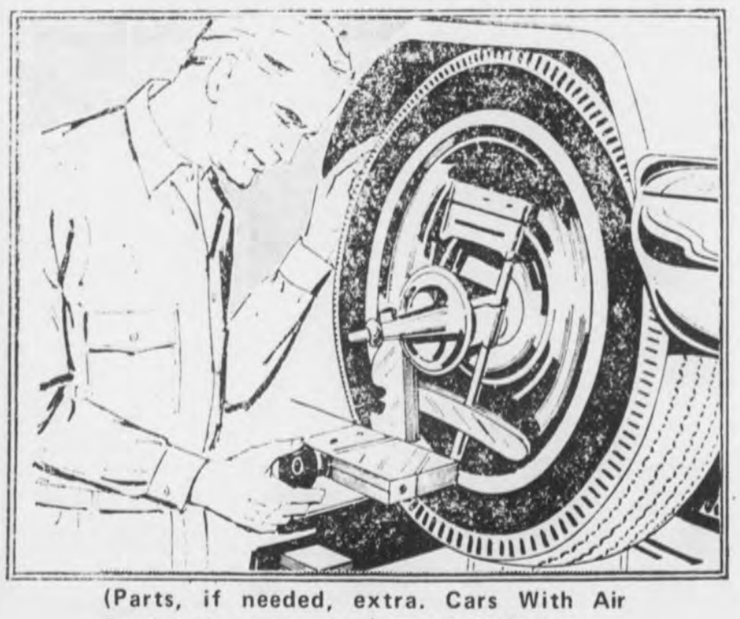
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